

Chicago Focus Groups on The Experiences of African American Girls in School



**Calling all African American Women Ages 18-25:
Did you leave or get kicked out of school before graduating?
If so, WE NEED YOUR HELP!**

The African American Policy Forum and the National Women's Law Center want schools and policymakers to make changes that will help African American girls succeed, so we want to learn more about the experiences of Chicago youth, including:

**Challenges to staying in school
Experiences with school discipline
Sex-, gender- or race-based harassment
Violence or trauma
Changes that could have made your experience better**

Saturday, May 17, 2014 at 1 p.m.
Roosevelt University, Wabash Building (WB 416)
425 S. Wabash Avenue
Chicago, IL 60605
Closest L stops: Jackson subway station, Library elevated station

Focus group will last approximately 2 hours

Participants will get:

- * Refreshments
- * Gift card
- * Reimbursement for public transportation cost
- * FREE on-site child care

**If you are interested, please contact Amy Tannenbaum at
202-319-3058 or atannenbaum@nwlc.org.**

Similar focus groups have been conducted in New York, Boston, and Atlanta.

Identities of all participants will be kept anonymous.