

CHOICES

Support and education for people affected by intimate partner violence.

Presented by:



The class is designed to be an introductory overview of domestic violence and the criminal justice system.

The class is divided into two sessions, each 1.5 hours long. Session one focuses on domestic violence dynamics, defining domestic violence, the Cycle of Violence, Power and Control Wheel and concludes with a discussion on healthy, equal and balanced relationships. Session Two begins with an examination of batterer behaviors and why it is difficult for victims to leave, followed by discussion on Safety Planning and the effects of DV on children. Session Two concludes with an explanation of the criminal justice process and potential outcomes of the criminal case.

The Choices class is held at the YWCA located at 118 Vine Street in Evansville. Please arrive 10 minutes early.

A photo identification and a Cause Number is required.

CLASS GUIDELINES:

- *No one may attend the class with you.
- *Child care is not available.
- *Must attend both sessions and arrive on time.
- *Late arrivals will not be admitted.
- *Couples who both have charges pending may not attend the same class.
- *Cell phones must be off during class.
- *Anyone under the influence of drugs or alcohol will be asked to leave.

To sign up for the Choices class, please call the YWCA at 812-422-1191.

If you have questions, please contact:
Albion Fellows Bacon Center at
812-422-5622

****MUST ATTEND BOTH SESSION FOR COMPLETION CERTIFICATE.**

Cause No. _____