The Office of Diversity and Inclusion

The Intersectionality Workshop

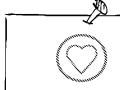


Objectives

- Define "Intersectionality" and review the history of the term
- Reflect on identity and engage with our own intersections
- Discuss the role of intersectionality in our work
- Learn tips and tricks for increasing inclusion in the workplace



Community Agreement



Come With Good Intentions and Assume Others Did As Well



Be Present



Confidentiality is Key: Knowledge Leaves, Identities Stay



Share the Floor

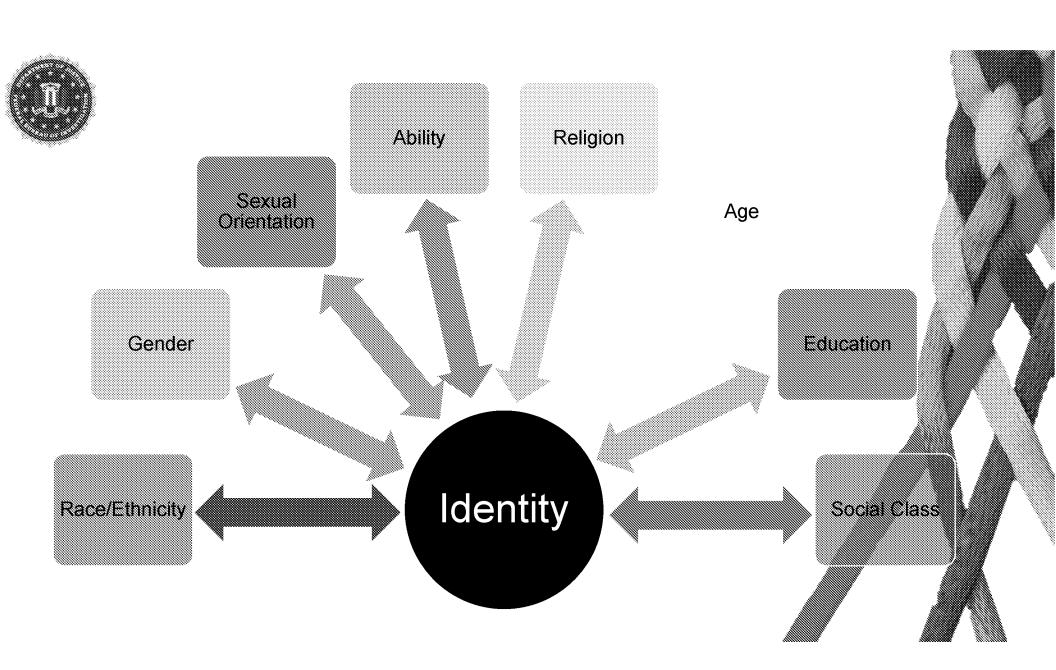


Ask Questions

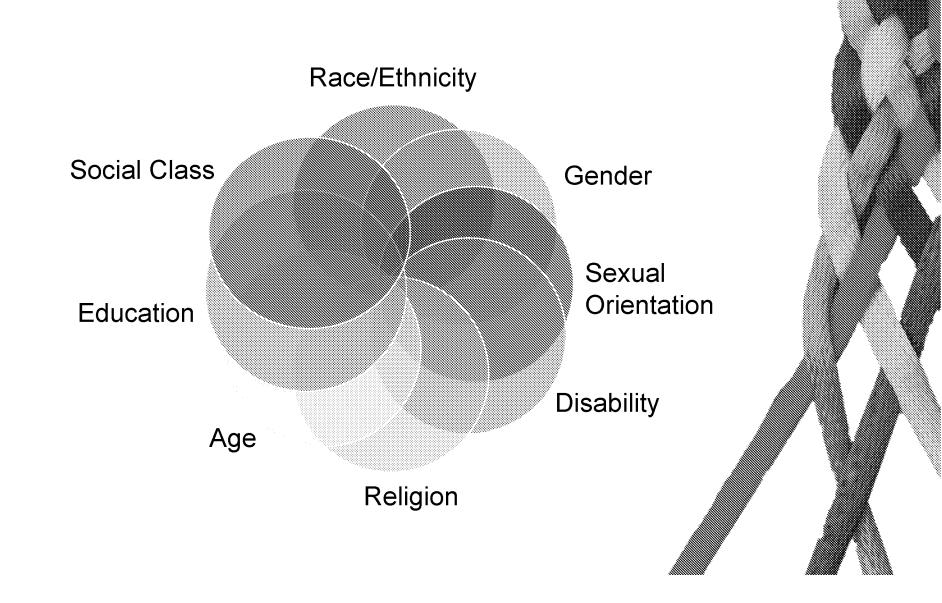


What is Intersectionality?

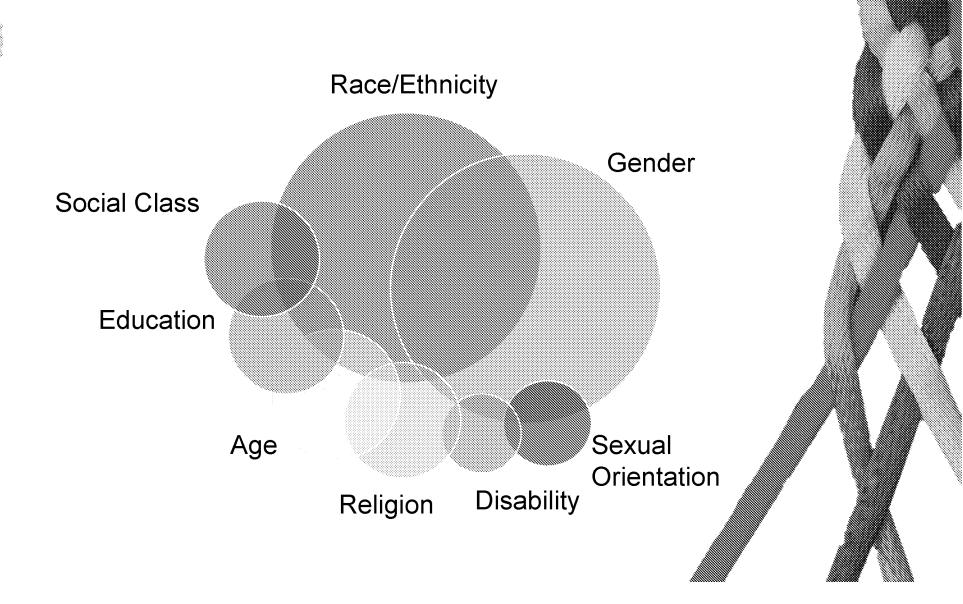
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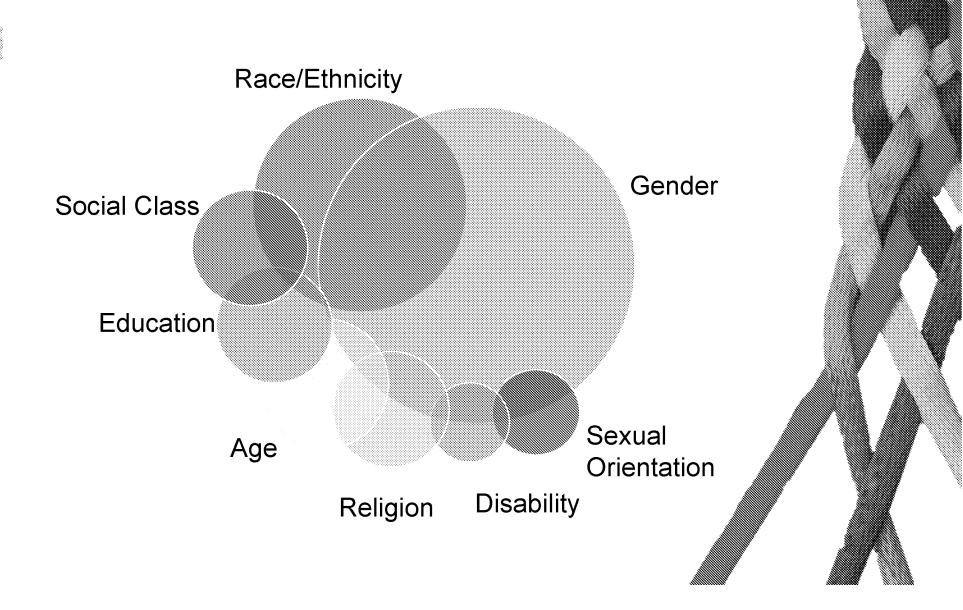




