

Welcome Circle: Wednesday, December 4, 2019

**Welcome and Opening:** Welcome everyone for coming today and participating in the Circle  
“One hand to give, one hand to receive, on my count of three, raise both of your hands and say  
MPA Family!”

How is everyone doing: Show w/your fist-zero to five

**Talking Piece and Center Piece:** Borrow Ms. Tillman’s 4 P’s

Explain the Talking Piece, the person who has the talking piece speaks and the talking piece  
gets passed AROUND the circle. You have the right to pass at any time

**Check in Question:**

What is your superhero power and why?

**Guidelines and Values:**

\*\* Guidelines remind us of expectations for behavior while in circle in order to create a safe  
space for everyone.

Peer RJ Leader Read the guidelines. Thumbs up(all Agree), Thumbs sideways(Discussion or  
clarification) Thumbs down(Do not agree)

\*\* Values-What is important to you, what do you care about and need so we can bring “our best  
selves” forward in this space.

Because of time, we will go around the circle and share this out loud

**Discussion:**

Why are we here today?

Tell me about a time when you “welcomed someone to be a part of your group, to come and  
play with you OR introduced yourself to someone you did not know before. How did that make  
you feel?

**Reflection and Closing:**

- Have people share reflections and appreciations
- Closing: “One hand to give, one hand to receive, on my count of 3, MPA Family!!