

Combating Anti-Asian Racism in the Time of COVID-19: Resources*

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Reporting Hate Incidents: Spokane Area

Spokane Police Department's [Information on How to Report Hate Crime](#)

Spokane County Human Rights Task Force's [Hate Incident Report Form](#)

City of Spokane Human Rights Commission [website](#): it contains information on different types of complaints

Reporting Hate Incidents: National

[Stop AAPI Hate Project](#): Form available in English, Chinese (traditional & simplified), Korean, Thai, Japanese, Vietnamese, Khmer, Punjabi, Tagalog, Hmong & Hindi, etc.; also check out the [reports](#) they compiled. The website also offers [resources](#) such as safety tips.

[Stand Against Hatred Project](#): Form available in English, Chinese (traditional & simplified), Korean and Vietnamese; you can also check out the [report](#) they compiled. Asian Americans Advancing Social Justice, the organization behind this effort, has also compiled a very [comprehensive list of resources](#) addressing COVID-19 anti-Asian racism.

Bystander Intervention Resources

[Hollaback](#) - an organization dedicated to bystander intervention training to combat harassment and hate. In collaboration with Asian Americans Advancing Justice, they offered resources specifically addressing [anti-Asian coronavirus racism](#).

Learning for Justice - the website has a lot of bystander resources, and it also have resources specifically about coronavirus racism such as [How to Respond to Coronavirus Racism by Teaching Tolerance](#)

Educators Resources

[Yellow Peril Teach-In Resources](#) (resources to address coronavirus racism) - this Google doc contains a large amount of resources; teachers will be able to find materials they can use for their classes that are age appropriate.

[Anti-Asian Racism and COVID 19: A Teach-In](#) - webinar by PEN America

[A TownHall on Anti-Asian Racism: Race, Struggle and Solidarity In the Time of A Global Pandemic](#) - a frank and powerful conversation on COVID-19 anti-Asian racism with a panel made up of organizers and academics; it offers an intersectional perspective that also addresses dynamics within Asian American communities.

[Act-to-Change](#) - it has put together resources organized a series of virtual conversations specifically addressing anti-Asian discrimination in the COVID pandemic. Here's the [first](#) in the series.

[The long history of US racism against Asian Americans, from 'yellow peril' to 'model minority' to the 'Chinese virus'](#)

Asian Americans Advancing Justice – Los Angeles – [curriculum and lesson plans](#)

Zinn Education Project's [Teaching People's History in the Pandemic page](#)

[Racial Equity Tools' COVID-19](#) - Racial Equity & Social Justice Resources

Teaching Tolerance's website - it has a lot of COVID-19 resources (such as [this](#)) and general resources on topics related to diversity and equity.

[Facing History and Ourselves Support for Teachers During the COVID-19 Outbreak page - Protect Yourself and Stand Against Racism](#)

[NASP's Countering COVID-19 \(Coronavirus\) Stigma and Racism: Tips for Parents and Caregivers](#)

[A letter on xenophobia: a resource to assist adults in conversations on xenophobia with Asian American children](#)

[Act to Change's COVID-19 Resources To Fight Bullying And Hate](#)

Videos, Websites & Books to Learn More About AAPI Communities*

The Chinese Massacre of 1871 - here are a couple of videos on this history - [Recounting the Chinese Massacre of 1871](#) and [the Largest Lynching in US History](#)

[The Tacoma Method](#) - a website documenting the violent expulsion of Chinese in Tacoma in 1885 and other similar cases of anti-Chinese violence in Puget Sound and the rest of the U.S.

[The Omoide Project in Spokane](#) - a project to document the history of local Japanese Americans.

[Voices: Who Is Vincent Chin? | NBC Asian America](#) - this is a short video about the murder of Vincent Chin and the activism in Asian American communities across the U.S. To learn more, you can watch this excellent documentary [Vincent Who: The Murder of a Chinese American Man](#) on the Spokane Public Library's Kanopy Streaming site if you have a library account.

[PBS's 5-hour Series on Asian Americans](#)

[PBS's documentary on the Chinese Exclusion Act](#) - the Chinese Exclusion Act of 1882 is the first law that singled out a racial/ethnic group to prohibit them from migrating to the United States.

Yellow: Race in American Beyond Black and White - written by legal scholar Frank Wu, who has been recently appointed as the President of Queens College, CUNY.

Asian American History: A Very Short Introduction (a pocket book) and The Good Immigrants: How the Yellow Peril Became the Model Minority - written by Madeline Y Hsu

The Making of Asian America: A History and America for Americans: A History of Xenophobia in the United States - written by historian Erika Lee

Books by EWU History Professor: The Road to Chinese Exclusion: The Denver Riot, 1880 Election, and Rise of the West, Gold Mountain Turned to Dust: Essays on the Legal History of the Chinese in the Nineteenth-Century American West

*It is difficult to offer suggestions for resources that cover the histories and experiences of a group as diverse as Asian Americans. This list is meant as a starter for workshop participants.