

Abusive Partner Intervention Program (APIP) Resources

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PCH=Person Causing Harm

[ENGAGING MEN - Futures Without Violence Futures Without Violence](#)

[Programs for Men Who Use Violence - Futures Without Violence Futures Without Violence](#)

[STEPS to End Family Violence - RisingGround.org](#)

Our STEPS To End Family Violence cadre of programs is committed to both healing and prevention. We work with survivors and their families to overcome histories of abuse to find positive paths forward. Meanwhile, we work with youth, schools, courts, legislators, and the community at large to advocate for a greater understanding of healthy relationships and how intimate partner violence can lead to any number of subsequent challenges. We are explicitly committed to naming the survivorship of people whose experiences have historically been ignored.

[Home - House of Ruth Maryland \(hruth.org\)](#)

[Abuse Intervention Programs - House of Ruth Maryland \(hruth.org\)](#)

[Safe Horizon- A Safe Way Forward](#)

A Safe Way Forward (SWF), a preventive program, offers an innovative and holistic response to families affected by intimate partner violence. In this model, we provide comprehensive trauma-informed care to the whole family, including the person causing harm (PCH), while maintaining an unwavering focus on safety for both adult survivors and children. Families will participate in safety planning, case management, clinical treatment, coaching, and group-based support. All services will hold the goals and long-term trajectories of the family as core to healing.

<https://www.acalltomen.org/> - A Call to Men

[Teen Relationship Abuse Prevention Program \(RAPP\)](#)

Through a comprehensive curriculum, students learn to recognize and change destructive patterns of behavior before transitioning into adult relationships. RAPP fosters a climate that discourages abusive behavior in all of its forms—promoting a safe and productive learning environment for students and staff.

[Initiatives - ENDGBV \(nyc.gov\)](#) – Respect and Responsibility Curriculum

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Program Background

Engaging abusive partners in non-mandated programming is a critical opportunity to provide interventions in relationships where there is intimate partner violence. Recognizing that the vast majority of intimate partner violence is not reported to law enforcement, the City developed the *Interrupting Violence at Home* (IVAH) initiative, to implement abusive partner intervention programming (APIP) in communities. A key program of IVAH is *Respect and Responsibility* (R&R), the City's first non-mandated program for adult abusive partners in intimate partner relationships. The *Respect and Responsibility* (R&R) demonstration project seeks to establish an evidence-base and ensure a program design that maintains a focus on survivor safety and survivors' experiences while being tailored to the needs of abusive partners to optimize voluntary engagement in the program.

<https://menstoppingviolence.org/> - Men Stopping Violence

<https://www.emergedv.com/> - EMERGE

Massachusetts group creates **country's** first hotline for domestic abusers:
<https://www.wbur.org/hereandnow/2023/02/16/domestic-abusers-hotline>

A Call for Change: 877-898-3411 (available 12 hours/day)