

TWO SPECIAL EVENTS

WITH AUTHOR,
**THERAPIST AND MASCULINITY EXPERT,
ANDREW P. SMILER, PH.D**

----- IN-PERSON OR VIA ZOOM -----

SEXUAL STEREOTYPES

**And the Modern Man:
HELPING THE NEXT GENERATION AND OURSELVES**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2022 - PUBLIC EVENT - CEUs WILL BE AVAILABLE

In this 2 hour presentation, Dr. Smiler will use media to examine stereotypes of male sexuality. Participants will then work in small groups to identify and challenge non-ideal portrayals of male sexuality. Later in the program, issues of online pornography, masturbation, erectile dysfunction and sex addiction will be addressed.

SEX IN A LONG-TERM RELATIONSHIP: Ups, Downs, and Sidesteps

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2022 - [FOR VICTORIES ALUMNI ONLY] - CEUs WILL BE AVAILABLE

Data-based information will be used to to examine “normal” frequency of sex, number of partners and the emotional aspects of sexuality. Sex as but one aspect of long-term relationships will be addressed, as well as how partners can talk about their sexual relationship and take responsibility for asking for what they want.

COVID POLICY

We adhere to CDC, local government standards. and venue location policy. *Mask maybe required.*

ADDITIONAL CEU WORKSHOP

CEU CREDITS: Individuals with LCSW, LCPC, LMFT, and licensed Psychologists are eligible to receive 3 CEU's. Please indicate your interest in CEU's when registering.

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Andrew P. Smiler, Ph.D.
America's leading expert on the masculine self

Andrew P. Smiler, Ph.D., is an author and licensed therapist with expertise in adolescent boys, men, and masculinity. He is the author of several books on these topics, including "Is Masculinity Toxic? A Primer for the 21st Century." and the award-winning "Dating and Sex: A Guide for the 21st Century Teen Boy" and Dr. Smiler is an author or co-author of more than 20 peer-reviewed publications, a past president of the Society for the Psychological Study of Men and Masculinities, and a past board chair of MaleSurvivor.org.

As a therapist, Dr. Smiler helps men and teen boys understand themselves and find better ways to communicate with the important people in their lives. His clinical work addresses anxiety, depression, ADHD, relationship issues, gender & sexual identities, and sexual dysfunction.

Dr Smiler's homepage: <https://andrewsmiler.com/>



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Victories supports a healthy masculinity that is affirming and constructive. Through vulnerability, compassion, communication, inclusion and trust, we can make our families and communities -- and our entire world -- a happy, safe and vibrant space so that every person can thrive.

All welcome, men & women.

DATE

FRIDAY, October 28, 2022
TALK BEGINS: 7PM - EVENING ENDS: 9PM

SATURDAY, October 29, 2022
TALK BEGINS: 9AM - ENDS: NOON

LOCATION - IN PERSON

HEARTWOOD CENTER - 1818 Dempster St, Evanston, IL 60202
 There is a parking lot on the east side of the Center, on the street and at the shopping center on the southwest corner of Dempster & Dodge avenues.

COST: FRIDAY \$50 - SATURDAY \$50
 (\$95 to attend both Friday & Saturday events)
 10% discount to Victories sustaining members.

REGISTER: Registration will get set up on our website. Folks can also register by calling the Victories main number: 312-604-5013, or by mailing a check made out to Victories to 5315 N. Clark St., Chicago 60640.

QUESTIONS: Please contact the Victories Office
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VIA ZOOM A link will be provided after registration and during the week of the event, via email.

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