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### Parental Workshop: Wellbeing and Positive relationships 08.12.22











## Mental Health Support Team: Anxiety

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## Promoting Healthy Relationships

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## Why is it important to teach children and young people about healthy relationships?

Relationships play a key part in every child or young person's wellbeing.

Healthy relationships can help a child feel secure and supported, but unhealthy relationships can have a long-lasting negative impact



## Healthy relationships education



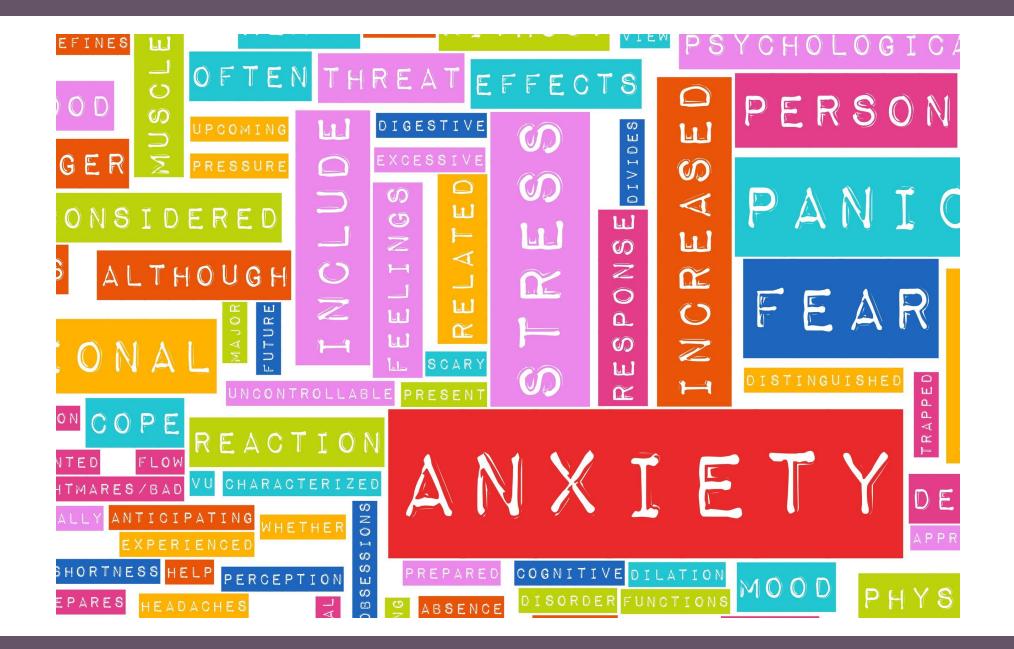




### Tips for promoting healthy relationships to teens

- •Encourage young people to be proud of what makes them an individual.
- Introduce activities like peer mentoring to help young people support each other.
- •Talk about relationships that are presented in films, books or the media. Ask young people which aspects they think are healthy or unhealthy, for example independence or control. Talk about the way relationships happen online as well as offline.
- •As young people get older, discuss issues around sex and consent.





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having sex.

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### **Recognising the signs of** healthy and unhealthy relationships

- Children and young people might not always understand that a relationship they are in is unhealthy.
- This means children and young people might not always speak out about unhealthy relationships.

If you are worried about a relationship or friendship, please talk to a trusted adult.

# Signs of healthy relationships

A healthy relationship is one where a young person is respected and feels valued for who they are.

Healthy relationships include:

- good communication
- mutual respect
- trust
- honesty
- equality
- being yourself.

In a healthy relationship a person is free to make choices about their own behaviour and is not controlled or coerced into doing anything.

