

Type of Event: College Speaking Engagement

Audience: Open to entire campus community, co-sponsored by the Relationship Peer Educators (RPE) and the Counseling Outreach Peer Educators (COPE) 23 questionnaires filled out

Topic: *Red Flags of Abuse and Interpersonal Trauma*

Speaker: Healing TREE Founder + CEO Marissa Ghavami

Time: 1 1/2 hours including Q&A; 30 minute pre-engagement with Peer Educators

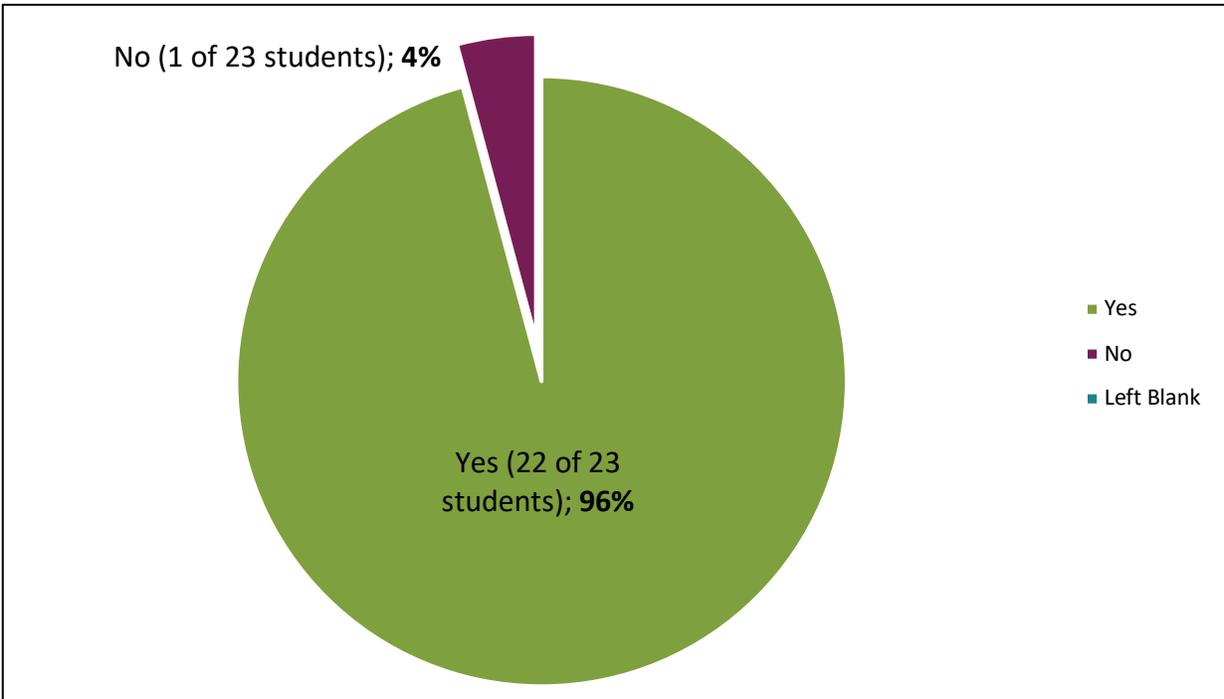
Venue: College of the Holy Cross, Rhem Library

