

Dating Violence Awareness Resources & Materials

Arkansas Coalition Against Domestic Violence

<http://www.domesticpeace.com>

Click: **Education** link. Sub links: information regarding the Power & Control Wheel; Cycle of Violence; Why Abused Stay; Stop the Violence; Teen Dating Violence; and Safety Plan.

Break the Cycle: Empowering Youth to End Domestic Violence

<http://www.breakthecycle.org/>

Click: **Learn About Dating Violence** link.

Sub links include: Warning Signs; Legal Protections; and Dating Violence Research.

Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) – Injury Prevention & Control: Division of Violence Prevention

http://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/intimatepartnerviolence/teen_dating_violence.html

This link includes information about dating violence, consequences of dating violence, why dating violence occurs and a list of available resources and publications. Included are CDC TV's *Break the Silence: Stop the Violence* video, and *Dating Matters*, a training program for educators on working with teens to understand the risk factors and warning signs associated with teen dating violence.

The link also includes information regarding the following hotlines:

- National Domestic Violence Hotline <http://www.thehotline.org/>
- National Teen Dating Abuse Helpline <http://www.loveisrespect.org/>
A 24-hour national web-based and telephone helpline created to help teens (ages 13-18) experiencing dating abuse.
- Teen Dating Violence - <http://www.cdc.gov/Features/DatingViolence/index.html>
- Dating Matters[®] Initiative - <http://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/datingmatters/>
- VetoViolence - <http://vetoviolence.cdc.gov/> Violence Education Tools Online

Don't Let Yourself

www.dontletyourself.org

This website includes a series of short videos: *Teen Dating Violence*; *Signs & Cycles*; *Safety Planning*; and *Undocumented Victims*. The website also includes printable resources for classroom discussion and activities.

Kids Health – Abusive Relationships

http://kidshealth.org/teen/your_mind/relationships/abuse.html

Healthy Relationships = Respect & Trust. Topics include: *Am I in a Healthy Relationship?*; *How to Break Up Respectfully*; *Dealing with a Bully*; *Date Rape*; *Abuse*; and various other teen related topics on dating.

Story of DJ Williams on ESPN E:60

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FxASKtmkQtQ>

Former Arkansas Razorback D.J. Williams tells his story of growing up in an abusive home as a child and how he was able to escape the violence.

Youth.gov-Topics

<http://youth.gov/youth-topics/teen-dating-violence>

Topics include: *Characteristics of Healthy vs Unhealthy Relationships*; *Prevalence*; *Electronic Aggression*; *Gender Considerations*; *Risk Factors*; *Prevention Programs*; *Consequences*; *Legal Responses*; and *Victim & Survivor Resources*. Videos and podcasts are also located on this website.

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Youth.gov-Resources

<http://youth.gov/youth-topics/teen-dating-violence/resources>

Information on the National Domestic Violence Hotline, The National Centers for Victims of Crime, The National Dating Abuse Helpline, Break the Cycle , and Love is Respect.

U.S. Department of Health & Human Services-Office of Adolescent Health-Healthy Relationships

<http://www.hhs.gov/ash/oah/adolescent-health-topics/healthy-relationships/>

Topics include: Dating; Bullying, LGBT; Dating Violence; Healthy Friendships; and Talking with Teens.

That's Not Cool

<http://www.thatsnotcool.com/>

Interactive website addresses issues of technology dating abuse (Callout Cards link), interactive games related to texting (Games Link) and resources included in the Need Help? link.

National Center on Domestic and Sexual Violence: Hotlines

http://www.ncdsv.org/ncd_linkshotlines.html

Links to resources and materials regarding issues on violence against women.

National Center for Victims of Crime: Bulletins for Teens: Dating Violence

<https://www.victimsofcrime.org/help-for-crime-victims/get-help-bulletins-for-crime-victims/bulletins-for-teens>

Links to informational resources for teens.

National Conference of State Legislatures

<http://www.ncsl.org/research/health/teen-dating-violence.aspx>

Information concerning Teen Dating Violence, State Laws on Teen Dating Violence, and links to *Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month*: <http://teendvmonth.org/2015/>

Child Welfare Information Gateway-Teen Dating Violence Prevention Programs

<https://www.childwelfare.gov/topics/systemwide/domviolence/prevention/teen-dating/?hasBeenRedirected=1>

Various resources on dating violence programs.

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

<http://www.nih.gov/>

Type in *Dating Violence* in the search bar for a series of articles pertaining to teen dating violence research. The website also includes *NIDA for Teens* article (2012) on teen dating violence and alcohol abuse. <http://teens.drugabuse.gov/blog/post/teen-dating-violence-help-prevent-it>

Arkansas Commission on Child Abuse, Rape, and Domestic Violence

<http://www.accardv.uams.edu/domestic-violence.asp>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Dating Matters™: Strategies to Promote Healthy Teen Relationships

<http://vetoviolence.cdc.gov/apps/datingmatterscapt/>

Dating Matters Capacity Assessment and Planning Tool.