1 in 3 young people will experience dating abuse.

1 in 10

high school students has been purposefully hit, slapped or physically hurt by a boyfriend or girlfriend.

17% of LGB youth report experiencing physical dating violence

23% of LGB youth report experiencing sexual dating violence

43% of college women report experiencing either abuse or controlling behaviors in a dating relationship.

28% of college men report experiencing either abuse or controlling behaviors in a dating relationship.


#teenDVmonth
Over 1/2 of women and men who have been physically or sexually abused or stalked by a dating partner, first experienced abuse between the ages of 11-24

89% of college students report that they are not confident in their ability to recognize warning signs of dating abuse

70% of college students that reported they had experienced abuse or controlling behaviors also said they did not know they were in an abusive relationship at the time.

16% of transgender individuals reported experiencing controlling behaviors from a partner, in a study of 150,000 students at 27 universities.

57% of teens and young people waited 6+ months before getting help, according to Mary Kay's 2014 Truth About Abuse Survey.