Location and Date: Worcester, MA 3.14.2018

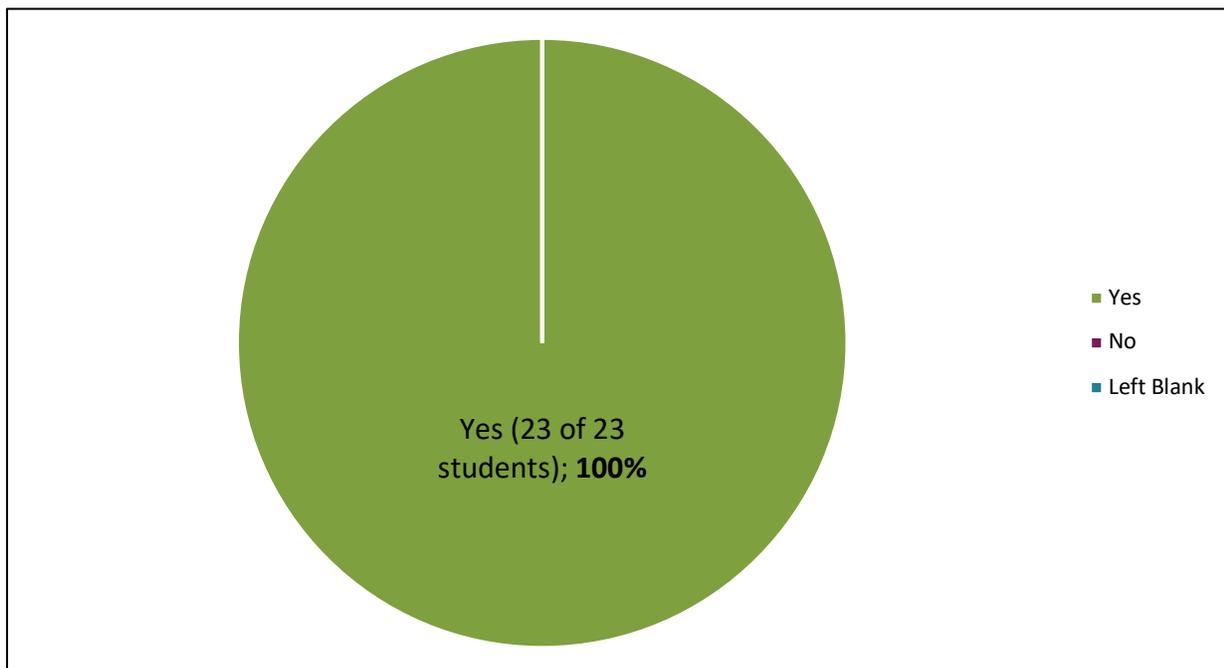


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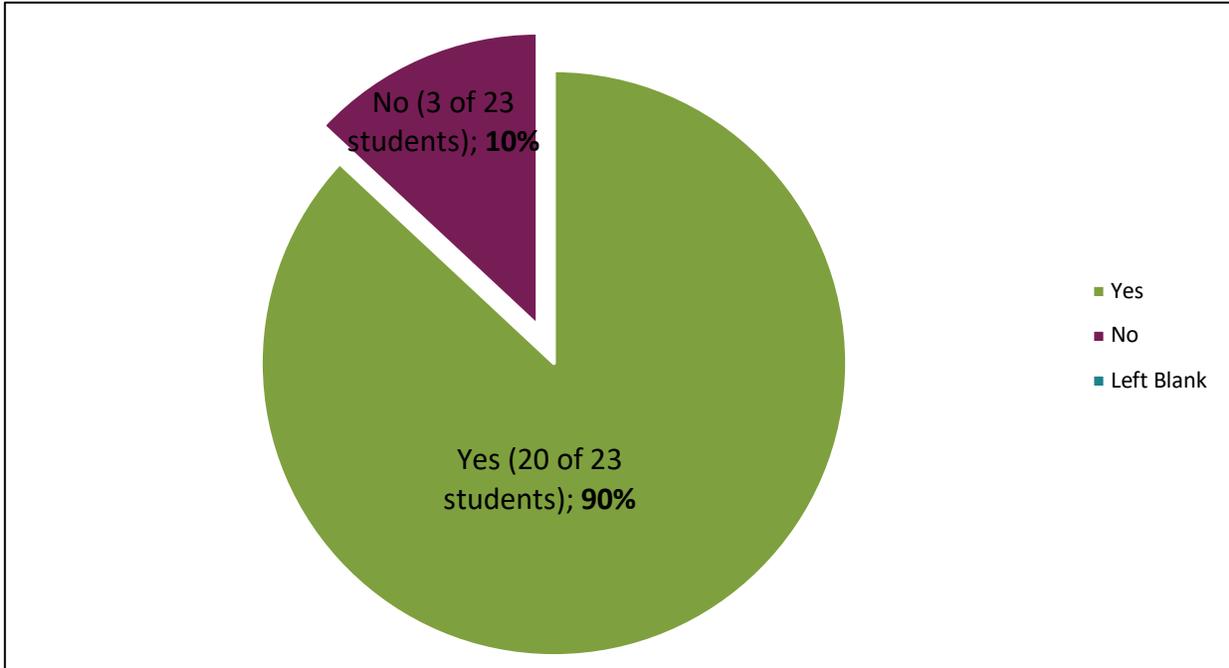
1. Are you more likely to reach out and talk to a friend or someone else you know about their relationship in terms of abuse, trauma, red flags you may see, etc. after today's talk?



