



A Program of the **MediationCenter**

# Restorative Conferencing

A process facilitated by a trained restorative practitioner to repair harm, achieve a sense of healing for those harmed, and restore the greater community.



Proven conflict management approach applicable in a variety of settings, including neighborhoods, criminal justice, schools, families, groups, and workplaces.

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# How Restorative Conferencing Works:

Those directly involved and affected by the incident are invited, as well as supporters and representatives from organizations that attendees may find beneficial.

A neutral third party facilitates the conference at a convenient location (library, community center, school, Mediation Center, etc.).

Each participant discusses what occurred, how they were affected, define how to repair the harm, and work together to define a better path forward.

## Benefits & Outcomes

Conferences are an opportunity for responsible parties to take accountability for actions and a stepping stone to:

- Repair and restore relationships
- Build healthy communities
- Reduce the impact of harm and crime

Over 90% of conferences result in agreements and over 93% of parties are compliant to the agreement.

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