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Teen dating abuse is physical, sexual, or emotional abuse (including stalking) that occurs between teens and pre-teens in a relationship. It can take place in person or online, and can involve a current or past partner (CDC, 2016; p. 5 in resource guide).

Teen dating abuse is quite common, affecting around one in ten high school students. The 2015 Youth Risk Behavior Survey (2015 data, p. 4) found that 9.6% of high school students had been physically hurt (hit, slammed into something, or injured with an object or weapon) by a dating partner on purpose within the past year. This was higher among female students (11.7%) than male (7.4%) students. Sexual violence was even more common, with 10.6% of students reporting being forced to do something sexual (kissed, touched, or physically forced to have sexual intercourse) within the past year by a dating partner. Again, more female students (15.6%) reported this than male students (5.4%).

These statistics are particularly troubling given the lasting impact that teen dating abuse can have on victims. Students who experienced dating abuse were more likely than those who hadn't to report being bullied on school grounds and missing school because they felt unsafe (Vivolo-Kantor, 2016; p. 7). Those who experience teen dating abuse are more likely than those who haven't to become depressed or anxious, use drugs or alcohol, or become suicidal. Victims of teen dating abuse are also at an increased risk for being abused in future relationships (CDC, 2016; p. 5).

This resource guide provides links to organizations, programs, publications, and resources focused on preventing teen dating abuse. It is divided into six sections: (1) national organizations; (2) prevention programs and interventions; (3) data, fact sheets, infographics, and toolkits; (4) policy and legislation; (5) special populations; and (6) research.

## **NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS**

#### **Break the Cycle**

http://www.breakthecycle.org

#### **Futures Without Violence**

https://www.futureswithoutviolence.org

# National Domestic Violence Hotline – Teen Resources

http://www.thehotline.org/2013/02/25/dating-abuse-resources-for-teens

# National Online Resource Center on Violence against Women (VAWnet.org)

http://vawnet.org

Resources about teens: http://www.vawnet.org/ special-collections/TDV.php

### **HOTLINES**

Love Is Respect

1 (866) 331-9474

http://www.loveisrespect.org

#### **National Domestic Violence Hotline**

1 (800) 799-SAFE

http://www.thehotline.org

#### **National Organization for Victim Assistance**

1 (800) TRY-NOVA

http://www.trynova.org

#### **National Sexual Assault Hotline**

1 (800) 656-HOPE

https://www.rainn.org/about-national-sexual-assault-telephone-hotline

Online hotline: https://www.rainn.org/aboutnational-sexual-assault-online-hotline

### National Resource Center for Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month

http://www.teendvmonth.org

#### That's Not Cool

https://thatsnotcool.com

### PREVENTION PROGRAMS AND INTERVENTIONS

#### Choose Respect | CDC Veto Violence

https://vetoviolence.cdc.gov/apps/datingmatters/respect.html

#### Dating Matters | CDC Veto Violence

https://vetoviolence.cdc.gov/apps/datingmatters

#### In Touch with Teens | PreventIVP.org

https://preventipv.org/materials/touch-teens-relationship-violence-prevention-curriculum-youth-ages-12-19

#### Start Strong: Building Healthy Teen Relationships

http://startstrong.futureswithoutviolence.org

# Building Healthy Teen Relationships: An Evaluation of the Fourth R Curriculum with Middle School Students in the Bronx | National Institutes of Justice (2017)

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Adolescents Exposed to Domestic Violence |
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Interventions to Prevent and Reduce Teen
Dating Violence | Journal of Adolescent Health (2015)

Leviton LC, Herrera D, Miller S

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# PROGRAMS FROM CRIMESOLUTIONS.GOV

The following programs have been evaluated as effective or promising on CrimeSolutions.gov.

- The Fourth "R" Curriculum (Promising)
- It's Your Game... Keep It Real (Promising)
- Risk Detection/Executive Function Intervention (Promising)
- · Safe Dates (Effective)
- Shifting Boundaries (Promising)
- Social Learning/Feminist Intervention (Promising)
- Youth Relationships Project (Promising)

Lessons Learned in Evaluating a Multisite, Comprehensive Teen Dating Violence Prevention Strategy: Design and Challenges of the Evaluation of Dating Matters: Strategies to Promote Healthy Teen Relationships | Psychology of Violence (2016)

Niolon PN, Taylor BG, Latzman NE, Vivolo-Kantor AM, Valle LA, Tharp AT http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/vio0000043

