

# Module Three

## Anti-Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying and Teen Relationship Abuse in Schools and on School Buses

### Resources

#### **ACT: Adults and Children Together Against Violence**

A violence prevention project for adults who raise, care for and teach infants and children up to age 8. It is designed to prevent violence by providing young children with positive role models and environments that teach nonviolent problem solving. The project includes a national media campaign and training for community professionals.

<http://actagainstviolence.apa.org/>

#### **APA Help Center from the American Psychological Association**

Under topics is a feature on warning signs of youth violence.

<http://www.apahelpcenter.org>

#### **Breaking the Male Code**

A Conversation with Jimmie Briggs, Joe Ehrmann, Tony Porter, Dave Zirin on ending violence against women and girls, and to examine how we can change rape culture while looking at the issues of patriarchy, sex education, and the role of the media in reporting sexual violence.

<http://new.livestream.com/vday/breakingthemalecode/videos/14824754>

#### **Bullying.org**

See, read and hear the impact that bullying has on people's lives on this Canadian Web site.

<http://www.bullying.org>

#### **CDC Bullying Fact Sheet, 2011**

[http://www.cdc.gov/ViolencePrevention/pdf/Bullying\\_Factsheet-a.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/ViolencePrevention/pdf/Bullying_Factsheet-a.pdf)

#### **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)**

Youth Violence Prevention and scientific information on prevention strategies.

<http://www.cdc.gov/ncipc/dvp/YVP/default.htm>

#### **Center for the Study and Prevention of Violence**

The Center's national initiative called Blueprints for Violence Prevention has identified 11 prevention and intervention programs that meet a strict scientific standard of program effectiveness.

<http://www.colorado.edu/cspv/blueprints/index.html>

## **Creating Safe Schools for Lesbian and Gay Students**

A resource guide for school staff

<http://members.tripod.com/~twood/guide.html>

## **Dating Matters**

*Understanding Teen Dating Violence Prevention* is a 60-minute, interactive training designed to **help educators**, youth-serving organizations, and others working with teens understand the risk factors and warning signs associated with teen dating violence. <http://vetoviolence.cdc.gov/datingmatters/>

## **Dear Colleague Letter**

“The U.S. Department of Education and its Office for Civil Rights (OCR) believe that providing all students with an educational environment free from discrimination is extremely important. The sexual harassment of students, including sexual violence, interferes with students’ right to receive an education free from discrimination and, in the case of sexual violence, is a crime.”

<https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/letters/colleague-201104.pdf>

## **Girls Health**

Bullying resources for educators and students

[http://www.girlshealth.gov/educators/bullying\\_educators.htm](http://www.girlshealth.gov/educators/bullying_educators.htm)

## **The Hamilton Fish Institute on School and Community Violence at George Washington University**

Provides information, research and support to make schools safer for high achievement.

<http://gwired.gwu.edu/hamfish>

## **Health Resources and Services Administration:**

### **Stop Bullying Now! Educators Corner**

The *Stop Bullying Now!* Activities Guide is a handbook of ideas for implementing the Stop Bullying Now! Campaign in schools or communities, and a video Toolkit DVD contains Web podcasts, PSAs and video workshops. Order the guide online (see additional resources) or call (888) ASK-HRSA.

<http://www.stopbullyingnow.hrsa.gov/adult/indexAdult.asp?area=teacherscorner>

## **Keep Schools Safe**

Provides answers to questions about gangs, violence and aggression in youth.

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

## **National Association of School Psychologists**

*A Framework for School-Wide Bullying and Prevention Safety*

[http://www.nasponline.org/resources/bullying/Bullying\\_Brief\\_12.pdf](http://www.nasponline.org/resources/bullying/Bullying_Brief_12.pdf)

## **National Education Association**

Help for parents and school safety resources

<http://www.nea.org/schoolsafety/index.html>

### **National Crime Prevention Council**

School safety assessment

<http://www.ncpc.org/topics/school-safety>

### **National Resource Center for Safe Schools**

Offers eight school safety technical guides

<http://www.safetyzone.org>

### **National School Safety Center**

School safety solutions, school safety products, free resources, statistics and media resources.

<http://www.schoolsafety.us>

### **National School Transportation Association**

“NSTA has been the Washington voice for private contractors, manufacturers, and suppliers for more than 40 years. Our mission is to provide school transportation professionals with the tools and resources they need to make school buses safe, secure, affordable, and efficient nationwide. We believe that with the right information, training, and resources, school transportation professionals can strengthen their businesses and provide higher quality service to school districts.”

