Charity Tracy

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NARRATIVE OF PURPOSE

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According to the CDC impoverished communities are at higher risk of experiencing influxes in Domestic Violence and Child Sexual Abuse due to the high density of places that sell alcohol, lack of adequate employment, and poor neighborhood support and cohesion.

Charity Tracy's was created with the intention of bring remedy to this problem. Our founder Charity Muhammad grew up in the Englewood Community of Chicago and as a survivor of both Child Sexual Abuse and Domestic Violence. As a survivor she understands first hand just how detrimental Abuse Prevention is to her community. Part of Charity Tracy's mission is to improve upon community response to cases of Child Sexual Abuse and Domestic Violence. Its goal is to normalize exposing abusers to authority and to do away with the "what goes on in this house, stays in this house" culture.

To accomplish this mission, Charity Tracy hosts free workshops in high risk areas that teach attendees ways to recognize, respond, and to report instances of Child Sexual Abuse and or Domestic Violence. Charity Tracy is especially passionate about educating clergy to respond appropriately to report incidents of Domestic Violence and or Child Sex Abuse within their church's congregation.

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Our organization partners with the Englewood, Auburn Gresham, and Woodlawn area Police Department in our endeavors to help support cohesive relationships between the community and law enforcement. We also have working relationships with local therapists in order to assist victims and survivors to find mental health resources and we act as a liaison for those looking for shelter from their abusers.

Our Latest Projects

Often things like proper underwear and food are taken for granted by mainstream society, unfortunately that luxury is not provided to the impoverished. Rape victim's underwear are taken as evidence after their assault and to keep down cost, the hospital in the Englewood's clinical panties are reserved for their maternity. Englewood has a Whole Foods Market but with the cost of fresh food in this grocery store being so expensive many residents choose to shop for unhealthier choices. Some of our smaller nonprofit activities include ***The Bread Basket*** which has allowed Charity Tracy to partner with several churches in Englewood to bring dry goods to the community. ***The Panty Project*** that allows Charity Tracy to provide undergarments to the women living in the Breakthrough and Family Rescue Shelters and to sexual assault victims/survivors at the Holy Cross and Saint Bernard hospitals.

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Through advocacy and outreach activities, our team works tirelessly to contribute their part to the greater good of the community.