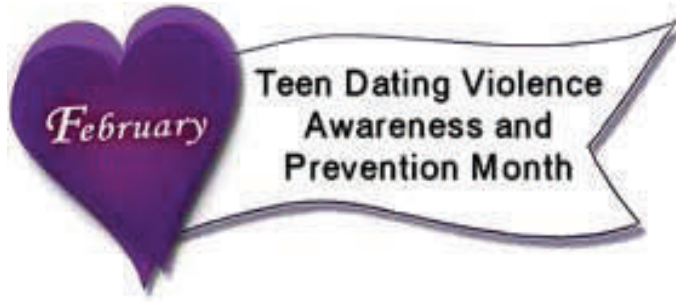


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**Parents recognize the signs concerning abusers:**

- Blames others for his problems or feelings
- Uses force during an argument, physical and emotional
- Has a history of abusive relationships
- Uses drugs and alcohol
- Verbally abusive and threatens
- Unpredictable mood swings
- Isolates partner from friends and family
- Is extremely jealous, and
- controlling



**Are you going out with someone who...**

1. Has an explosive temper
2. Gets too serious about the relationship too fast
3. You fear– you worry about how he/she will react to things you say or do
4. Won't let you break up him/her
5. Does not accept responsibility for his/her actions
6. Blames you when he/she mistreats you; tells you that you provoked him/her
7. Is excessively jealous
8. Pressures you or is forceful about sex
9. Is violent: has a history of fighting, abuses animals, brags about mistreating others
10. Tries to control you by making all the decisions

**Parents recognize the signs concerning someone being abused:**

- Depression
- Changes in mood or personality
- Use of drugs/alcohol
- Will become isolated
- Makes excusers for the abusers behavior
- Physical Signs of bruises or injuries
- Emotional outburst, not just mood swings
- Begins to put himself/herself down
- Failing grades
- Increased instances of indecision, stops giving her own opinion

Welcome .....Gloria Stuart

Symbolization.....Ricardo Hernandez

Speech.....Jessica Castillo

Introduction of Guest Speaker .....Myriam Jimenez

Guest Speaker.....Michelle Herrera

Video Presentation.....Michelle Herrera