Sex Week 2015 Request for Proposals

Sex Week 2015:
Monday, February 23rd through Friday, February 27th, 2015

Introduction:
The UW-L Campus Community has identified safe sex and sexual health education as important topics to address in organized, ongoing, culturally competent, comprehensive, and consistent manners for populations of college students. In an effort to continue the tradition of Sex Week programming, which has seen many different forms, iterations, and manifestations over the years, the Wellness Resource Center in cooperation with the Pride Center, Residence Life, and the Student Health Center formally request proposals for participation, partnership and programs to be administered during Sex Week 2015: Monday, February 23rd through Friday, February 27th, 2015. In order to present comprehensive, inclusive and relevant programming, and to reach the entire campus, we need your ideas, events, programs, advocacy, and participation. Please accept our invitation to participate in Sex Week 2015.

Sex Week 2015 Strategic Plan
Mission/Vision/Values
Our vision is a community in which the diverse layers of sexual behaviors among college students are understood, and healthy sexual behavior (including physical, social/cultural, emotional and spiritual components of sexual activity or abstinence) is supported by all members of the community, with respect for individual choices and values.

Within the scope of practice and knowledge of our trained health educators, we provide accurate, inclusive interventions based on sexual behaviors and culture on the UW-L campus, supplemented with culturally competent health education, and accurate and appropriate referrals to sexual health experts.

With respect, professionalism, objectivity, inclusivity, open communication, innovation, destigmatization, and paradigm shifting; and without judgement, our work is done modeling the behaviors we wish to promote in our community.

2014/2015 Goals of Sex Week
1. Through the development of deliberate, thorough, and current sex week programming, we aim to provide relevant and culturally competent sexuality and sexual health education, focusing on consensual, safe, and healthy sex topics including communication and consent, abstinence, prevention of STI/STDs, inclusivity, comprehensive sexual health, and respectful sexual behaviors.

2. Through administration of sexuality and sexual health programming, we aim to inform casual conversations about sex and sexual health with current, culturally relevant, and accurate information provided by competent, professional and trained sexperts/individuals.
3. Through implementation of sex week programming, we aim to develop a campus culture that supports individuals who are knowledgeable and comfortable with all areas of comprehensive sexual well being.

4. Through implementation of sex week programming, we aim to normalize and support abstinence, inclusivity, and monogamy, along with other healthy, value-based sexual decision and behaviors.

5. Through evaluation of sex week programming, we hope to strive for continuous improvement, innovation and inclusivity in collaboration with our campus and community partners.

Request:
We are looking for programs, events, advocacy, and partnership that provide interactive, inclusive, and respectful educational learning opportunities for students. Please answer all questions, and return to the Wellness Resource Center ASAP. Proposals will be accepted in hard copy and digital formats. (Please submit digital submissions to knoelke2@uwlax.edu with the subject: “Sex Week 2015 Proposal.”) When you receive notification that your proposal has been accepted, please select a Sex Week 2015: Sexpert Training Session to attend. Please make certain you are able to attend at least one of these training sessions prior to involvement.

1. **Provide a description/agenda of the program/activity/event you would like to administer during Sex Week 2015.**

2. **How does your proposed program/activity/event support the values of Sex Week 2015?**

3. **How does your program/activity/event help meet the goals of Sex Week 2015?**

I/We the undersigned understand the vision, mission and values of Sex Week 2015 and will do our utmost to protect the professional reputation of this initiative at University of Wisconsin- La Crosse while providing honest, relevant and accurate safe sex and sexual health education programming.

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