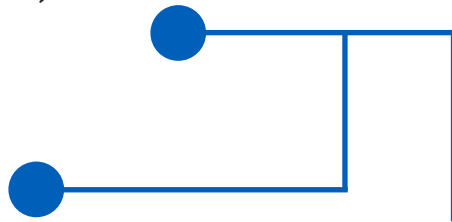


The Redwood believes that engaging men and boys is elemental in reducing, preventing and eliminating gender-based violence, and can have a positive impact on the lives of women and girls

Statistics confirm that men are offenders in 83% of police-reported violence against women
(Statistics Canada)



This contrasts with data on violent crimes against men, where intimate partners were among the least common perpetrators, at 12%
(Statistics Canada)



We commit to identifying resources and employing tools to engage men and boys in ending violence against women

- Undertaking 'lifecycle' interventions with boys in the shelter setting
- Building partnerships with networks of men striving to achieve common objectives in promoting gender equality
- Creating and promoting education and outreach campaigns on engaging men and boys
- Utilizing advocacy to influence policy and legislation targeted at engaging men and boys