

# **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE**

**\*Detailed descriptions and Clips are available on our website**

## **New! BEHIND CLOSED DOORS: Children Who Witness Domestic Violence**

This video addresses the impact that witnessing domestic violence has on the developing brain of infants and children. It will demonstrate the effect on their behaviour and relationships and the long term consequences for their future. In Part One, clinical psychologist, Dr Sandra Wieland, gives a clear and understandable explanation about what is happening for a child living in a violent home, while the accompanying scenes, from the child's perspective, bring us into their world and their experience. These scenes are gender neutral. Part Two focuses on the steps that parents and caregivers can take to help children survive this experience with the best possible outcome.

*#15837/2130 25 minutes 2014 \$199.95 \*CC \*SA*



## **BREAKING BARRIERS: Reaching South Asian Abused Women**

A unique program designed to increase awareness of anyone who assists South Asian women who are abused by their husbands. Recommended for social workers, teachers, counselors, therapists, doctors, nurses, lawyers, judges, law enforcement officials.

*#8737/1585 67 minutes 1993 \$89.95 \*SA*

## **BREAKING PEACES: Babies Have Their Say About Domestic Violence**

Represents what prenatals, infants and toddlers would say - if they but had a voice, and if we would actually listen - about experiencing domestic violence. Intriguing and strangely moving; in this case 1000 words have no pictures.

*#13465/0925 17 minutes 2002 \$79.95 \*SA*

## **BRIDGING THE RIVER OF SILENCE**

The story of three women who have been violently assaulted by their spouses and who have turned to the criminal justice system for help. An excellent tool for any group attempting to build support mechanisms for battered women. "This video will do much to advance understanding."

*#7190/0355 46 minutes or #8399 65 minutes 1993 \$129.95 \*SA*

## **BATTERED AND BROKEN: Victims of Domestic Violence**

With great intensity and candor this video tells the story of a woman who removed herself from an abusive relationship, found healing for herself and started an organization to help other battered women to do the same. Very moving.

*#11741/0203 30 minutes 2005 \$149.95 \*SA*

## **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND CHILDHOOD TRAUMA**

How is domestic violence passed from one generation to another? Would it not seem more likely for an adult who suffered or witnessed family violence as a child to resolve not to partake in violence when they grow up? So why don't they? Viewers learn how the trauma inflicted in childhood rebounds in this perverse manner in adults.

*#14077/1120 29 minutes 2002 \$99.95 \*CC*

## **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND CHILDREN**

Severely wounded, their mother kept crying out, "Please don't kill me! Please don't kill me!" What effects do the sights and sounds of domestic violence have on the malleable minds of children? *#10729/0635 14 minutes 1999 \$79.95 \*CC*

## **HONOURING RESISTANCE SERIES**

Practitioners in the victim services, mental health, social services, and criminal justice systems will find this series exciting, refreshing and immediately useful. This approach can be used with any victim of ill treatment or trauma, both children and adults: victims of spousal abuse, elder abuse, survivors of residential schools, victims of sexual abuse, armed robbery, accidents and disasters. Program 1: HONORING RESISTANCE: A Workshop with Allan Wade 60 minutes, includes Viewer Guide Program 2A: HONORING RESISTANCE: A Response-Based Client Interview, 22 minutes Program 2B: INTERVIEW COMMENTARY, CLIENT REFLECTIONS AND SUMMARY, 80 minutes. *#10088/2040 Two DVDs 2005 \$299 \*SA*

## DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: A Portrait of Abuse Series (3 Programs)

A powerful and compelling series in three parts that not only raises our social awareness of the effects and cycles of domestic violence, but digs into the psyche of both the victim and aggressor to better understand how a new outcome can be realized. PART ONE - An overview of the incidence and prevalence of domestic violence. Also introduces the views to the women who were abused either physically, psychologically, emotionally, and/or sexually as they tell their stories. 15 minutes PART TWO - Healthcare professionals describe the characteristics of abusive men, and one man, who identifies himself as a former perpetrator, speaks about his aggressive actions toward his wife and how intervention helped him change his behaviors and restore his relationship. 15 minutes PART THREE - This is a dramatization of a battered woman who is brought into the emergency department by her abusive husband. Demonstrates identification of a victim, interviewing her in a private place, notification of authorities, and providing her with information about help available to her are explored. 27 minutes. Series #11670/0430 Three programs 2008 \$879.95 \*CC \*SA

### FAMILY VIOLENCE: An Overview

Family violence is about power and control and the children in the family have the least power are often the ones most harmed, even if they themselves aren't the direct target of attack. This program defines, explains, and suggests prevention, response, and treatment approaches. #14783/1027 25 minutes 2011 \$129.95 \*CC \*SA

### FAMILY VIOLENCE: Impact on Children - for Caregivers and Educators

This program features experts, practitioners, and ordinary folks who, with impact and experience, awaken the viewer to take action in order to prevent physical and psychological injury to innocent children. #14782/1027 25 minutes 2011 \$129.95 \*CC \*SA

### FAMILY VIOLENCE: Impact on Children - for Parents

Many parents seem simply to be unaware of the damage that family violence and abuse, whether physical, emotional or psychological, does to their children in both the long and short term. This video explains in detail just how catastrophic this kind of behavior can be. #14781 25 minutes 2011 \$129.95 \*CC \*SA

### IMPACT OF VIOLENCE ON CHILDREN

Kids today live in a volatile world where violence in the school, home, and streets is, unfortunately, an increasingly common occurrence. This program looks at the sources of violence that affect children. #7383 28 minutes 1995 \$119.95

### HIDDEN VICTIMS: Children of Domestic

**Violence** - This powerful and revealing program profiles four families and reveals the impact domestic violence experiences have on children both short and long-term. #7696/0190 45 minutes 2000 \$189.95

### IT'S NOT LIKE I HIT HER! "Best documentary I've ever seen."

It's not about arguing or disagreeing; it is about chronic criticism, verbal degradation, intimidation and isolation imposed on women to keep them in a socially and emotionally unsupported position and finally crush the spirits of their female partners. Tools for confronting and ending this type of abusive behavior and the treatment options available for abusers are covered. #7189/1322 23 minutes 2000 \$179.95 \*CC \*SA

### ONE HIT LEADS TO ANOTHER

The combination of detailed descriptions by abused women and great dramatizations helps both male and female viewers to understand the realities of spousal abuse, what motivates this kind of activity, and reveals the myths that surround it. Low self-esteem, rather than straight anger, is the central causal issue and the ability to quit habitual spousal abuse is as problematic as recovery from any other addiction. #7807/2130 15 minutes 1991 \$179.95 \*CC \*SA

### TIME TO CHANGE

"I'm so sorry...it'll never happen again." Oh really? Is there effective treatment for stopping men who are abusers? This highly recommended sequel to ONE HIT LEADS TO ANOTHER (see above) utilizes superior dramatizations to make viewers aware that spousal abuse just will not stop by itself. Treatment is required. #7798/2140 26 minutes 1992 \$179.95 \*CC \*SA

### WAKING UP TO VIOLENCE

Powerfully depicts abusive men defending, rationalizing and denying their violence against women. Breaking through these excuses is a basic step in getting these men to stop this destructive behavior. #10099/2040 59 minutes 2000 \$169.95 \*SA

### ROOM FULL OF MEN (A)

About male violence toward women and about men who are struggling to understand and change their violent behavior. Part I examines the dimensions of abuse and its roots in values and beliefs. Part II focuses on the individual stories of the men themselves. #7799/0810 48 minutes 1991 \$129.95 \*SA



