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Keva is an IVLP alumna from The Bahamas who participated in the Combating Trafficking in Persons I program in February 2020. Over the course of two days, her program met with the Avery Center, Truckers Against Trafficking, ALIGHT, The Laboratory to Combat Human Trafficking, Colorado Human Trafficking, and The Human Trafficking Center. They traveled out of the Denver metro to explore Greeley, and participated in WorldDinners with local Denver families.

“Visiting Denver, Colorado was indeed a treat! For me, having the opportunity to see Denver covered in a light layer of beautiful snow was so captivating, considering I'm from a tropical climate. It was extremely cold but very very beautiful! I noticed as we drove from location to location, Colorado has a whole lot of farms which was also very beautiful to see. In New Providence, The Bahamas, which is where I'm from, normally everyone would farm in their backyard and we may have one or two farms here and there, but it was surprising to see how many acres of farmland there was and how everything was so well kept regardless of the snow.

I can report that I am great despite the ongoing global events. I'm working very hard as usual but working with expectations in furthering my learning experience by overcoming new challenges. The WorldDenver program arranged for us was beyond beneficial. I was literally reminiscing with a colleague a few minutes before I saw this email, about meeting one of the Survivors of Trafficking at the University of Northern Colorado, and how it made me appreciate the work that I did. Speaking with her after the meeting was so inspiring for me to see how someone came from something so dark and cruel and became a much needed beacon of light to so many other victims.”

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