



Summer 2018 Memories

4th Annual CHH Family Festival!

Our 4th Annual CHH Family Festival was an amazing success! Over 500 people came out this year! There were children and families of all ages and backgrounds who enjoyed a fun filled afternoon of music, games, rides, food and raffles. Thank you to our sponsors, vendors, board members, staff, volunteers, performers, and YOU - our fantastic community who made it all possible.

The Family Festival raises funds to support survivors and is an opportunity to increase awareness of our mission to support healthy relationships and families and prevent violence in our community.

If you were not able to attend the Family Festival and would like to support survivors of sexual violence, there is still time!!

Consider bidding in our **online auction!**

Items range from back to school baskets, food and wine baskets, paintings, and private chef services. Only 2 days left to bid!

[Click here to bid in the Family Festival Auction.](#)



22nd Annual Lowell Southeast Asian Water Festival

The Brotherhood of Strength team took part in the Lowell Southeast



Asian Water Festival for the second year in a row!

Team Captain Ty Chum reflected: *"We started with a mission and ended with a family bond. Words can't describe how much respect I have for my fellow teammates."*

Thank you to CHH Staff, HealingCorps Volunteers, BOS members, and community members for being a part of the BOS team.

#ReimagineManhood

On August 21st, [Jane Doe Inc.](#) and CHH co-facilitated the second convening of the [#ReimagineManhood](#) campaign to promote gender equity, racial justice, and healthy masculinity at the YWCA in Worcester.



Nikki Pelonia, Community Impact Manager, kept a circle with practitioners across the state that are doing "the work" in engaging men and boys as allies to end sexual violence.

The circle provided a space for the practitioners from YWCA Central Massachusetts, Casa Myrna, Phallacies, Wayside Youth and Family Support Network, The Second Step and CHH to build relationships through storytelling

The circle process and practice is used in restorative work and originates from the indigenous peoples of Native America.

about culture and masculinity, and begin discussing how to take action together in ending sexual violence, which will lead up to Jane Doe, Inc's #ReimagineManhood Symposium later this year.

Healing Circles

"Some of the most comforting words in the universe are **ME TOO!**"

HEALING CIRCLES

We welcome survivors of sexual violence of *all* genders.
Disclosure is not required.



ALL GENDER | BI-WEEKLY DROP IN SUPPORT GROUP
ENGLISH: TUESDAYS AT 5:30 - 7 PM | STARTS JULY 31ST, 2018
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"Algunas de las palabras de mayor apoyo en el universo son **YO TAMBIEN!**"

EL PODER DE LA CURACION

Sobrevivientes de violencia sexual de todos los generos son bienvenidos.
No necesita compartir su historia con nosotros.



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We are currently offering two, free and confidential adult healing circles that meet bi-weekly. Both groups are 18+, accepting of all genders and expressions, and require no registration or sign up prior to the group! To see the full schedule [click here](#).

For more information call 978-452-7721 or email info@chhinc.org

Board Member Highlight



Meet Tina Teodorescu!

Ms. Teodorescu has over 25 years of internal and external consulting experience across multiple industries, sizes, and types of companies in the development of talent, performance and engagement programs to meet or exceed their business goals. Serving as the Partner responsible for Talent Management and Human Resources at MFA – Moody, Famiglietti & Andronico, LLP, Tina is instrumental in designing, implementing and overseeing the Firm's culture, educational programs,

organizational effectiveness, and advancing its talent acquisition, engagement, and retention strategies.

Tina devotes her professional and personal time outside of work to several organizations including, the Fred Forum – a global leadership think-tank that has a mission to promote ethical, diverse, and inclusive leadership in the world, the Human Resource Leadership Forum, Vistage Key Executive Advisory Group, Women Unlimited – a National Women’s Leadership Development Program, and most recently, serves as a board member for The Center for Hope and Healing and is on the Board Development Committee where she hopes to help CHH, it’s clients, and it’s team further advance their mission and reach their potential.

In her personal time, you’ll find Tina spending time with her 2 children, Alex and Simona, Dog, Riley, and husband, Razvan. She loves to spend time traveling, reading, exercising, doing yoga, and/or just being active in nature, hiking, skiing, biking, and/or going to the beach.

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Building Community Free From Sexual Violence