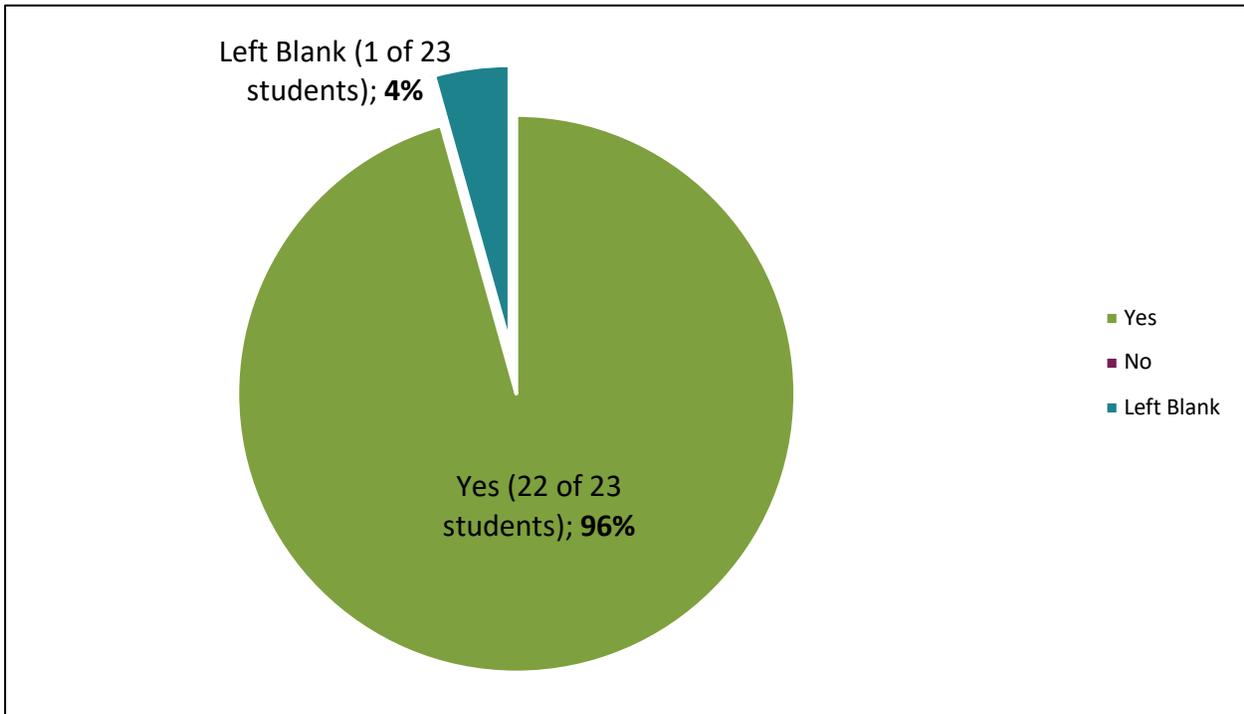
2. Are you more likely to evaluate your own relationships (romantic, friendships, teachers, coaches, family members, religious leaders, etc.) based on the red flags of abuse that you heard about today?