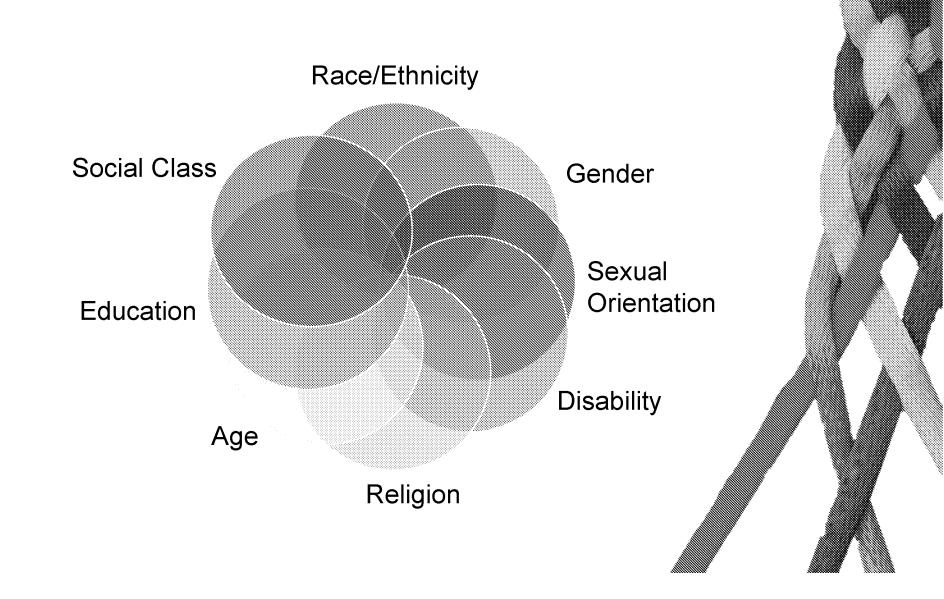










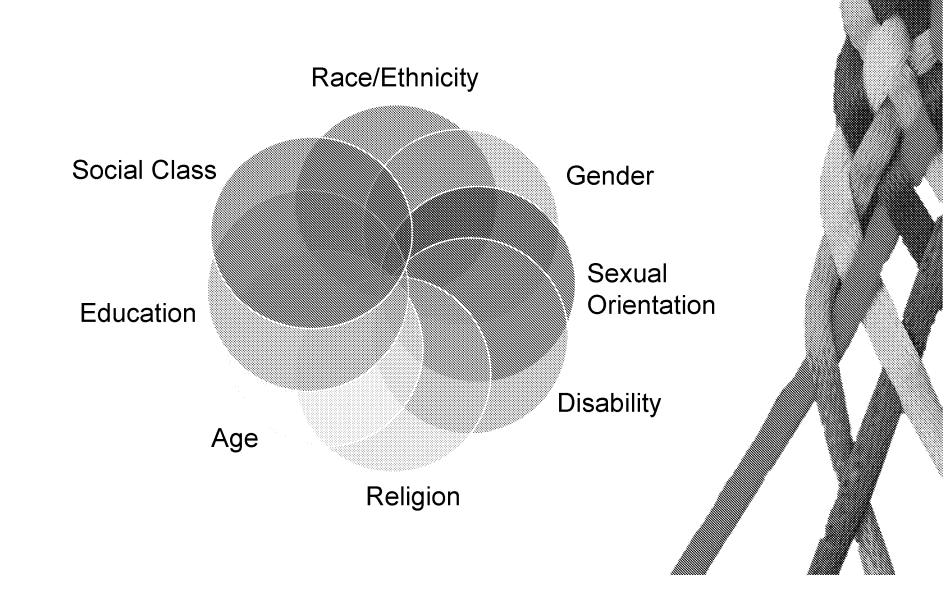




My Identities Activity









The part of my identity that I am MOST aware of on a daily basis is _____.



