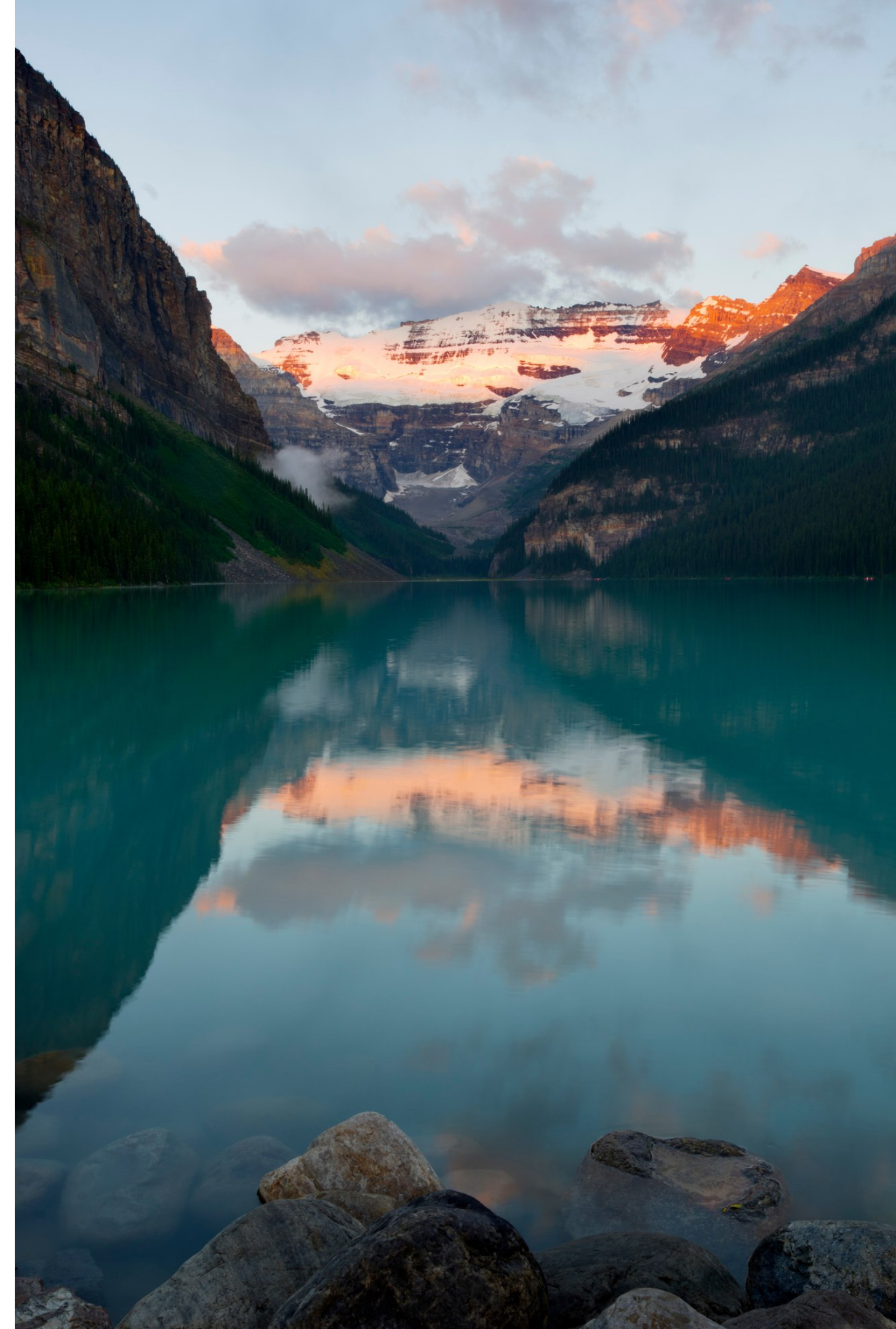


Inspiring Communities

The ACWS Call to Action

Land Acknowledgement





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About ACWS



Vision & Mission



History



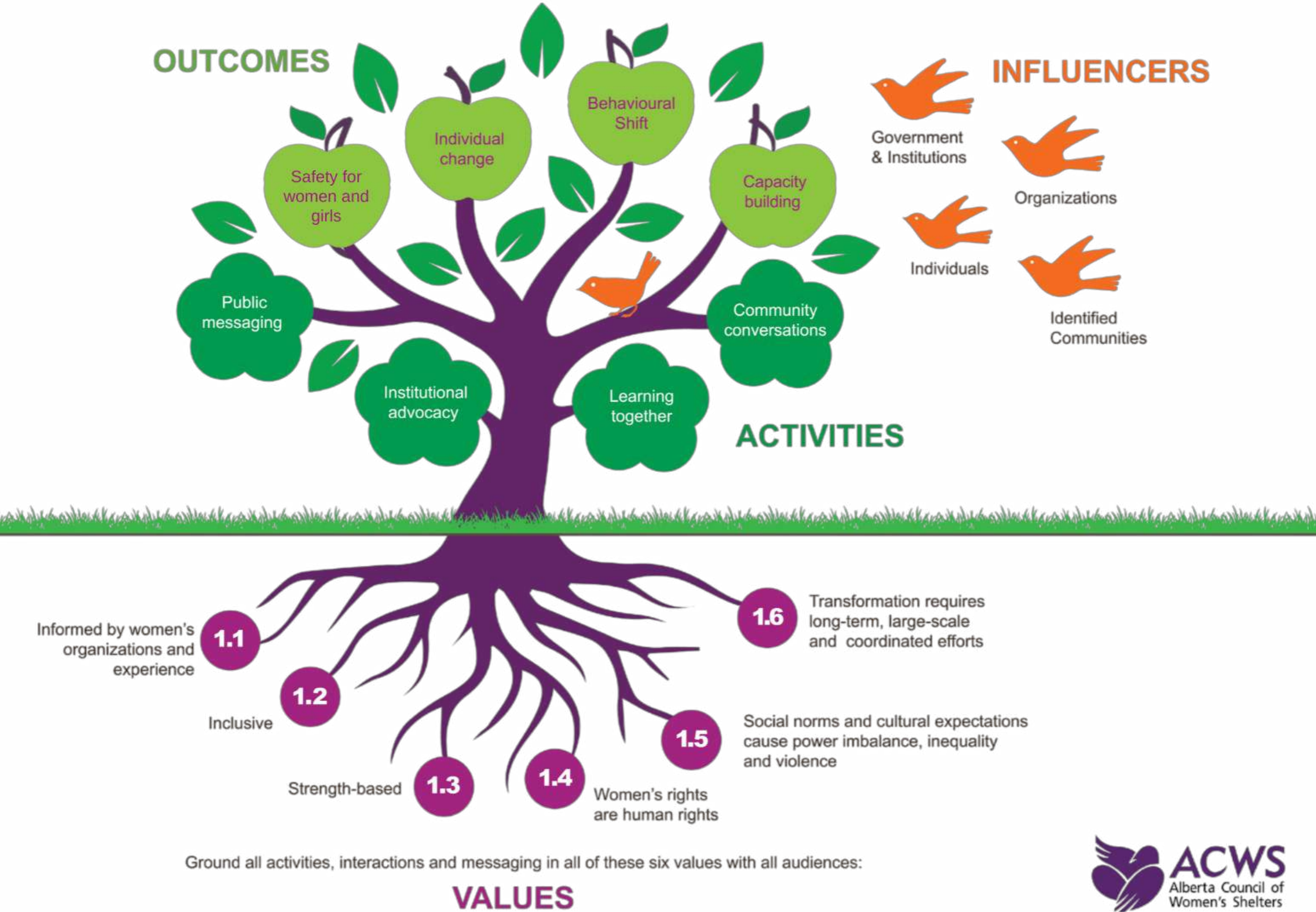
Our Work

- **7,620** women, children, & seniors were admitted to shelters in 2021/22
- **17,787** women, children, & seniors were turned away due to a lack of capacity
- **7,303** people were served through outreach programs.