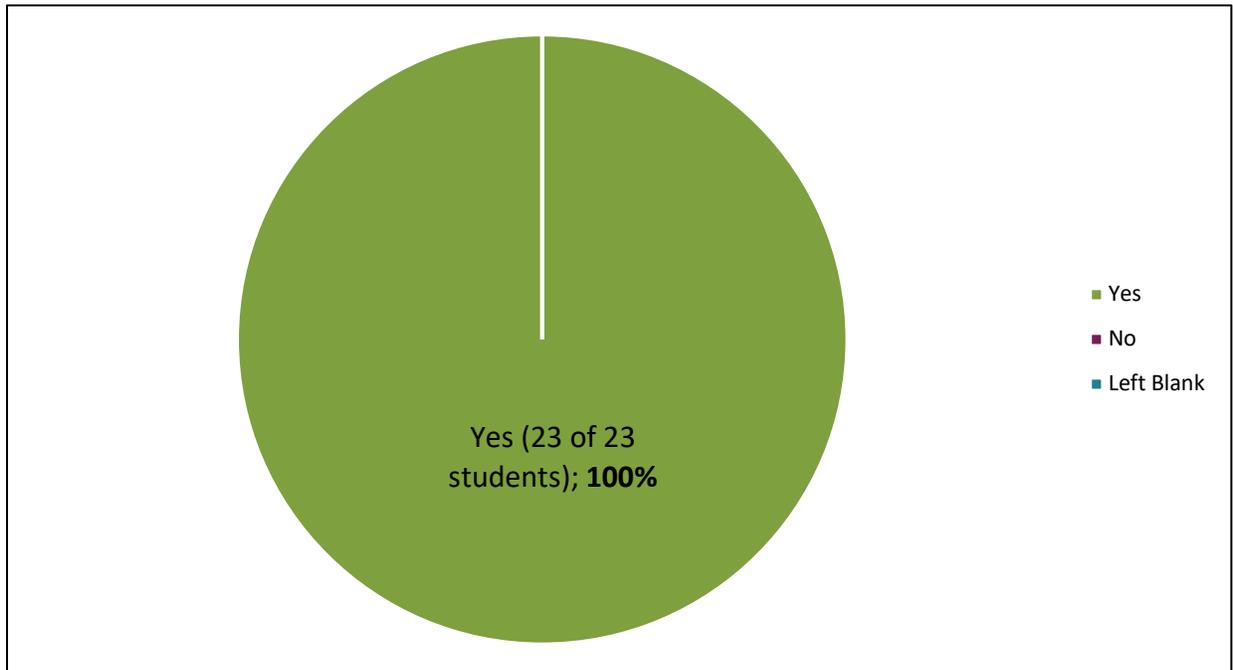
3. Are you more likely to reach out to a trusted friend, family member, teacher, coach, mentor, or professional about abuse you may have suffered after today's talk?



