

AWBW/Trauma-Informed Approach

As the field of Trauma-Informed Care grows, AWWB stays up-to-date with current trends. SAMHSA (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration) has six principles of trauma-informed care, which our programs and evaluations have addressed since we were first founded. Below are the principles with related program results from 2016.

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SAFETY

88%

of adult participants report that the workshops allowed them to open up about something they had not shared before

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TRUSTWORTHINESS & TRANSPARENCY

91%

of Children's Leaders report increased trust in staff and willingness to use staff support more readily

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PEER SUPPORT & MUTUAL SELF-HELP

95%

of Children's Leaders report a positive impact on relationships between children/youth and their peers

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COLLABORATION & MUTUALITY

95%

of Adult Leaders report that the workshops positively impacted parents relationships with their children

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EMPOWERMENT, VOICE & CHOICE

89%

of Adult Leaders report that the workshops helped participants open up and express themselves

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CULTURAL, HISTORICAL & GENDER ISSUES

94%

of adult participants report they are now more likely to take steps to break the cycle of violence

SAMHSA Trauma-Informed Care information:
www.samhsa.gov/hctc/trauma-interventions