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Color ME Aware – Awareness Days

Tuesday April 26, 2022

IPV / Stalking Awareness

Find additional IPV information in the Victim Impact Curriculum.

Look for chapter 10 in the Victim Impact Manual.

1 in 7 stalking victims relocate as a result of their victimization.



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1 woman is battered every 9 SECONDS.

1 in 3 women and 1 in 4 men have experienced some form of physical violence by an intimate partner.

84 Stalking cases are reported every hour.

20 people per minute are victims of physical violence by an intimate partner in the US.

1 in 6 women has been stalked during their lifetime, compared to 1 in 19 men.

Estimated cost of IPV is in excess of \$5.8 billion ANNUALLY. Nearly \$4.1 billion is in direct cost for medical and mental health services of victims.

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Awareness Activity Ideas:

Effects of Emotional and Physical Abuse: Have a topic group using examples of IPV found in the Victim Impact Program. Ask participants to identify behaviors that are more difficult to recognize as examples of intimate partner violence.

Violence Wheel— Have participants complete the “Violence Wheel” Worksheet in the Victim Impact participant book on pages 79 & 80.

Cycle of Violence—Create a Topic Group that discusses the Cycle of Violence diagram found on page 81 of the Victim Impact participant book. Journal and discuss the questions in small groups, then summarize in the larger group.

Healthy / Unhealthy Behaviors: Have a discussion related to behaviors and how they can be considered healthy or not in a relationship. Use examples found in the Victim Impact curriculum, on social media, or from participants own lives. Discuss how to reframe context, and turn unhealthy to healthy.

Feel free to get creative and come up with additional awareness activities.



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