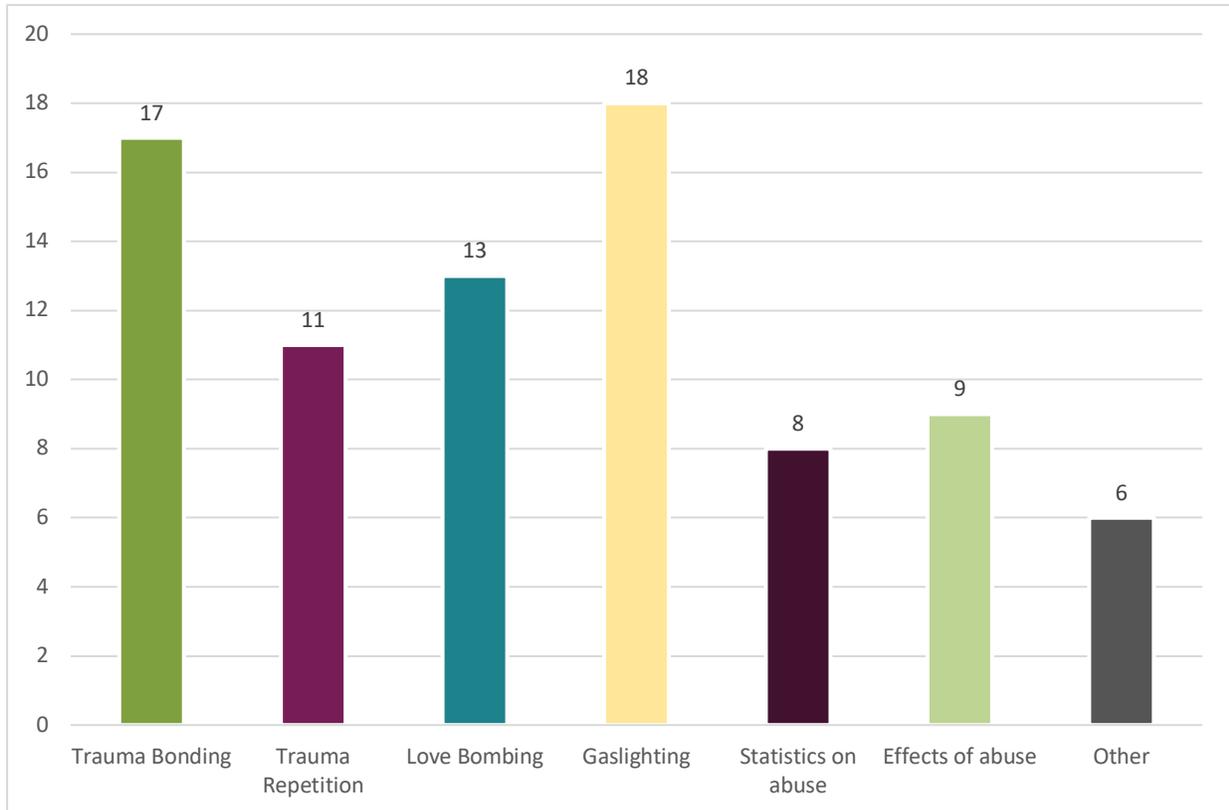
4. Are you more likely to seek and/or recommend trauma-focused treatment in therapy and/or trauma-informed educational resources after today's talk?



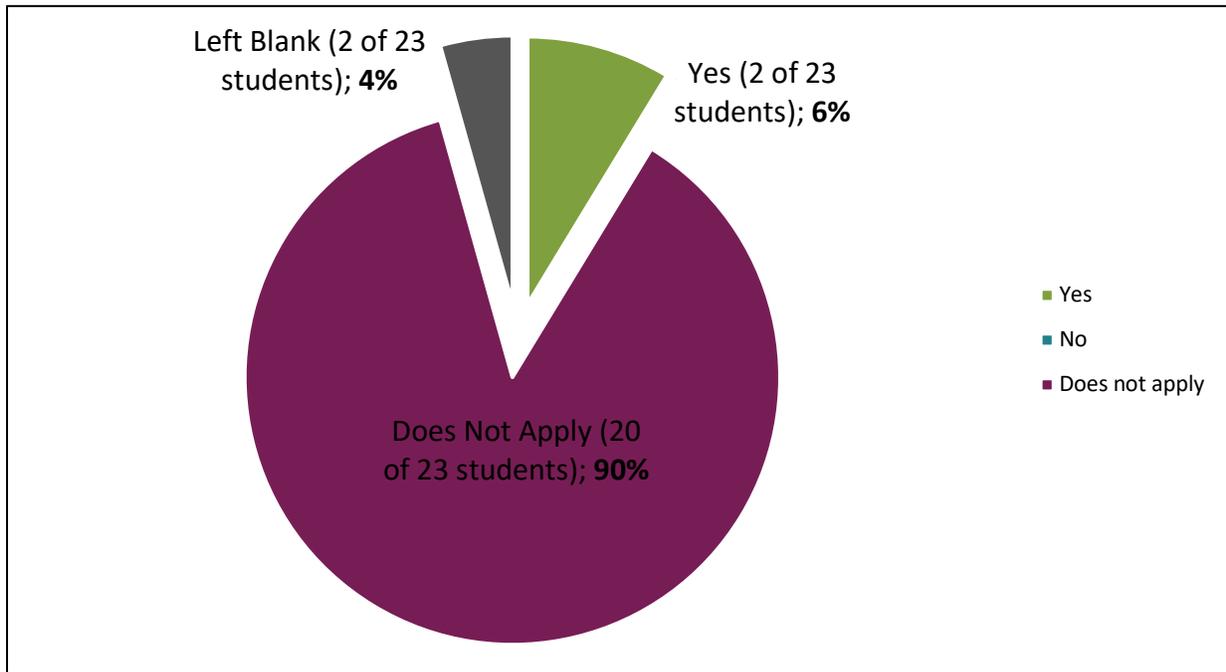
5. Did you learn something today that you weren't aware of before?



