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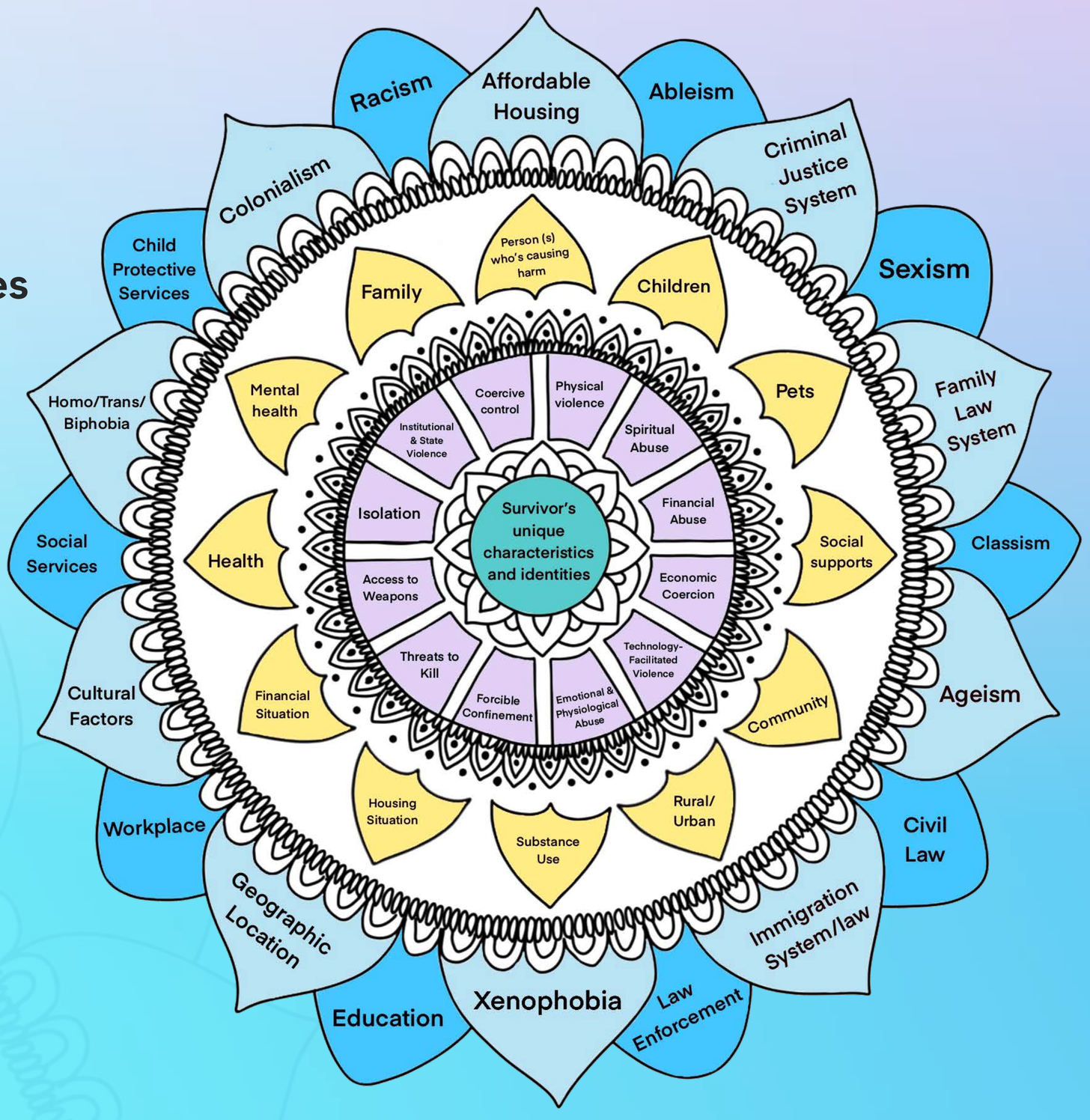
RISA FRAMEWORK

The key factors and circumstances that are essential to consider when assessing risk and safety with survivors of GBV



Institutional and Systemic Factors

Social and Interpersonal Factors

Experiences of GBV

A holistic account of an individual's unique experiences must be centered

Unlike a one-size-fits-all approach, the RISA Framework acknowledges that a holistic account of an individual's unique experiences must be centered during service provision and support services.

This includes considering the combination of a client's unique identity factors and experiences of violence, as well as their experiences of structural and institutional harms.