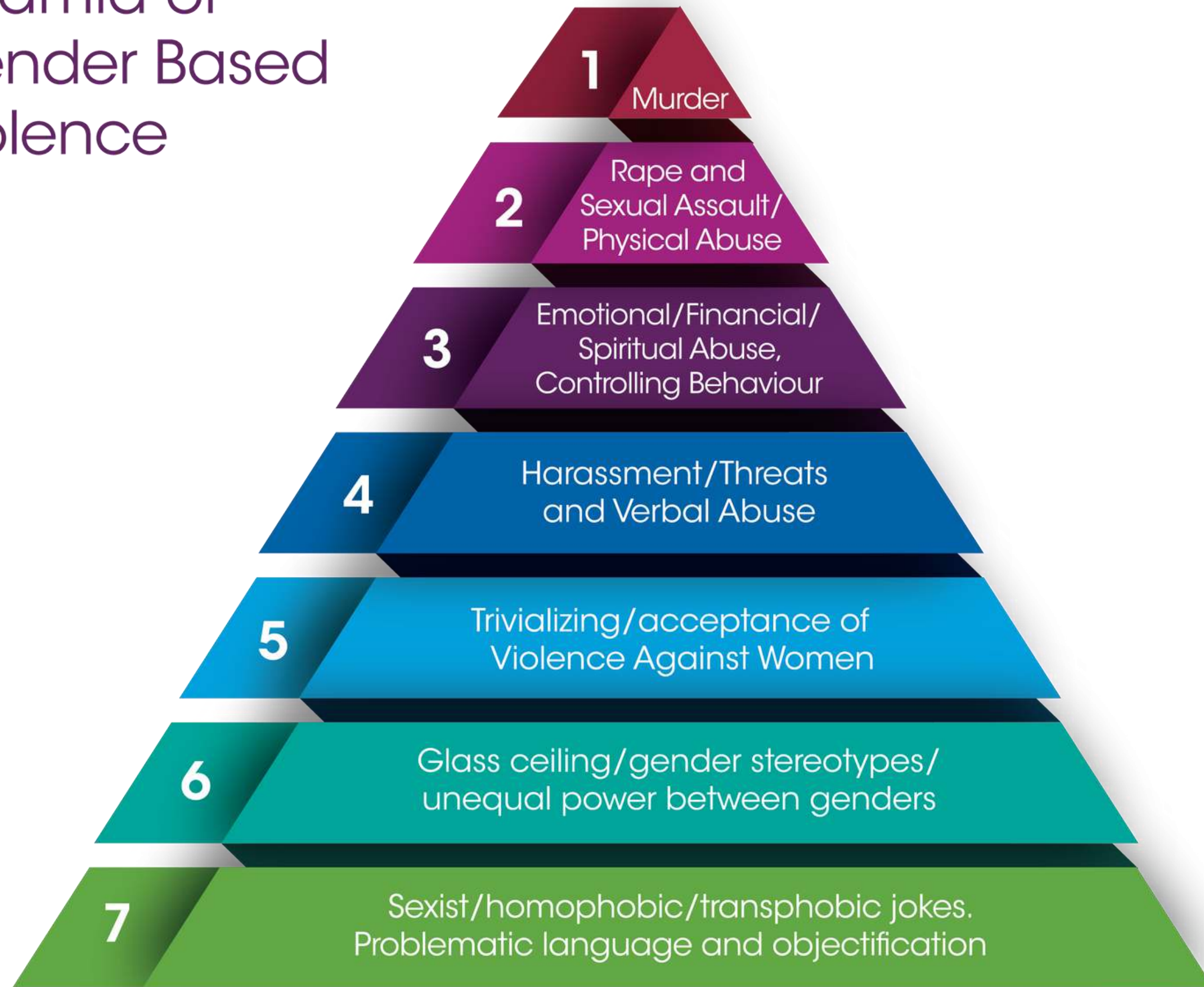
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The Leading Change Inspired Communities Model



Pyramid of Gender Based Violence





Being an everyday superhero

Leading Change



Sessions include:

- Understanding Domestic Violence
- Thinking Outside the "Real Man" Box
- Understanding Consent
- Domestic Violence & Your Workplace
- And more!



This course was amazing. I wish everyone would take it. I'm going to start changing the conversation. I already have begun discussing it with colleagues and friends and family and I hope to help change things.

-Online training participant



Sample Exercise: What Do You Do?



Alberta Junior Hockey League

- Hockey Alberta & Blackfalds Bulldogs
- League Approach
- Session Structure
- What's Next



Thank you for taking the time to come talk to us, this really helped open my eyes to issues in our world around domestic and sexual violence!

-AJHL Player

Legal Training

- The Divorce Act
- Partnerships
- Using the Danger Assessment
- What's next



I found it to be packed with evidence-backed information on evaluating situations for abuse, taking trauma-informed approaches and determining the risk of harm to children.

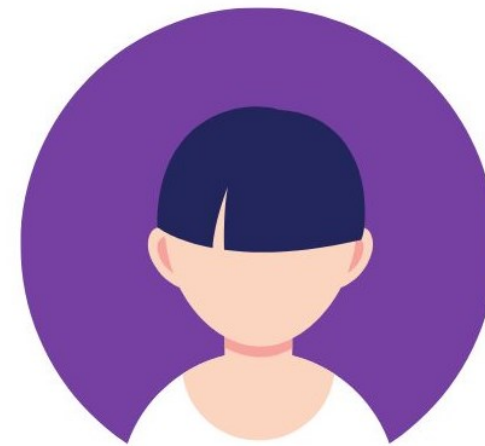
– Legal Training Participant





Leading Change Expansion Pack

- Adaptation for COVID-19
- Do-it-yourself violence prevention education
- Social Change from Your Sofa
- What's next



Gender-based violence is a problem that needs to be addressed and solved by all members of society. This expansion pack is an excellent place to start for men, boys, and male-identifying individuals.

-Pack recipient

Evaluation & Research

- Approach
- Year-over-year results
- Action-based research
- What's next





Thank you! Questions?

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