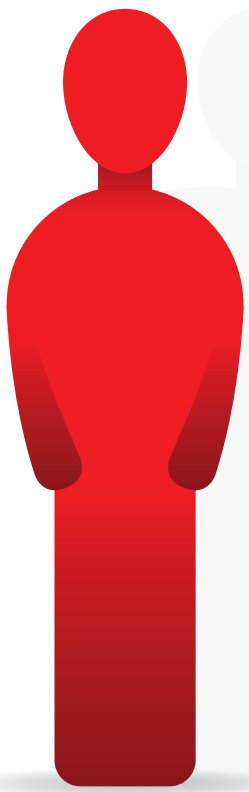


Love

Shouldn't Hurt

END INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE

INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE (IPV) SOME OF THE WARNING SIGNS OF ABUSE



ABUSER

Checks up on their partner constantly — reads their email, checks their cell phone, and calls them at work

Threatens to commit suicide or kill partner if their partner ever tries to leave

Is controlling and jealous

Belittles partner's relationships or outright forbids them to see family or friends

Controls partner's activities and money

RISK FACTORS FOR LETHAL OUTCOME:



Drug or alcohol abuse



Jealousy and controlling behaviour



Prior history of being violent



History of mental illness



Stalking, harassment and threats



Threats with a weapon or to kill



Access to a gun



Attempts to choke/strangle



Forced sex



Abuse during pregnancy

LOVE SHOULDN'T HURT. ASK FOR HELP.
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