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“My Brother's Keeper Alliance and MENTOR: Research to Practice: The Best Practices for Designing and Running Effective Mentoring Services for Boys and Young Men of Color”

will begin momentarily

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My Brother's Keeper Alliance Webinar Series

- Webinar 1: Cultural and Class Conflicts in Mentor-Mentee Matches
- Webinar 2: Overview of Mentoring Boys and Men of Color and Pathways to the Mentoring Effect
- Webinar 3: Review of the *Elements of Effective Practice for Mentoring Boys and Men of Color*
- Virtual Training 1: Knowing Thyself – Must Know Me to Build an Effective We
- Virtual Training 2: Getting to Know You – Let Me Meet You Where You Are
- Access these resources on MENTOR's website:
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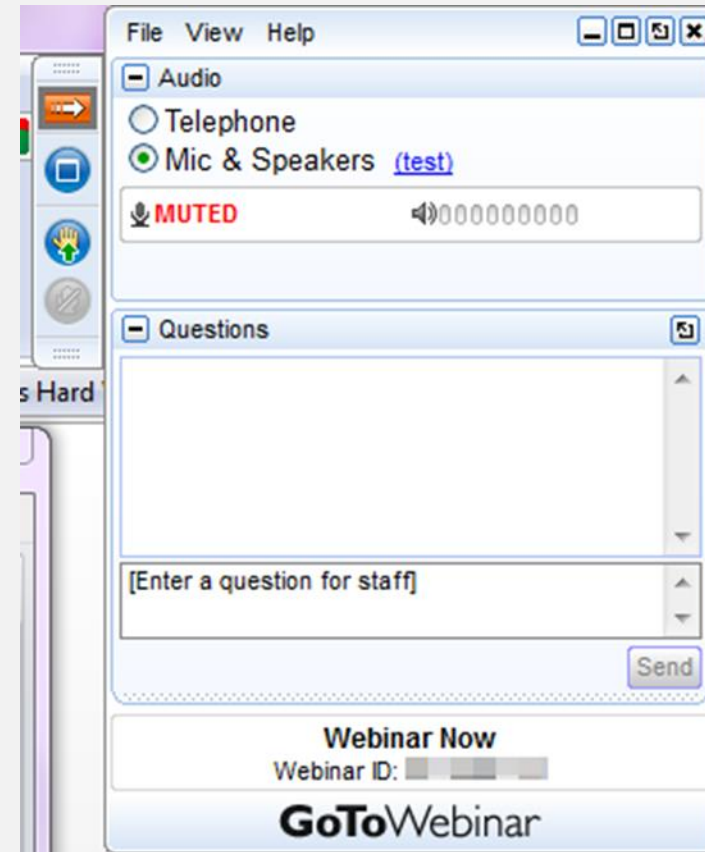
Additional Resources

- *Guidebook for Mentoring Boys and Young Men of Color*, available in mid-May
- *Mentoring Black Males* literature review, available in June



Participate in Today's Webinar

- All attendees muted for best sound
- Type questions and comments in the question box
- Respond to polls
- Who is with us today?



Today's Webinar

- Bernadette Sánchez, PhD, DePaul University
- Torie Weiston, PhD, Youth Mentoring Action Network
- Tommy McClam, Open Buffalo
- Diego Romero, Big Brothers Big Sisters of New York City
- Brian Sales, MENTOR: The National Mentoring Partnership

Bernadette Sánchez, PhD



- Professor of Community Psychology at DePaul University
- Expert in race, ethnicity, and culture in youth mentoring
- Serves on the Research Board of the National Mentoring Resource Center at MENTOR

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Torie Weiston



- Eleven years of teaching and youth programming experience
- Runs the Youth Mentoring Action Network
- Specializes in training mentors to work with diverse youth populations



Tommy McClam



- Deputy Director of Open Buffalo
- Provided national training and technical assistance efforts for YouthBuild USA's National Mentoring Alliance programs
- Oversaw over 150 one-on-one mentoring matches as Executive Director at Elim Community Corporation in Buffalo



Diego Romero



- Director of Community Outreach at Big Brothers Big Sisters of NYC
- Develops relationships that act as capacity building partnerships for the agency
- Volunteers on the board for the Sigma Lambda Beta NY Alumni Network and The Green Batti Project

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Brian Sales



- Director of Training and Technical Assistance at MENTOR
- 25 years of experience in youth development field
- Experience running school, community and foster care mentoring programs



Thoughts on...

