

# HearMeWA

The Youth Safety and Well-being Tipline

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**HearMeWA**

The process for selecting the name “HearMeWA” included market research, outreach to youth, and communication with stakeholders to ensure the program name is accessible.

## Youth survey and outreach

574 Responses



We launched an online survey to collect youth feedback on the program name.



We contacted organizations that provide services to deaf, hard of hearing, and nonverbal youth for their feedback and input on ways we can communicate about the program’s accessibility.



We will continue working with youth and other stakeholders to learn how to communicate about this program in an inclusive way.

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The Washington State Attorney General's Office (AGO) started developing the HearMeWA program in July 2021. This program will receive and respond to safety and well-being tips 24/7/365 via mobile app, phone, text, chat and website from Washington youth up to age 25.



- HearMeWA will triage tips to local schools, public safety responders, and/or county crisis lines and 988.
- The intent of HearMeWA is to build trust with youth and connect them to resources available in their community.
- The AGO is committed to using a youth-centered, trauma-informed, and antiracist lens throughout the development and implementation of this program.

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