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To everyone,

I am searching for the words that can somehow address the pain and injustice that those who wield power and control have inflicted on the Black community. This is not news, it is the history and legacy of the White power structure. The Domestic Violence/Intimate Partner Violence movement is based on and dedicated to ensuring safety and justice. During the pandemic, we have focused on what has been going on "at home." It is clear that we cannot and should not draw a line at anyone's front door. Our African American friends, colleagues, neighbors and families must be safe at home and safe away from home – from anyone and everyone who seeks to deny their peace, justice and voice. All of us must work in partnership to allow the voice of our communities to lead us to change. For those of us who are heard because of the color of our skin, or any other reason, we have an obligation to yield power and to promote safety and justice to those who are being abused and victimized whether that is due to the conduct of their intimate partner, their government, or any other person or entity. Please be safe and please reach out. We are a strong community. We can support change and we can find safety and justice together. Know that we are here if you need us.

Eve

For up to date information on the Coronavirus, please check the LA County Department of Public Health website: <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/>. Additional information is available from the CDC here: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html>.

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** sent on behalf of Back to the Basics **

Belly of the Beast is a Documentary Film that captures the fight for justice and the investigation of STERILIZATIONS AND EUGENICS PRACTICES IN CALIFORNIA STATE INSTITUTIONS.....Get your tickets! The film documents advocates and survivors Kelli Dillon, Cynthia Chandler, Robin Levi , Theresa Martinez , Corey Johnson, and many folks from Justice Now's past team who worked tirelessly and passionately to bring this truth to the light..

PREMIERES JUNE 11TH @330PM. Filmmaker Erika Akire Cohn took the very raw, timely, topic of eugenics and the destruction of communities of color through both medical abuse and imprisonment, and turned it into an inspirational story about how diverse people can rally together and persevere to make change. Here is the info.. 3:30PM PST/6:30 PM EDT – Start watching the film 5:00PM PST/8:00 PM EDT - Join us for a live Q&A

<https://ff.hrw.org/film/belly-beast?city=New%20York%20Digital%20Edition>

If people don't have tickets to the film, but want to join for the Q&A, they can register here: <https://primetime.bluejeans.com/a2m/register/rqezzhqj>

BELLY OF THE BEAST is having its world premiere at the Human Rights Watch Film Festival, where it is the Opening Night Film. Tickets are limited to the size of the theatre in NYC we would have screened in. 600 tickets to see the film digitally are available here: <https://ff.hrw.org/film/belly-beast?city=New%20York%20Digital%20Edition> to be screened on June 11th. If you aren't able to catch the film or don't get a ticket, the film will be publicly available with a digital release in a couple of months, and will be airing on PBS' Independent Lens in November. The Q&A is free and open to the public. You can register here: <https://primetime.bluejeans.com/a2m/register/rqezzhqj>

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