

Greetings present upon the topic "domestic violence"

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Greetings Ladies and Gentlemen, I'm hereto present upon the topic "Domestic Violence" but more specifically I'm here to speak on the negative effects it has on women in our society. Firstly, I'd like to define what Domestic Violence is.

Domestic Violence is violent or aggressive behaviour within the home, typically involving the violent abuse of a spouse or partner. This dangerous act has been left unaccounted for in recent times and is being less and less of a threat as days go by. In my opinion Domestic Violence is slowly creeping into our society and the punishment is being less noticeable to try and detour men from harassing women. Women have been overpowered for men's liking for too long and this should be stopped. We should make the punishment severe to force men to make a crucial decision, is this punishment worth harassing this woman? We need to also teach our youth that this is a wrong act that can lead to various types of scars in a woman's life. The effects of domestic violence on women in our society go further than the immediate physical injuries they grieve at the hands of their harassers.

Normally, women suffer from a collection of mental illnesses, eating disorders, insomnia, gastric issues, various pains and worrying mental health problems. Women who suffered from Domestic Violence normally find it hard to function in their day-to-day lives because of the effects. Effects such as absent from work, due to damages or appointments with the doctor and therapists, often costs them their jobs, making it harder leave their abusive spouse and surroundings. These women may feel embarrassed that their partner has physically, mentally or sexually harassed them, see themselves

as undeserving of love, and suffer from a significantly weakened self-perception due to the low self-worth these women will stray away from friends and family and spend more time alone rather than socializing. Studies show Forty-five per cent of Domestic Abuse on women results in physical damage. The emotional effects of this can be extensive: eighty-five per cent of abused women specify that they have experienced some type of undesirable emotional effects including anger, fear, becoming less trusting, suffering from lowered self-esteem, depression, anxiety, shame and guilt. To combat these effects, twenty-five percent of these women report having used alcohol, drugs or medication.

Some other negative effects of domestic violence on women are broken bones, burns, stab wounds, STDs, anxiety, low self-esteem, frequent crying, depression, suicidal thoughts and phobias. Domestic Violence is slowly being accepted as a norm in our everyday society and should be stopped before it leads to any further damages to our women of today.