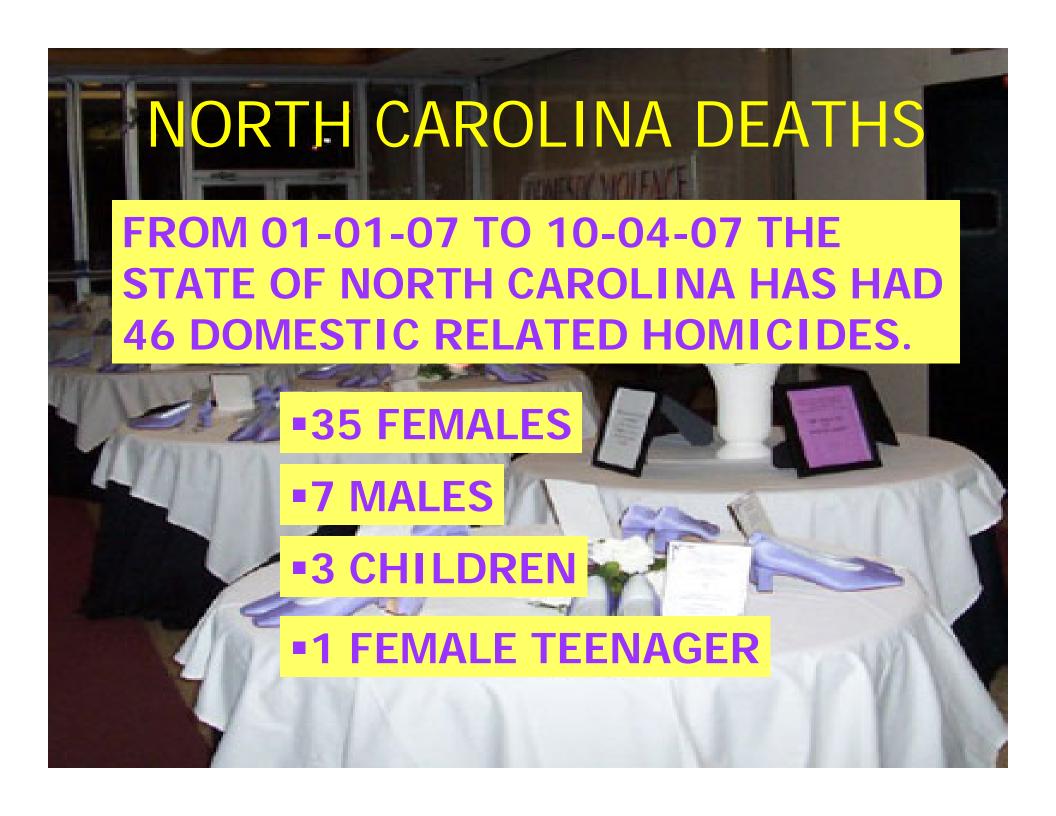
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DYNAMICS

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50B DEFINITION OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE



The commission of one or more of the following acts upon an aggrieved party or a minor child residing with or in the custody of the aggrieved party by a person who has or has had a personal relationship, but does not include acts of self defense:

50B Definition (cont)

- Attempting to cause bodily injury, or intentionally causing bodily injury: or placing in fear of imminent serious bodily injury: or
- •Placed in fear of continued harassment....emotional distress: or
- •Committing any act defined in N.C.G.S. 14-27.2 through 14-27.8.





What constitutes a "Personal Relationship" according to NCGS 50B?

The victim and suspect must be....

- Current or former spouses
- Persons of opposite sex who live together or have lived together
- Are related as parents and children, grandparents and grandchildren
- Have a child in common
- Current or former household members
- Persons of the opposite sex who are in a dating relationship or have been in a dating relationship

Domestic Wolener

A pattern of violence or intimidation in an intimate relationship by one intimate against another, designed to establish power And control over the victim.



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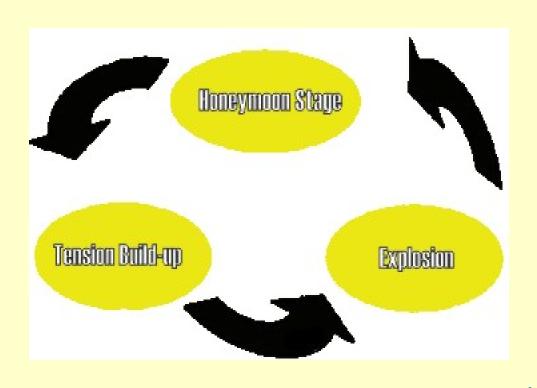
PHYSICAL ABUSE

> EMOTIONAL ABUSE

SEXUAL ABUSE

> EMOTIONAL / PSYCOLOGICAL ABUSE

"CYCLE OF WOLLANGE"





ECONOMIC ABUSE





COERCION AND THREATS

INTIMIDATION







EMOTIONAL ABUSE

ISOLATION



USING CHILDREN

A DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIM KNOWS WHEN ENOUGH IS ENOUGH!!

THE MOST DANGEROUS TIME FOR A VICTIM OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IS WHEN THE VICIM LEAVES THE ABUSER.

- ◆ RAPE AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RELATED INJURIES ARE THE MOST COSTLY CRIMES IN THE UNITED STATES TOTALING \$127 BILLION A YEAR.
- ◆ INCLUDES MEDICAL COSTS, LOST EARNINGS, PAIN, SUFFERING AND LOST QUALIY OF LIFE.









WHY DOES HE/SHE ABUSE?











NEW LAWS FOR 2003



- Anyone served with a Domestic Violence Protective Order must surrender firearms, ammunition, and permits.
- Unlawful to receive or purchase or attempt to receive or purchase a firearm or concealed handgun permit for duration of DVPO.



NEW LAWS FOR 2003 (CONT.)

A violation of a Domestic Violence Protective Order after having 3 prior convictions is a class H Felony!!



New laws for 2004



- New strangulation law comes into effect
- Ex-Parte hearing must contain Child custody hearing
- Warrant less arrest for pre-trial release order violation

New laws for 2005

- ☐ Temporary concealed handgun permit for victim with valid Order
- ☐ May renew order for up to 2 years
- □ Landlords can't discriminate

New laws for 2005





- □ Victims may change locks without repercussions
- ☐ Victims may terminate lease as long
- as 30 day notice is given
- Must serve schools

NEW LAW 2007

EFFECTIVE 12-01-2007, IT
BECOMES A FELONY OFFENSE
TO VIOLATE A DOMESTIC
VIOLENCE PROTECTION
ORDER WHILE ARMED WITH A
DEADLYWEAPON.

Resources Available

Law enforcement





Shelters

Protective Orders



QUESTIONS?

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