

March 2024 CTIPP CAN Reflection Activity

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[Take a few moments to review ITTIC's Trauma-Informed Public Policy: Highlights from 2023 report.](#)

1) Scroll to the area of the report that has measures that were considered in your state.

If your state does not have measures listed in the table, reflect on 1-2 neighboring states and consider the prompts below.

Take a look at the rightmost column ("Summary of Trauma-Informed Content") of the measure(s) you are exploring. What themes/topics do you notice across these measures?

2) How do the themes/topics addressed by those measures align with what you know about your community's/state's needs?

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3) Click the link to take you directly to the state legislature's webpage, which contains information about any measure(s) that interest you.

**Sometimes, depending on how a particular state's legislature website is set up, these links are archived/changed when a new legislative session begins. In that case, you might use an Internet search for the bill number, as noted in the "Measure #" column, to retrieve the page's new location for that measure.*

Notice what kind of information your state legislature makes available for measures under consideration. (e.g., party affiliations of sponsors/co-sponsors, hearing transcripts, memos that explore fiscal impact or go into detail about the intent/background of the policy, hearing testimony, etc.) What strikes you about what you see?

4) Scroll to the part of ITTIC's document that addresses Federal bills that saw movement in 2023 (p. 164 onward). Among legislation proposed (whether or not it made law), what most aligns with your vision/the areas you most want to see trauma-informed change in? What, specifically, resonates with you about that measure(s)?

Now, take a look at CTIPP's analysis document. Skim any sections that call to you, and consider what you are noticing in your brain and body as you engage with what we have shared in terms of progress and pathways forward.

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- What trends, triumphs, and for the work ahead most interest you? What connection do you have with those topics?
- What do you think about the themes and CTIPP vision policy dimensions that were *most* commonly integrated into legislative proposals in 2023?
- How do you think we can work together to build on that progress further?
- What do you think about the CTIPP vision dimensions that were *least* commonly integrated into legislative proposals in 2023?
- What do you think is needed to make progress in areas that were underexplored or underdeveloped in 2023?