



TOD@S Leadership Crew (T.L.C)

What is the TOD@S Leadership Crew?

The goal of the TOD@s Leadership Crew is to support Black and Latin@ LGBTQ/T people affected by partner abuse/domestic violence** to create and implement projects aimed at raising awareness about partner abuse in Black and Latin@ LGBTQ/T relationships. Leaders will attend a series of trainings about partner abuse and project planning before working together to create resources and/or projects relevant to those affected by partner abuse/domestic violence. The crew will build community together through supportive team building activities. The crew will be supported to envision and design a project of their choosing, such as a video or community event. Four people will be selected to form the first TOD@S Leadership Crew and will meet twice a month for 6 months.

What are the application requirements?

- Applicants must be able to attend all scheduled trainings, event planning meetings, and participant-organized events.
- Applicants should identify as LGBTQ/T and as a member of the Black and/or Latin@ community.
- Applicants should identify as a person affected by partner abuse/domestic violence.* This includes individuals who are the direct target of domestic violence/partner abuse, who are witnesses to partner abuse/domestic violence, or who support a friend, family member or co-worker who is a target of partner abuse/domestic violence.
- Applicants should have a love for their community and a passion for social justice.

**Partner abuse is a systematic pattern of behaviors where one person non-consensually uses power to try to control the thoughts, beliefs, actions, body, and/or spirit of a partner. By partner, we are referring to a range of intimate relationships including but not limited to play partner; date; spouse; sexual partner; boyfriend/girlfriend; boo; hookup; life partner; lover. Partner abuse is also called domestic violence, battering, intimate partner abuse, and/or dating violence. Those who abuse may use a number of behaviors to control their partner including physical abuse, sexual abuse, economic abuse and cultural/identity abuse.*

What trainings will Peer Leaders Attend?

- Relationship / Team Building
- LGBTQ/T 101 & LGBTQ/T Partner Abuse
- Working with Black & Latin@ LGBTQ/T Communities
- Skills-building Training(s)
- Project design & Implementation
- Evaluation

To apply, please fill out the following application and email it to Genevieve TODOScontact@gmail.com. For more information please call Ari at (857) 310-5021.

T.L.C Application

Basic Information

Name/Preferred nickname	
Preferred Pronouns	
Email address	
Telephone number (optional)	
Is it safe to leave a message about the project at this number?	

Availability

Please list the days and times you are available for training and event planning:

Questions

1. Do you identify as a LGBTQ/T person of color?
2. Are you bi-lingual in Spanish or any other languages?

8. Do you have any safety concerns?

9. Do you need childcare?