

End the Silence...

Why is Family Violence an Issue for all Professionals?

- The family is the most dangerous place to be
- The most vulnerable are most likely to be the victims:
 - Children
 - Women
 - Elderly
 - Disabled

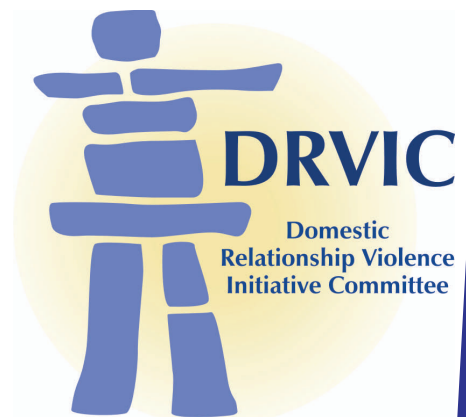
Family violence is repetitive and escalates in severity over time

Domestic Relationship Violence Initiative Committee MEMBERS

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RCMP - Victim Services
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Frontline Service Awards



Black Knight Inn

November 28, 2007

Did You Know?...

- In 2006 in Alberta, 4,836 incidents of spousal assault were reported to Police. Of those, 3,532 charges were laid.
- In 2004, 25 percent of all violent crime victims and 59 percent of these individuals were abused by their spouses.
- There is an increased risk of spousal violence among people that: are between 15 and 24 years of age, are in relationship of three years or less, have separated, are in common law unions and/or have a partner who is a heavy drinker.
- Aboriginal people are three times more likely to be victimized by spousal violence.



A message from Alberta Children's Services

Program

- 11:00am** *Greetings*
Barb Barber /
Ian Wheeliker
- 11:20am** *Greetings from the
City of Red Deer.*
- 11:30am** Musical Entertainment
Jacqui Swain
- 11:45am** *Healthy Relationships
Video*
- 11:55pm** *Blessing*
Pastor Dan Cochrane
- 12:00pm** *Lunch*
- 1:00pm** *Award Presentation.*
- 2:00pm** *Murray Fuhrer - Entertain-
ment*

THANKS for your Support!!

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