Factors Impacting Girls’ Declining Sport Participation:

Socialisation
Girls experience stereotypes based on gender expectations

Lack of Consideration
for different social identities

Structural Barriers
Related to the programming & politics within sport

Psychosocial Barriers
Lack of belonging, poor self esteem & low confidence in physical abilities

Participation
Doesn’t mean Inclusion

What are the next RESEARCH QUESTIONS?

HOW DO WE CREATE A MORE INCLUSIVE SPORT ENVIRONMENT?

Connecting Research to Social & Political Actions

Re-imagining Sport as a Place of Transformation

Intersectional Approaches: incl. gender+, race, ethnicity, (dis)ability, social class, sexual identity