## **LAST HIT (THE): Children and Violence** \*Multi-award winning including CINE GOLD EAGLE

This culturally diverse video focuses on children ages 6 to 12 who earnestly and candidly share their experiences and viewpoints on what constitutes violence and the best ways to avoid it. Deals with violence encountered in multiple settings - the home, relatives, school. Although primarily intended for elementary school age children, the video also offers viewpoints important for parents and helping professionals. #14656/0697 12 minutes 1999 \$89.95 Grades K to 3 \*SA

## **LET'S TALK ABOUT IT: Domestic Violence**

Does domestic violence have a different face in the visible minority community? Xiomara Fuentes, Amandeep Kaur, and Nneka - three wives beaten and humiliated by their husbands - are the subjects of this program, which gives a voice and a face to a spreading epidemic of spousal abuse. #11528/0635 46 minutes 2005 \$149.95

## **ONE VOICE: Domestic Violence**

This series consists of three thirty-minute programs that defines domestic violence and identifies the helping profession's as well as the community's standards of care. **A SOCIAL REALITY** - defines domestic violence and explores the socially accepted myths about the cause.

**IDENTIFYING VICTIMS AND BATTERERS** - identifies the helping profession's standards of care on approaches, tools, and assessment strategies used to identify physical, emotional, and social injuries that occur with domestic violence.

**INSTITUTIONALIZED INTERVENTIONS** - defines community standards of care for individuals affected by domestic violence and presents an organized approach for mobilizing communities to help them intervene.

#13345/0430 Three Programs 1998 \$649.95 \*CC \*SA



## **POWER AND CONTROL: Domestic Violence**

*"Equally a useful primer on aspects of domestic violence and a purely harrowing story (with a walloping twist), POWER AND CONTROL is highly recommended."* Rob Nelson, Minnesota Post

A comprehensive and timely examination of the shocking persistence of domestic violence in our society. The complex issues around domestic abuse are refracted through the story of Kim, a mother of three from Duluth, MN. The film follows Kim and her children from their early days in a battered women's shelter. Kim then sets out to start a new life - and although she is a determined and inspiring survivor, she finds that there are no easy happy endings. #15711/1416 50 minutes 2010 \$299.95 \*CC

## **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND LAW ENFORCEMENT**

A companion to POWER AND CONTROL this film explores best practices in three jurisdictions: Seasoned officers responding to tense, actual domestic calls show how to safely approach a fighting couple, interview, determine primary aggressor, gather evidence and write strong reports. Top brass discuss how to increase the effectiveness of officers and also look at longer range strategies.

#15712/1416 20 minutes 2010 \$129.95 \*CC

## **DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND HEALTH CARE**

An inside look at the highly regarded domestic violence program at Mercy Medical Center in Baltimore, MD. Doctors and nurses in the ER, the mother-baby unit, pre-op and the sexual assault forensics unit share candid observations about domestic violence prevention and offer specific, practical suggestions. Also profiles the coordinator of Mercy's family violence program and includes an interview with Jacquelyn Campbell of Johns Hopkins, a leading expert on the health impact of domestic violence. #15713 20 minutes 2010 \$129.95

## **SAFE: Inside a Battered Women's Shelter**

This program presents the experiences of three women who break the cycle of violence by seeking refuge at a safe house, a place providing sanctuary for physically abused mothers and their children. #11773/0635 50 minutes 2000 \$149.95

## **SEEN... But Not Heard**

**\*Winner! Silver Screen Award!** This program explores the many serious emotional and physical effects of family violence on the children who witness it. Superior dramatic vignettes provide teachers and any professionals who work with children with detailed sketches of what to watch for in their charges.

