DVAM: Inspiring ACTION with community meetings

Domestic Violence Action Month (DVAM) is a great time to engage your community in new ways. We hope that you find these tools useful to inspire ACTION to prevent domestic violence.

Online at wscadv.org, you can find:

- Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram friendly pics
- A one-pager on using Fatality Review statistics for DVAM
- How’s Your Relationship? Conversation Cards
- Love Like This posters and post cards

And watch out for our blog posts on DVAM all month at canyourelate.org!

Here are some ideas for using the materials.

- Host a community meeting with parents and teens
- Provide How’s Your Relationship? Conversation Cards for participants and work through them together
- Hold a breakup summit
  - Provide Love Like This materials and focus on the Breaking Up post of Love Like This
  - Review the best approaches and stumbling blocks, and then take the opportunity to practice!
- Hang a poster
  - Replace your old posters with the positive and eye-catching Love Like This series!

And remember these tips for making your community meeting work:

- Provide food!
- Be clear – you want participants to walk away with a step they’re going to take.
- Need help? Check out the Community Toolbox to help you with assessing needs, increasing participation, and troubleshooting.