

NARPI 2016
Syllabus for Conflict and Peace Framework
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Methodology:

Participatory learning methods, inputs, experiential learning opportunities, small group discussions, creative expression, and learning exercises connected to all concepts

Goal:

To increase participants' knowledge of the conflict and peace field, help them explore their contexts and provide skills for working with conflict

Day 1: Introduction to each other and to the concept of peace

Morning 10:00-12:30: Introductory activities

Afternoon 14:00-15:45: The concept of "peace" and its interpretations

Afternoon 16:00-17:30: The concepts of "static peace" and "dynamic peace"

Day 2: Looking at the concept of violence

Morning 9:00-10:45: Learning from historical and direct violence

Morning 11:00-12:30: Learning from structural and cultural violence

Afternoon 14:00-15:45: The concept of "violence" and its interpretations

Afternoon 16:00-17:30: More activities and synthesis

Day 3: Analysing conflict and models of conflict resolution

Morning 9:00-10:45: The concept of "conflict" and its interpretations

Morning 11:00-12:30: Conflict analysis-1

Afternoon: Rest and reflection

Day 4: Living with conflict by transforming it

Morning 9:00-10:45: Conflict analysis-2

Morning 11:00-12:30: Conflict transformation-1

Afternoon 14:00-15:45: Conflict transformation-2

Afternoon 16:00-17:30: More examples and activities

Day 5: Conflict transformation and synthesis

Morning 9:00-10:45: More sharing

Morning 11:00-12:30: More sharing

Afternoon 14:00-15:45: Conflict intervention and synthesis

Afternoon 16:00-17:30: Closing

***Suggestion 1: Reflect on the conflicts in your community or organization and come prepared to share an example of the conflicts that you have experienced!**

***Suggestion 2: Try the assigned reading, so that you will have an overview of the course beforehand (“Overview of concepts”).**