#7297/0270 29 minutes 1993 \$159.95 \*SA

## **WHAT ABOUT US?**

Companion to the video SEEN...BUT NOT HEARD, this video is designed as a counselling tool for use with children in a group setting to help them talk about and cope with their own experiences of witnessing domestic abuse and to reassure them. "Lifts the burden of blame and responsibility from children." #9156/0270 28 minutes 1993 \$159.95 \*SA

## **TRAUMA, VIOLENCE, AND HUMAN DIGNITY**

All too often dignity is crushed by the terrible things people do to each other. These five therapists have a different story to tell about clients who have experienced violence, trauma, grief and loss. The human spirit is greater than the labels of "victim" or "survivor". These stories illustrate how resilience, growth and wisdom can arise in the face of suffering. #11115/2040 72 minutes 2007 \$209.95 \*SA

### **SHE MADE ME MAD: Inside the Mind of the Abused and Abuser**

In addition to telling a woman's story of how violence invaded her life and how she escaped, this program also turns the tables on domestic violence by exploring the mind of an abuser.

#10587/0203 28 minutes 2005 \$149.95 \*SA

### **SURVIVORS: Women Overcoming Domestic Abuse**

This is a factual first person sharing of the experiences of domestic violence victims. Women in the video provide information to help other women to avoid mistakes they made and make better choices by recognizing the signs of a chronic abuser, and get out safely. #7379/1405 16 minutes 1998 \$119.95 \*SA

### **SURVIVAL FROM DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: Stories of Hope and Healing**

One of the greatest hurdles for women who live in abusive households is how to remove themselves and their children safely to start a new life. From the number of murders, attempted-murders and abductions by abusive husbands and ex's this fear is anything but delusional! Explanations are offered by women who have successfully made just such a transition.

#9686/0755 14 minutes 2005 \$69.95 \*CC \*SA

**TULIP DOESN'T FEEL SAFE** - Today, more children than ever are affected daily by unsafe situations in their lives - violence, abuse and neglect. This animated video helps children learn important skills so they can help themselves in the face of a scary situation. #8482/0795 13 minutes 1993 \$149.95 Grades K to 3

### **TURNING POINT: Women Who Abuse**

For many who work in the family violence field, it is difficult to accept that some women can be, and are, abusive to their partners. The discussion on women's abusive behavior can make us uncomfortable and challenges traditional stereotypical views of what, and who women are. The program demonstrates how some women can be just as capable of harbouring harmful negative attitudes, entertaining destructive negative self-talk, and choosing violence as a way of controlling their partner as some men are.

#9940/1370 28 minutes 2005 \$239.95 \*SA

### **UNBALANCED SCALES: Gender and the Justice System**

The problem this video deals with is the re-victimization of women at the hands of the justice and social systems after they have already been the victims of crime with special emphasis on domestic violence issues.

#5449/1775 20 minutes 1999 \$149.95 \*SA

### **VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN**

The secrecy surrounding domestic violence is the focus of this timely program. Hosted by a policewoman and TV news anchor, it contains stories of hope for women who are currently in violent relationships and provides valuable information on how to leave an abusive partner.

#9528/0635 46 minutes 1996 \$169.95

### **UNDERSTANDING VIOLENCE**

This program features Dr. Carl Bell, one of the country's leading psychiatrists, who focuses on children who have witnessed violent acts, committed violence, or been the victims of violence. In this program, Dr. Bell argues that the cycle of violence in children's lives can be broken if we act early to deal with their trauma. Children capable of violence must be taught to empathize with the pain in someone else's life, allowing them to see the consequences of violence. #14724/0635 27 minutes 1995 \$99.95

### **VICTIMS OF ANOTHER WAR: The Aftermath of Parental Alienation**

Parental abduction and child alienation: this is a ground-breaking study of a topic that can change lives. It is the filmmaker's sincere hope that any parent that is thinking of abducting and alienating their child (from the other parent) will understand the ultimate ending of the story and reconsider their options for the sake of their children ... and for themselves. The program is also aimed at law enforcement and counseling professionals to help them better grasp the serious implications of what is still often treated as a simple domestic dispute with no real victims. #1044/0770 34 minutes 2005 \$89.95 \*SA



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