# UMBC RELATIONSHIP VIOLENCE AWARENESS MONTH

## Creating Healthy Intimacy

### CONTEST:

#### Healthy Relationship Video Contest

Oct 1-Oct 9

Submit an Instagram of yourself answering the question "What does a healthy relationship look like to you?" and use #UMBCaware to post it on your FB/Twitter/Instagram. Prizes for the best videos will be awarded by @UMBCuhs and @womencenterumbc.

## **EVENTS**:

#### UMBC Green Dot & Men's Soccer Game vs. Delaware

Oct. 1 (7pm) @ Retriever Soccer Park
Join UMBC Green Dot, The Women's Center, and UHS

to learn more about bystander intervention and to kick off Relationship Violence Awareness Month.

#### **UMBC** Retriever Wellness Expo

Oct. 2 (11am-2pm) @ Commons Main Street Attend this lively event with lots of great health info, resources, and FREE services: blood pressure screening, body fat screening, mood test, and more.

This is also the official kick off for Relationship Violence Awareness Month.

#### Flat Tuesday's Pub Chat: Healthy Intimacy & Sexuality

Oct. 10 (7-9pm) @ Flat Tuesday's Pub, Lower Level Join our campus health educator, Mickey Arora, as she hosts an open and honest discussion about sex, sexuality, and healthy intimacy. Anonymous Q&A format. Open to all ages on lower level. Free food available!

#### Love Your Body Day 2013

Oct. 17 (11am-1pm) @ Commons Main Street
Join Women Involved in Learning & Leadership (WILL)
for Love Your Body Day 2013, and get campus resources
on how Loving Yourself = Respecting Yourself in
your relationships.

#### SEB Open Mic Night: Healthy Relationships

Oct. 22 (8-10pm) @ Commons Sports Zone Let's put healthy relationships in the spotlight. Share your poems, stories, music, and more in the name love!





## THE CLOTHESLINE PROJECT:

#### T-Shirt-Making Dates @ The Women's Center

Oct 9 (9am-12pm)

Oct 17 (1-6pm)

Oct 21 (11am-4pm)

Oct 22 (11am-4pm)

Oct 24 (day of CLP) (shirts can still be made but will be hung for display in April)

Stay turned for dates/times to make T-shirts in the Residence Life areas)

#### The Clothesline Project Display

Oct. 24 (10am-4pm) @ Commons Main Street View shirts made in honor of those affected by relationship or sexual violence.

#### Clothesline Project Reflection & Discussion

Oct. 24 (4-5pm) @ The Women's Center Share thoughts, stories, and reactions to the Clothesline Project display and honor those lost to intimate partner violence with a reading of victims' names.

## PROGRAMS:

#### What's Your Green Dot?: Program Overview

Oct. 14 (12-1pm) @ Women's Center

Want to learn more about Green Dot and how you can get involved? Join Jen Treger to get all the important information and start making a difference.

## Men's Health Program: Sexual Violence Prevention and Consent

Oct. 30 (12-1pm) @ Commons

Calling all male leaders on campus – Greeks, athletes, and more! Attend this 1-hour program on consent and sexual violence to learn how you can be a positive role model for violence prevention.

Email ctaylor7@umbc.edu to register.

#### Love Is Respect: A Program by the Peer Health Educators

Request the Peer Health Educators (PHE) to present a FREE program on relationship violence and healthy intimacy to your classroom, student organization, residential hall, or group of friends!

Email parora@umbc.edu with the date/time/location of your request. The PHE's are undergrad students trained to facilitate presentations on numerous health topics.