Outreach Materials for Patients

“Talk to a Doctor or Nurse”
This full-color brochure encourages adult patients to recognize abuse as a health concern. Information regarding identification of abusive acts and danger, the health risks of abuse, safety planning and community service provider referrals. Available in Spanish translation.

“Love Doesn’t Have to Hurt”
A similar full-color brochure encourages teen/young adult patients to recognize dating violence as a health concern for victims and secondary victims. Information regarding recognizing risk factors and abusive acts, the health risks of abuse, safety planning and community service provider referrals. Available in Spanish translation.

Shoe Cards
Discreet business-size cards encouraging patients to call for help in domestic violence situations. Includes hotline number.

Information for Health Care Providers

“Your Patients: Their Health and Safety”
A brochure for health care professionals who must recognize and respond to indicators of abuse. Contains a RADAR screening and documentation guide, as well as a listing of victim resources across the state.

“Confidentiality and Reporting Requirements in Maryland”
A guide for health care professionals responding to abuse and neglect of children, intimate partners and vulnerable adults.

AND...
“I Just Don’t Have Time…”

An 8 1/2” x 11” poster outlining the time required to screen for domestic violence versus screening for other life-threatening conditions. We also have an 11 x 17 Domestic Violence poster that can be ordered.

Maryland Health Care Coalition Against Domestic Violence

Material Order Form

Please indicate below the quantity of brochures requested and return this form to the Coalition at the following address:

Maryland Health Care Coalition Against Domestic Violence
MedChi, The Maryland State Medical Society
1211 Cathedral Street
Baltimore, MD 21201

Up to fifty of each of the patient materials and ten of the provider material will be sent to you for free. If you require more than 50 copies of each brochure, or for more information, call 410-539-0872, ext. 202 or visit www.medchi.org/publichealth/dvcoaliton.

____ Health Care Provider Brochure
____ Patient Brochure (English)
____ Patient Brochure (Spanish)
____ Teen Dating Brochure (English)
____ Teen Dating Brochure (Spanish)
____ Confidentiality and Reporting Brochure
____ Shoe Card

Name: ____________________________
Agency: __________________________
Address: __________________________
Phone: ____________________________
E-Mail: ____________________________

(Please allow three weeks for delivery.)

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HELPLINES

Statewide
1-800-MD-HELPS (634-3577)

National
1-800-7999-SAFE (7233)

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