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Students and administrators at the Women's Center discussed the possibility of "Feminist Week" last night at an organizational meeting.

The week, slated for mid-November, will feature two panel discussions, one focusing on the negative connotations of the word feminism, and the other on the concept of orgasm.

The center also plans to sponsor a forum on contraception with the Reproductive Freedom Alliance (RFA) during the week.

Stephanie Ellis, CC '93, said the forum on contraception was a good idea, but expressed

her concern that the RFA might not promote the morning after pill as a means of contraception.

Coordinator of the Women's Center Karla Olivier, a third-year student at the School of Law, said she hoped the week would provide the center with a greater visibility on campus.

"It would be neat to have more exposure on the center if we have a women's week," she said.

Organizers also discussed the possibility of a workshop on self-defense and a forum discussing women and AIDS.

-- Maurice Toueg