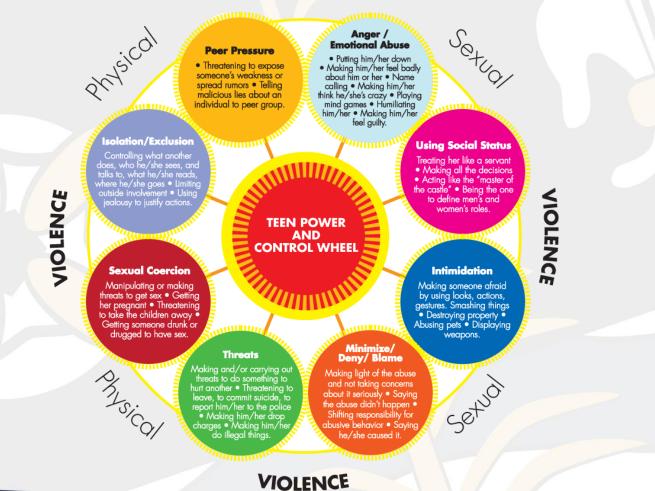






### Signs of unhealth relationships

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### What to do if you're worried about a young person



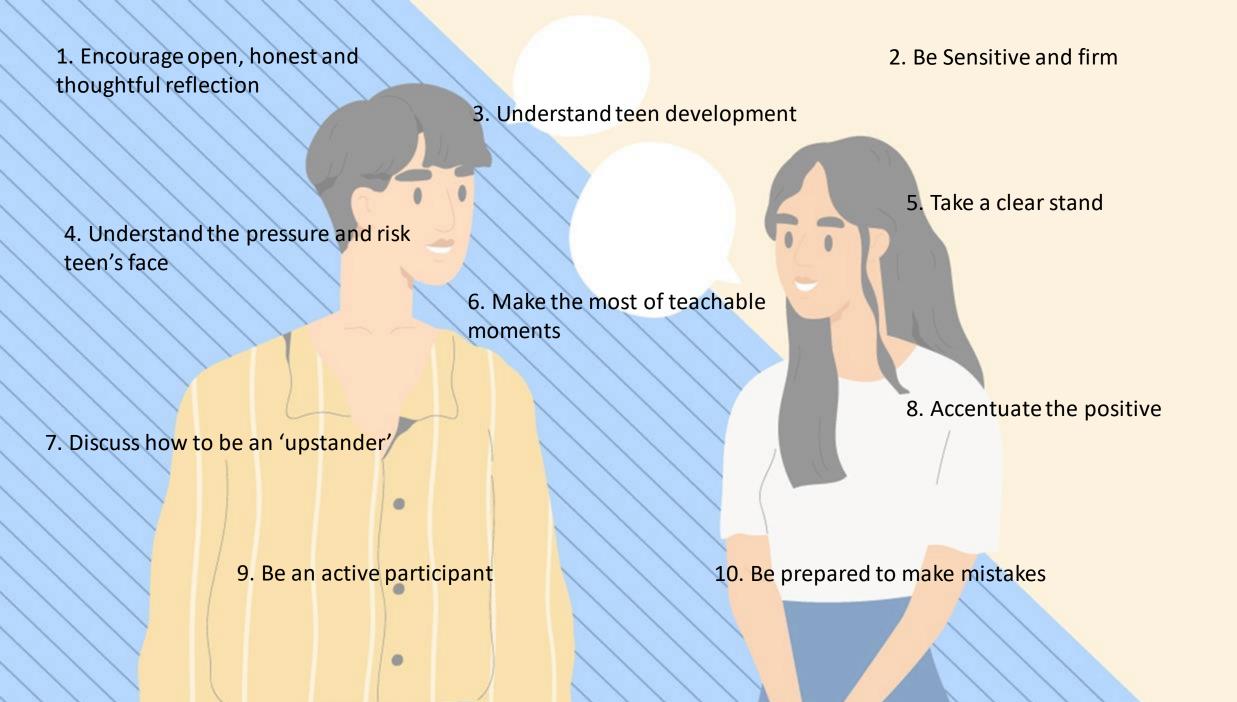








# 10 Tips on Talking about Healthy Relationships with Teens



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