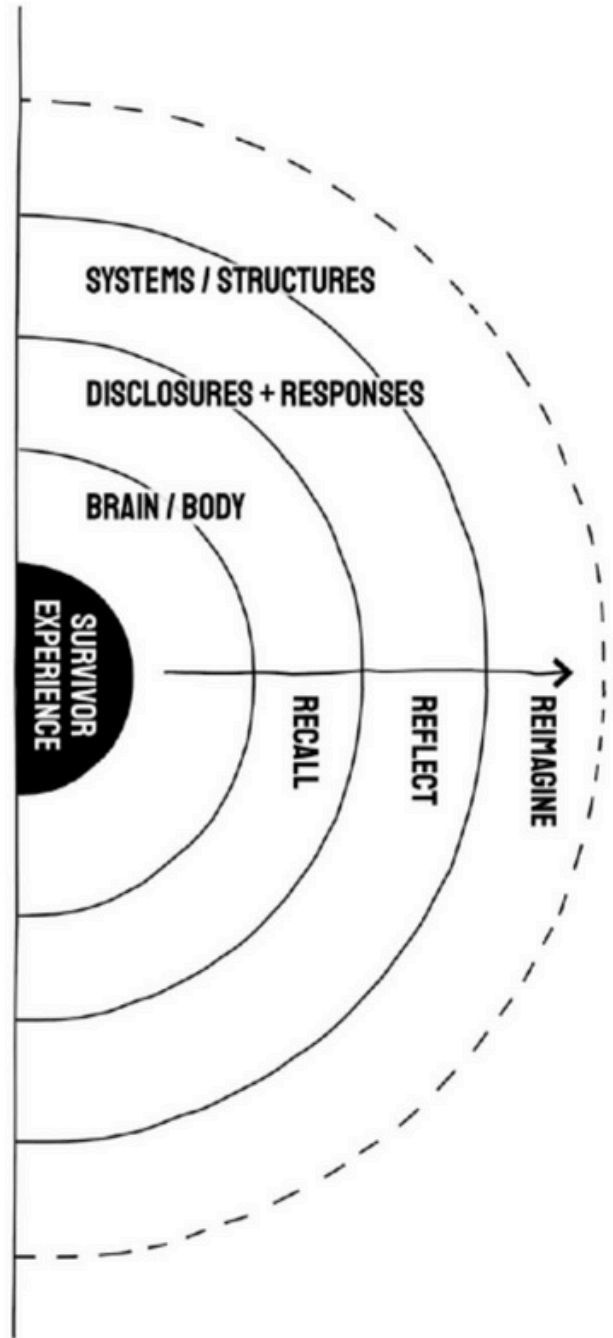


HEALING COURAGE

sexual violence and intimate harm are systemic, cultural, and community problems, that are both preventable and solvable

we design processes and programs that cultivate the conditions to witness, validate, acknowledge, learn, and transform cultures around sexual and intimate harm

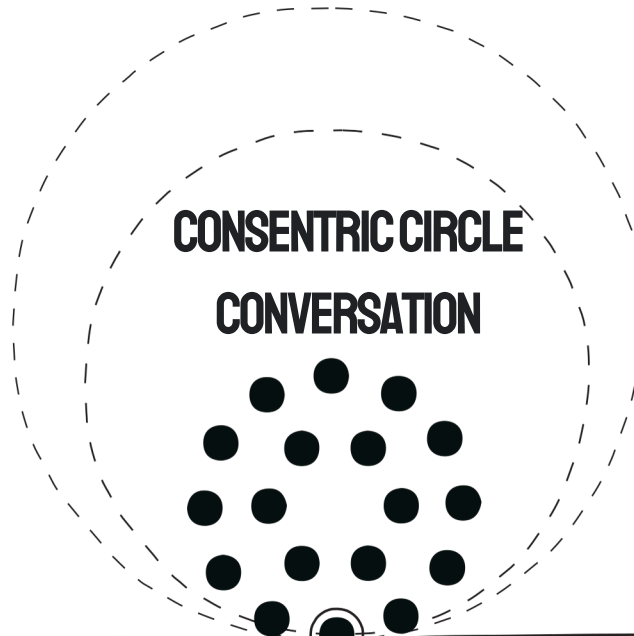


HOW WE APPROACH SYSTEMIC CHANGE



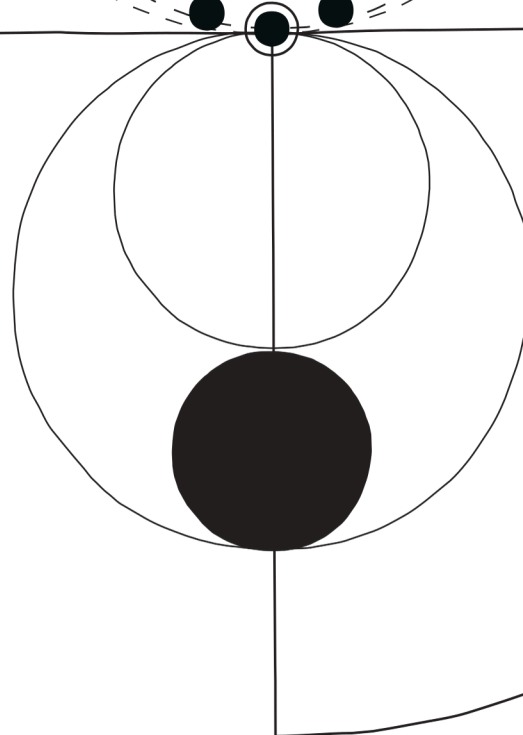
RESEARCH + POLICY

In imagining new futures of justice and healing, survivors serve as co-researchers. We utilize participatory action design research and other methodologies to carry out groundbreaking, survivor-centered research that includes underrepresented populations and asks critical, often overlooked questions. Our peer-reviewed findings contribute to the pool of evidence on which we can base a new landscape of community-based services and policies for healing and justice that is both inclusive and responsive to the needs of all survivors.



CONCENTRIC CIRCLE CONVERSATION

We facilitate survivor-centered community conversations that cultivate connection and foster learning. Our Concentric Circle conversations bring together survivors, community and family members, decision makers, first responders, and in some cases, those who committed harm. Scaffolded with learning resources, these vulnerable, group learning discussions explore the impacts of trauma and challenge myths. Addressing where the system does not meet survivor needs allows us to foster survivor imagination and systemic change and increase community accountability as we collaboratively reimagine what healing and justice look like for those who are impacted.



AMPLIFICATION + EDUCATION

We design an education and media strategy that both amplifies and informs, leading the conversation away from harmful mythology, while arming the public with a deeper understanding of intimate harm and its impact. Our creative team captures survivor wisdom and uses data visualization to produce dynamic short form educational content around trauma science and how-we-got-here histories. These truth-telling graphic, video campaigns, workshops and trainings explore, explain, and dismantle the science and social paradigms behind trauma and our culture of response.