

Learning Exchange: Restorative Community Justice

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- What **innovations, ideas, opportunities, and/or action steps** received the most support among your group? *Restorative practices of victim/offender reconciliation seem to resonate as viable strategies to embed deliberative practices in a community and institution.*
- In the probes (suggestions, not mandatory questions), we ask about **language, assessment, and technology**. Please share with us anything regarding these topics that resonated with your group.
- In the probes, we ask about **justice, equity, and freedom**. Please share with us anything regarding these values that resonated with your group.
- Were there **people** in your group who were interested in working on these ideas? (If so, please be specific about who and the plans being hatched.)
- Based on the discussion, what do you think should be the **top priorities** for educators and practitioners? *Find ways to infuse deliberative practices into existing practices and processes. The example is with victim/offender reconciliation. Rather than have the Court system be the sole entity concerned with “justice,” find ways to incorporate restorative practices into the system.*