Complex Connections: Domestic Violence, Trauma, and Mental Health
Session 1: Monday, September 18, 2023 from 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Presenters:
Ama Amponsah, Community Health Coordinator & Trainer
Mariann Kenville-Moore, Director of Advocacy & Policy
Courtney Winkler, Training & Outreach Coordinator

10:00 – 10:40 Dynamics of Domestic Violence
Identifying/defining the problem
Making the connections between mental health, substance use, trauma, and domestic violence

10:40 – 11:00 Understanding a Victim's Perspective
Why do they stay?
Post-separation abuse
Putting protective strategies into context

11:00 – 11:30 Trauma Responses- Putting It In Context
Protective strategies into context
Empowerment through advocacy
Taking action

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Session 2: Monday, September 25, 2023 from 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Presenters:
Ama Amponsah, Community Health Coordinator & Trainer
Mariann Kenville-Moore, Director of Advocacy & Policy
Courtney Winkler, Training & Outreach Coordinator

Guest Speakers:
Veronica Colombo, Delaware State Police Victim Services
Detective Joe Miller, Wilmington Police Department
Kathleen Seip, Amanecer Counseling & Resource Center

10:00 – 10:25 mattresses informed Care and Response
Acute vs. chronic trauma
Providing tools to create change
Overcoming barriers for providers

10:25 – 10:55 Screening Resources
Using universal education as a screening tool
CUES Approach: Confidentiality, Universal Education, Support
Breakouts (10 minutes): case scenario review and starting the conversation about domestic violence

10:55 – 11:30 Community Resources and Response
Safety planning
Making warm referrals
Guest speakers: making connections in the community

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