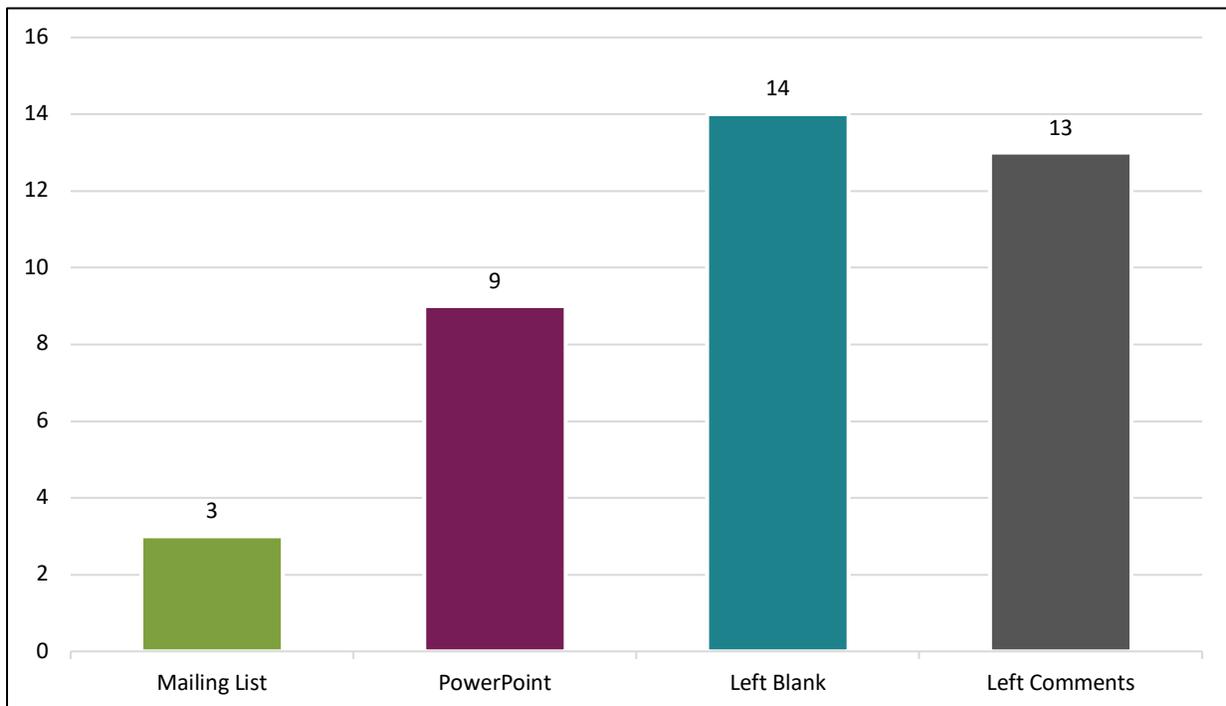
5. If yes, what? Circle all that apply.