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

### **National Youth Violence Prevention Resource Center**

Warning signs and tools for educators

<http://www.safeyouth.org>

### **Ohio Association for Pupil Transportation**

“...affiliate of the Ohio Association of School Business Officials, and the premier association for pupil transportation administrators in the State of Ohio. Members are provided with professional development opportunities on a monthly basis, networking opportunities, and resources that promote responsibility in the safeguarding of tax dollars.” <http://oapt.org/>

### **Ohio Department of Education**

Bullying-prevention resources for families, schools and communities in Ohio

<http://www.ode.state.oh.us/> , keyword search: *bullying prevention*

### **Ohio Department of Health**

Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Prevention Program

<http://www.odh.ohio.gov/odhPrograms/hpr/sadv/sadv1.aspx>

**Ohio Domestic Violence Network and Ohio Department of Health: Empowerment Evaluation Toolkit: Aligning Curriculum Content Area and Outcome Objectives**

[http://www.odvn.org/images/stories/RPEItemBank\\_RevisedJune2012.pdf](http://www.odvn.org/images/stories/RPEItemBank_RevisedJune2012.pdf)

**Primary Prevention Article** <http://www.odvn.org/images/stories/Chapter11.pdf>  
Graffunder, C., Cline, R, and Lane, K. taken from the Sourcebook on Violence Against Women by Renzetti, Edleson, and Bergen (August 2, 2010), pp. 209-226.

### **Risk and Protective Factors**

[http://www.odvn.org/images/stories/pdf/Risk\\_and\\_Protective\\_Factors\\_Tip\\_Sheet.pdf](http://www.odvn.org/images/stories/pdf/Risk_and_Protective_Factors_Tip_Sheet.pdf)

### **Safe Schools, Healthy Students**

A comprehensive approach to youth violence prevention

<http://www.sshs.samhsa.gov/initiative/about.aspx>

### **Safe Supportive Learning Environments**

Training - Preventing, Assessing, and Intervening in Teenage Dating Abuse: A Training for Specialized Instructional Support Personnel

<http://safesupportivelearning.ed.gov/index.php?id=1511>

### **School Safety Profiler**

Free tool to measure perceived safety in schools.

<http://www.rippleeffects.com/needs>

### **Stop Bullying**

A federal government resource managed by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. [www.stopbullying.gov](http://www.stopbullying.gov)

### **Students Against Violence Everywhere (SAVE) – Youth Voices...Grown-Up Choices!**

SAVE is a national, school-based, nonprofit organization created by students for students that promotes the virtues of peace, civility and nonviolence by helping students of all ages learn how to care for other people.

<http://www.nationalsave.org>

### **Teaching Tolerance**

Free educational materials for teachers and other school practitioners dedicated to reducing prejudice, improving intergroup relations and supporting equitable school experiences for our nation's children. <http://www.tolerance.org/>

### **Teen Dating Violence Awareness and Prevention Month**

Key Policy Letters from the Education Secretary and Deputy Secretary **February 28, 2013** <http://www2.ed.gov/policy/gen/guid/secletter/130228.html>

### **Teen Dating Violence Fact Sheet**

[www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/pdf/TeenDatingViolence2009-a.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/pdf/TeenDatingViolence2009-a.pdf)

### **Teen Dating Violence Prevention Teacher Training**

<http://www.odvn.org/images/stories/TeacherTraining.pdf>

### **Teen Relationship Abuse Statistics and fact sheets**

<https://www.breakthecycle.org/surveys>

### **Teen Relationship Violence: A Resource Guide for Increasing Safety**

[http://www.odvn.org/images/stories/TeenRelationshipGuidewithCorrectP7\\_Final\\_10.25.10.pdf](http://www.odvn.org/images/stories/TeenRelationshipGuidewithCorrectP7_Final_10.25.10.pdf)

### **The American School Bus Council**

“The American School Bus Council is a coalition of the school transportation community committed to providing safe, effective, efficient and healthy transportation for the more than 25 million schoolchildren who ride more than 480,000 school buses each day.”

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

**The Continuum of Evidence of Effectiveness** is a tool that clarifies and defines standards of the Best Available Research Evidence. In Understanding Evidence, the Continuum is applied specifically to the field of violence prevention, but it can be used to inform evidence based decision-making in a wide range of health-related areas.

<http://vetoviolence.cdc.gov/evidence/#&panel1-8>

### **Veto Violence**

This tool from the CDC walks participants through the basics of violence prevention and includes tabbed sections for education and creating success stories.

[www.vetoviolence.org](http://www.vetoviolence.org)

**Why it Matters** video, showcased on the site, click here:

[http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YVKLPtm5XMY&feature=player\\_embedded](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YVKLPtm5XMY&feature=player_embedded)

### **Youth Change**

Teacher professional development workshop, classroom management, techniques, solutions.

<http://www.youthchg.com>

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