

# DVAM 2020

## Domestic Violence Awareness Month

### NOON ON ZOOM DISCUSSION SERIES

Join these conversations from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. on Zoom. Examine different aspects of Domestic Violence each week. Discussions led by the Women's Resource Center. Email [WRC@siu.edu](mailto:WRC@siu.edu) for the Zoom link.

**OCT. 2**

#### [A Portrait of Domestic Violence](#)

This video shines a light on the work of Donna Ferrato, a photographer who documented domestic violence and helped bring the issue into the public eye.

**OCT. 16**

#### [COVID-19 Restrictions Highlight Domestic Abuse Crisis](#)

The pandemic has exacerbated domestic violence across the globe. This article examines additional barriers LGBTQ survivors face.

**OCT. 30**

#### [Domestic Violence & The Complicated Relationship Between Abuse and Tech](#)

This science fiction short story focuses on domestic violence and an expert responds to the piece.

### CLOTHESLINE PROJECT

**OCT. 6 AND OCT. 20**

**9:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., Faner Breezeway**

A display of survivor stories, words of support and allyship on t-shirts designed by community members.

### BEHIND THE POST

#### FILM & DISCUSSION **OCT. 7**

**5:30 - 6:30 p.m. on Zoom**

Just because someone posts great photos online doesn't mean their relationship is great in real life. This film highlights differences between healthy and unhealthy relationships and the role technology can play. Email [wellness@siu.edu](mailto:wellness@siu.edu) for the zoom link.

#### YOGA 4 HER **OCT. 9**

**6:00 - 7:00 p.m. on Zoom**

Virtual yoga and a guided meditation session. Presented by The Women's Center and Grace Movement. Email [rcsprevention1@thewomensctr.org](mailto:rcsprevention1@thewomensctr.org) for the zoom link.

#### THE SECRETS WE KEEP **OCT. 15**

**6:00 - 7:00 p.m. on Zoom**

An online event to raise awareness for domestic violence within the Black community. Email Nancy Maxwell at [rcsadvocate3@thewomensctr.org](mailto:rcsadvocate3@thewomensctr.org) for the zoom link.

#### POWER UP QUEER KICKBOXING **OCT. 28**

**11:00 a.m., Student Recreation Center, Court 7**

Get some empowerment in your life! Learn how to stand in your power stance, look and feel strong, and get some activity in! You'll learn a little bit about kickboxing and a lot about how much you are capable of. Open to all ability or fitness levels!

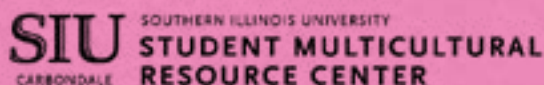
[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER ONLINE](#)



## CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

### DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SPEAKS PODCAST: SUBMISSIONS DUE OCTOBER 16

This is a new podcast highlighting community stories of domestic violence. Seeking submissions of personal stories regarding support and reporting, reclaiming personhood or power, stories from witnesses/secondary trauma, and long-term effects. For submission guidelines, visit <https://smrc.siu.edu/wrc/>



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