

# education

**Learn more about the  
effects of domestic abuse**

Our mission is to create peaceful communities in which domestic respect and a life free from violence is the right of every woman, man and child.



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**24-Hour Domestic Violence Hotline**  
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alternative formats upon request.**

Sojourner Family Peace Center is an Equal Opportunity employer and service provider operating under an Affirmative Action and Civil Rights Plan.



**YOU ARE NOT ALONE**

## Ending Violence Through Education

### Support Groups

Our support and education groups are free and confidential. They are designed to help survivors gain support, insight, and wisdom from other individuals who have experienced intimate partner violence. Groups are a safe place to learn, heal and grow. All survivors are welcome to attend, regardless of relationship status. We also offer support and education groups for parents. All groups provide child care and some are offered at the same time as programming for children who have witnessed abuse.

### Life Skills Education

Life Skills education and counseling are offered one-on-one and in workshops. Topics covered encourage empowerment and achievement of personal goals in the following areas:

- Economic Empowerment (recovering from financial abuse, budgeting, banking, credit, asset-building, and economic literacy)
- Employment/Job Readiness (resume assistance, employment and training resources, interview preparation, and professional attire)
- Education (application help, financial aid/scholarships, school and training information)
- Health and Wellness (stress management and health resources)
- Civic Participation (opportunities for social change, leadership, and volunteering)
- Parenting (support and education for nurturing parenting skills and healing)

For more information about current support and education groups and Life Skills offerings please call 414-276-1911

“Attending a support group helped me realize that I am not alone. I understand my options and can make choices that keep me and my children safe.”

—CLAUDETTE, SUPPORT GROUP MEMBER

## Community Education and Prevention

Sojourner Family Peace Center has speakers available to increase awareness and understanding of family violence issues among children, teens and adults.

Speakers are available to discuss a range of topics relating to domestic abuse including:

- Abusive relationships — warning signs
- Teen dating abuse
- Effects of domestic violence on children
- Helping victims
- Helping abusers
- Identifying abusive behaviors
- How domestic violence affects the workplace
- How Sojourner Family Peace Center can help

Specialized trainings also available.

**To schedule a speaker or training, please call us at 414-643-1777.**

If you need help, or for information on any of our programs and services, call us 24 hours a day at **414-933-2722**.

We rely on volunteers! To volunteer in any of our programs, please call us at **414-643-1777** or visit **[www.familypeacecenter.org](http://www.familypeacecenter.org)**.