**the matching process
across racial and ethnic
groups**

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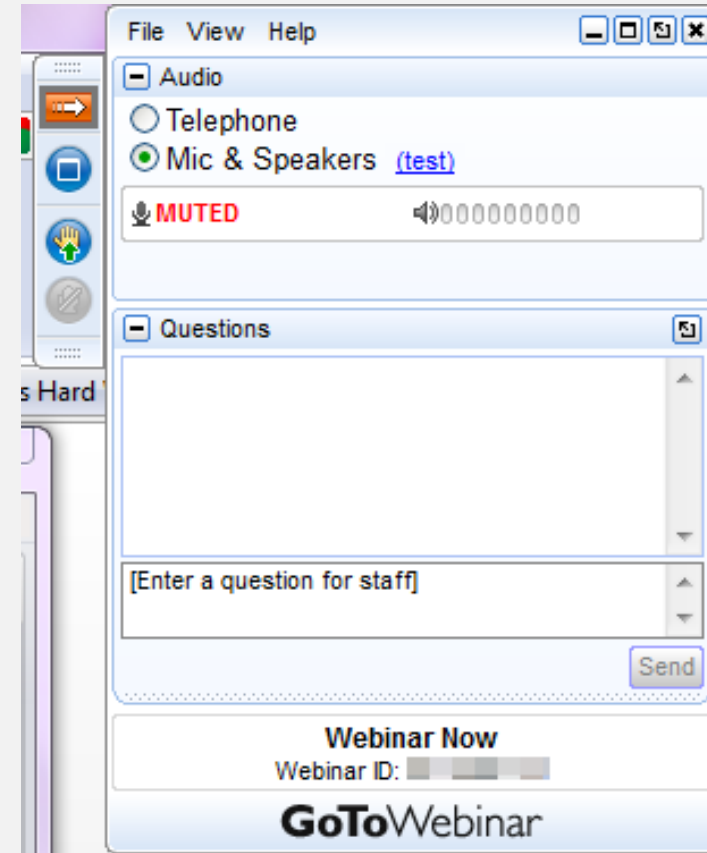
Thoughts on...

supporting mentees in
developing a positive ethnic
or racial identity



Q&A for all Panelists

Type your questions in the question box:



Thoughts on...

cross-cultural and cross-racial mentor matching and training

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Thoughts on...

mistakes mentors from different cultural/racial groups can make

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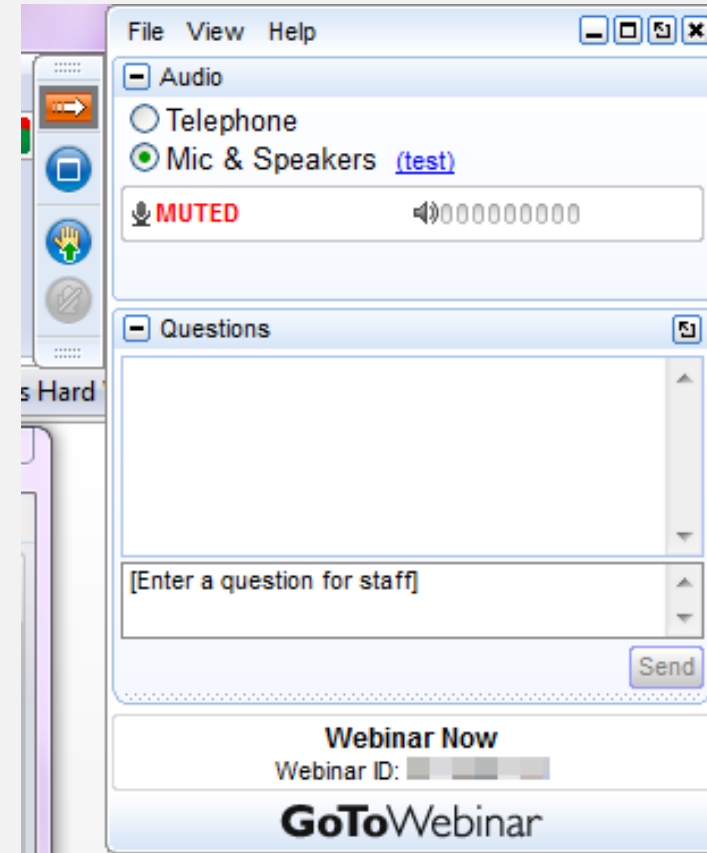
Thoughts on...

what a mentor of a young man or boy of color needs to remember



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Other considerations...





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- Be on the lookout for a [survey about your experience](#). As always, your feedback is greatly appreciated as we work to provide technical assistance that is valuable for your organization and community
- For more information on best practices in foundational mentorship, follow this [link](#) to access our innovative virtual training, “GETTING TO KNOW YOU, LET ME MEET YOU WHERE YOU ARE” powered by MENTOR: the National Mentoring Partnership
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