

## S.T.A.H.L. NEWS

STUDENTS TALKING ABOUT HEALTHY LIFESTYLES

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# omestic Violence Awareness N

Since 1981, October has been recognized as Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Domestic violence is an issue that impacts <u>all people</u>, regardless of race, ethnicity, nationality, age, religion, sexual orientation, gender, economic status, or ability. **Domestic** violence is a public health issue, not a private matter between two or more people. Therefore, we must come together to take a stand against domestic violence in order to create and maintain communities free of violence.

Intimate partner violence accounts for 15% of all violent crime. -NCADV

Lesbian, gay, and bisexual individuals are statistically more likely to be victims of domestic violence. –CDC

On average, nearly 20 people per minute are physically abused by an intimate partner in the United States. -NCADV

### Domestic Violence

Domestic violence can be discussed using other phrases, such as intimate partner violence, relationship violence, or dating violence. These interchangeable phrases all include abuse, a pattern of behavior used to establish power and control over another person. Abusive behavior can be psychological, sexual, emotional, economical, or physical in nature.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### Tables/Displays

**10/16:** DV Awareness, 12pm - 1:15pm, Folger

10/21: DV Awareness, 12pm - 2pm, Stephenson Hall

10/28: Silent Witnesses & DV graveyard, 11am - 12:30pm,

Stephenson Hall

10/30: DV Awareness, 11am - 1pm, North Dining Hall

All month: Silent Witnesses, 24/7, various residence halls \*See social media for locations\*

#### Events/Presentations

10/19: What's Love Got to Do with It?, 6pm - 7pm, Zoom **10/26:** It's on US volunteer training, 7pm - 8pm, Zoom \*All zoom links can be found on social media\*



Each tombstone contains a statistic or resource to promote Domestic Violence Awareness.

UP HAVEN PROJECT Haven-project@iup.edu: (724) 357-3947 upporting Survivors Twitter/Instagram: @IUPHaven topping Violence Facebook: IUP Haven Project



If you or someone you know is a victim of violence, help is available. You're not alone.

#### **Campus and Community Resources**

University Police......724-357-2141 Police....

Advocacy/24 hour crisis hotline

\*Alice Paul House (Indiana)......724-349-4444

<u>Counseling</u>
\*\*The IUP Counseling Center.....724-357-2621 Education

The Haven Project......724-357-3947

Reporting

University Police......724-357-2141 Student Support & Community Standards

......724-357-1264 Title IX Coordinator......724-357-3402

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