Using School Health Centers to Promote Healthy Relationships in Adolescents | National Institute of Justice (2017)

https://www.nij.gov/topics/crime/intimate-partner-violence/teen-dating-violence/Pages/using-school-health-center-to-promote-healthy-relationships-in-adolescents.aspx

#### **DATA**

The National Intimate Partner and Sexual Violence Survey: 2010 – 2012 State Report | CDC (2017)

Smith SG, Chen J, Basile KC, Gilbert LK, Merrick MT, Patel N, Walling M, Jain A https://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/pdf/NISVS-StateReportBook.pdf

Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS) | CDC

https://nccd.cdc.gov/youthonline/App/Default.aspx

# **FACT SHEETS, INFOGRAPHICS, AND TOOLKITS**

#### Connecting the Dots Toolkit | CDC Veto Violence

https://vetoviolence.cdc.gov/apps/connecting-the-dots

#### Teen Dating Violence Prevention Infographic | CDC (2015)

https://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/intimatepartnerviolence/teen\_dating\_violence\_infographic.html

# Teen Dating Violence in the United States: A Fact Sheet for Schools | Office of Safe and Healthy Students (2013)

https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/oese/oshs/teendatingviolence-factsheet.html

### **Understanding Teen Dating Violence Fact Sheet | CDC (2016)**

https://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/pdf/teen-dating-violence-factsheet-a.pdf

### **POLICY AND LEGISLATION**

### **Teen Dating Violence | National Conference of State Legislatures**

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

# The Impact of State Policy on Teen Dating Violence Prevalence | Journal of Adolescence (2015) Hoefer R. Black B. Ricard M

https://doi.org/10.1016/j.adolescence.2015.07.006

### **SPECIAL POPULATIONS**

#### Asian & Pacific Islander Institute on Domestic Violence

http://www.apiidv.org

#### Casa De Esperanza

http://www.casadeesperanza.org

# Institute on Domestic Violence in the African American Community

http://www.idvaac.org

#### **Tribal Institute**

http://www.tribal-institute.org/lists/domestic.htm

#### **FORGE** (for transgender individuals)

http://forge-forward.org

## **CSN WEBINARS**

Connections Between Bullying and Other Types of Violence: Family Violence, Sexual Harassment, and Dating Violence (2015)

https://www.childrenssafetynetwork.org/webinar/connections-between-bullying

# Preventing Adolescent Dating Abuse: Research and Practice (2016)

https://www.childrenssafetynetwork.org/webinar/preventing-adolescent-dating-abuse

Adolescent Pornography Use and Dating Violence among a Sample of Primarily Black and Hispanic, Urban-Residing, Underage Youth | Behavioral Sciences (2016) Rothman EF, Adhia A

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Young Adults: A Comparison of Timeline
Followback Interview and Interactive Voice
Response Methods | Journal of Interpersonal
Violence (2016)



Rothman EF, Heeren T, Winter M, Dorfman D, Baughman A, Stuart G https://doi.org/10.1177/0886260516681154

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Dating Violence Experiences of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Youth | Journal of Youth and Adolescence (2014)

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Model Protocol: Screening Practices for Domestic Violence Victims with Disabilities | Washington State Coalition Against Domestic Violence (2010)

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Prevalence of Dating Violence among Sexual Minority Youth: Variation Across Gender, Sexual Minority Identity and Gender of Sexual Partners | Journal of Youth and Adolescence (2015) Martin-Storey A

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Risk and Protective Factors for Sexual and Dating Violence Victimization: A Longitudinal, Prospective Study of Latino and African American Adolescents | Journal of Youth and Adolescence (2015)

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Teen Pregnancy, Parenting, and Dating Violence | Break the Cycle (2009)

https://www.breakthecycle.org/sites/default/files/Teen%20Pregnancy,%20Parenting,%20and%20 Dating%20Violence.pdf

Violence Exposure and Teen Dating Violence among African American Youth | Journal of Interpersonal Violence (2015)

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Adolescent Perceptions of Dating Violence: A Qualitative Study | Journal of Interpersonal Violence (2017)

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Adolescent Relationship Abuse and Reproductive and Sexual Coercion among Teens | Current Opinion in Obstetrics and Gynecology (2013)

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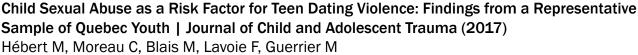
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