

## Growing in Partnership: Nourishing the Roots of Campus Advocacy through Community Collaboration

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Role as Sexual Assault Advocate at New Directions

- Experience working on campus advocacy initiatives
- Importance of campus advocacy







Increase participant knowledge to utilize existing campus resources to expand campus advocacy

## Objectives



Increase participant belief in the benefits of collaboration with key stakeholders to support campus advocacy



Build participant skills to promote community collaboration and partnership with colleges and universities.

### Key Stakeholders at Kenyon College

Kenyon Title IX Office

Cox Health & Counseling Center

Student peer advocates

New Directions

### History of the Partnership

- Setting the stage: Initial challenges
  - Sexual Misconduct Advisors issue of protocols, supervision
  - Staff turnover
  - SRPAs-creation as underground group

Building the Partnership:

- SRPAs and ND connect
- Bringing in Kenyon College
- Blooming together:
  - SRPAs and ND collaborate
  - SPRAs become an extension of ND

### The Timeline

- December 2019 New Directions entered talks with the Title IX Office and Health & Counseling Center
- January 2020- Meeting of key stakeholders and other members of Kenyon College
- September 2020- Meeting with SRPA members and members of Kenyon College / OAESV Training Institute begins (40 hours/6 weeks)
- October 2020- Meetings transition from College, SRPAs and ND to SRPAs and ND on their own collaboration
- January 2021: 20 hour advocacy training with New Directions (7 weeks)



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Best serve survivors on campus



Provide quality, confidential, 24/7 services 03

Establish a structure of supervision for the peer advocates

### Defining our common goals



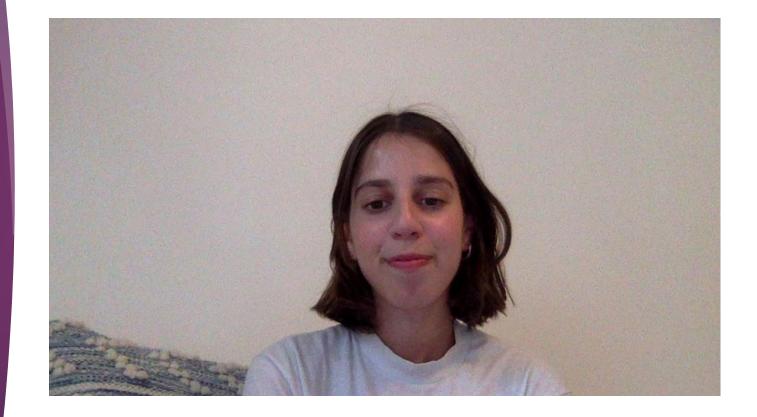
Kevin Peterson, Deputy Title IX Coordinator

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### Chris Smith, Director of Health & Counseling Services



### Emma Spivack, SRPA President



#### Lessons Learned

- Find where you fit on campus, where can your agency help?
- Be prepared to define the need for campus advocacy
- Have a protocol in place prior to commitment from students
- Connection is key



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List your local colleges/universities



List your contacts/potential staff/faculty contacts 03

List student organizations you could contact

### Brainstorm Activity

## Closing and Q&A

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