

Running the Gauntlet: Girls Sport, Bullying and Initiations

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This presentation takes a look at the provocative area of sport bullying and initiations. Girls and women appear to be following age-old patterns of initiation established by boys and men in the sport, military, and private schools. Important here is the link between health of girls and women and the types of abuse they experience in the sport arena.



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