The part of my identity that I am LEAST aware of on a daily basis is _____.



The part of my identity that was most emphasized or important in my family growing up was



The part of my identity that feels the most invisible to my colleagues is_____.



The part of my identity that I wish I knew more about is



The part of my identity that I believe is the most misunderstood by others is _____



The part of my identity that I feel is difficult to discuss with others who identify differently is



The part of my identity that I value the most or am most proud of is



Intersectional Inclusion

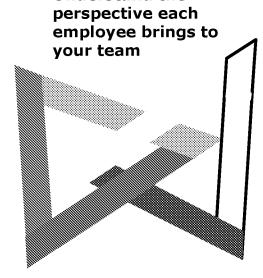




Intersectionality in the Workforce

We need to recognize and value one another's unique identities and their intersections

Respects everyone's identity and amplify other voices



Understand the

Value one another's unique experiences

Be aware that different situations may cause different people to feel uncomfortable because of their intersectional identities



Inclusion is for Everyone

- We are a more effective, better performing workforce when we work together
- Inclusion is beneficial for:
 - Recruitment
 - Retention
 - Promotion
 - Engagement
- Inclusion must be inclusive and deliberate



Inclusion Techniques

Technique

Be open to new experiences and people

Seek out alternative perspectives, listen Monitor your space and create an atmosphere of diversity and inclusion

Amplify others voices

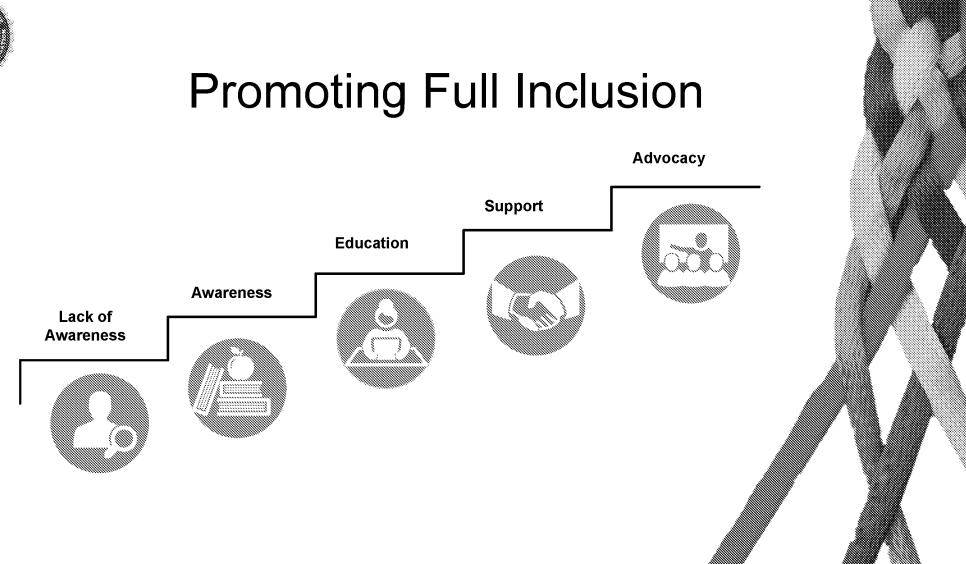
Example

Attend a parade or festival for a culture you aren't a part of

Ask the members of your team who are usually quiet for their input; establish an anonymous comment box on your desk

Hang up pictures that are representative of the workforce; use diverse stock images in presentations If you believe a coworker is being silenced or ignored, speak up for them, bring them back to the forefront by reiterating their ideas







Conclusion and Resources

- Office of Diversity and Inclusion
 - Resources Page
 - CCMS
 - Diversity Agent Recruitment (DAR)
 - Diversity Advisory Committees (DACs) and Employee Resource Groups
 - Diversity and Inclusion Coordinators
- Office of Equal Employment Opportunity Affairs (OEEOA)
- Ombudsman
- Employee Assistance Program (EAP)



Questions?

Thank You!

