



DAY TWO – TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 2022– 10:00 AM

Identifying and Responding to Commercial Sexual Exploitation in Males

Session Description:

While the human trafficking movement has made great strides, male victims and survivors often remain overlooked and under-identified. This workshop will empower attendees with practical tips and strategies to enhance their efforts to support male survivors. Training content will include a snapshot of prevalence research, various models of male trafficking, associated risk factors and vulnerabilities, screening and engagement, needs of male survivors, and recommendations for moving forward.

BIO:



Nathan Earl, Principal – Giant Slayer Consulting

Nathan Earl is an anti-trafficking pioneer, fierce advocate and visionary leader with a passion for building resilient communities immune to exploitation. Through his work as a Public Health Consultant at Giant Slayer Consulting, Nathan leverages more than 20 years of lived and professional experience to help organizations and communities prevent violence against boys and male-identifying individuals.

In 2014, Mr. Earl operationalized and led one of the first direct service programs for male survivors of human trafficking in the country. Based in South Florida, the program provided outreach, care coordination, case management, and housing coordination for young adult male survivors challenged with substance dependency. Nathan currently assists Federal, State and NGO partners increase their capacity to prevent human trafficking in the areas of research, collective impact, primary prevention and crisis intervention.

Mr. Earl is a member of multiple research teams studying the scope and prevalence of male sex trafficking, acute gaps in mental health care experienced by survivors of human trafficking, and the exploitation of LGBTQIA youth experiencing homelessness.

Mr. Earl is a 2019 Fellow of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Human Trafficking Leadership Academy. Nathan holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Marketing from the University of South Florida and is currently pursuing his Master's in

Public Health degree at Yale University. Mr. Earl possesses a Certificate in Leadership from Coro Southern California, and a Certificate in Human Subjects Research from CITI.

“Everything can be taken from a man but one thing: the last of the human freedoms—to choose one’s attitude in any given set of circumstances, to choose one’s own way.” -
- Viktor Frankl