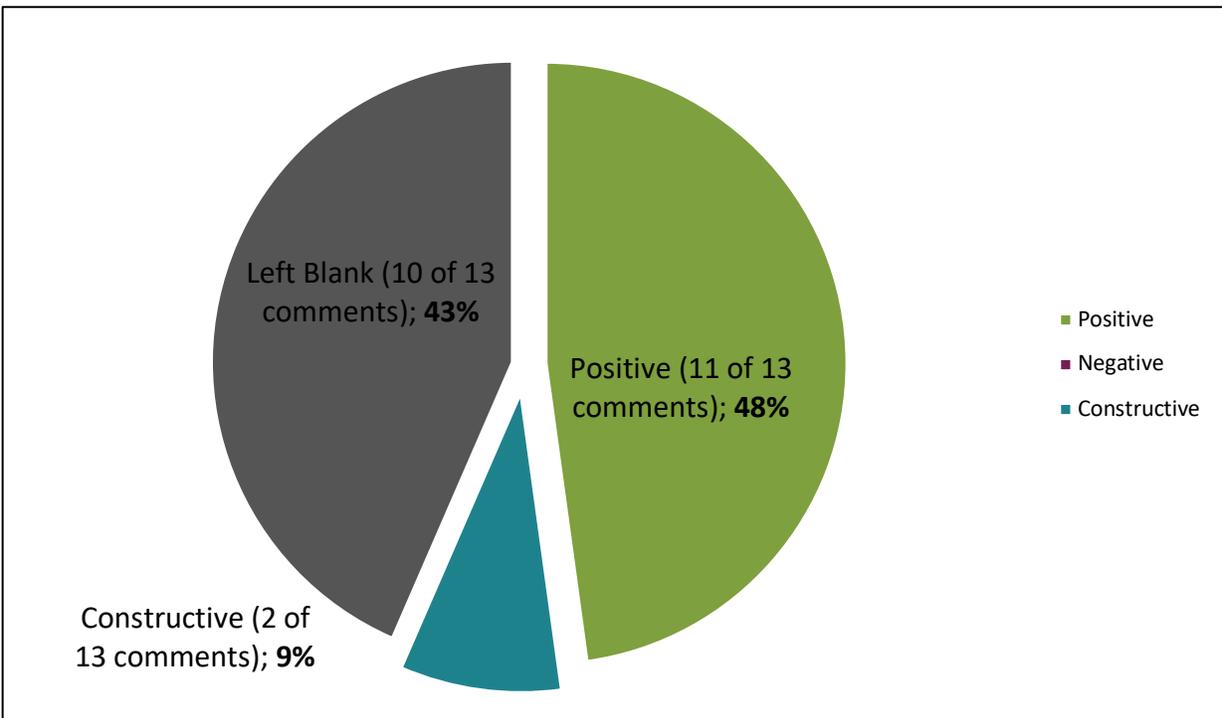
6. If you were someone who thought the victim was (even partially) to blame for abuse, did your view change after today's talk?



7. Comments? You may also leave your phone number and/or email address if you would like someone from the Healing TREE team to contact you about connecting you with resources, getting involved, joining our mailing list, and/or have the PowerPoint emailed to you (optional).



8. (Continued) Types of comments. Examples on following page.



Positive comments included:

“Encouraged a lot of self-reflection, emotional.”

“VERY informative talk; made me think in a new way.”

“Excellent talk, very informative.”

“I think the most valuable thing I learned from this talk was to look at those who have mental illnesses in terms of what happened to them instead of what’s wrong with them. Marissa is an amazing speaker and she’s very knowledgeable and I think everyone should hear her speak.”

“Marissa covered relevant content related to trauma/abuse, which was illustrated through media as well as her own personal story.”

“SO well done! Covered these issues from ALL angles. Thank you so much for coming!”

“The discussion was extremely engaging, informative, and personal.”