

Romantic Partner Violence

No matter how well people get along, there are times when they disagree, get annoyed, or have fights or disputes. We would like for you to consider your romantic relationships with others and what things happened during disputes you may have had with romantic partners.

A1. How many romantic partners have you had in the PAST 12 MONTHS? ____

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What is the number of times in the LAST 12 MONTHS, to **ANY ROMANTIC PARTNER**, that you...

A2. yelled or screamed at them

- 0 = None
- 1 = Once
- 2 = Twice
- 3 = 3 to 5 times
- 4 = 6 to 10 times
- 5 = 11 to 20 times
- 6 = more than 20 times

A3. pushed, shoved, grabbed, slapped, or threw something at them

- 0 = None
- 1 = Once
- 2 = Twice
- 3 = 3 to 5 times
- 4 = 6 to 10 times
- 5 = 11 to 20 times
- 6 = more than 20 times

A4. punched, hit, kicked, bit, or slammed them against a wall

- 0 = None
- 1 = Once
- 2 = Twice
- 3 = 3 to 5 times
- 4 = 6 to 10 times
- 5 = 11 to 20 times
- 6 = more than 20 times

A5. beat them up or choked, strangled, burned, or scalded them on purpose

- 0 = None
- 1 = Once
- 2 = Twice

- 3 = 3 to 5 times
- 4 = 6 to 10 times
- 5 = 11 to 20 times
- 6 = more than 20 times

A6. threatened them with a knife or gun

- 0 = None
- 1 = Once
- 2 = Twice
- 3 = 3 to 5 times
- 4 = 6 to 10 times
- 5 = 11 to 20 times
- 6 = more than 20 times

A7. used a knife or gun on them.

- 0 = None
- 1 = Once
- 2 = Twice
- 3 = 3 to 5 times
- 4 = 6 to 10 times
- 5 = 11 to 20 times
- 6 = more than 20 times

Next, you will be asked to tell me how many times in the **past 12 months** a romantic partner acted in a particular way toward you.

What is the number of times in the LAST 12 MONTHS, that **ANY ROMANTIC PARTNER...**

A8. yelled or screamed at you

- 0 = None
- 1 = Once
- 2 = Twice
- 3 = 3 to 5 times
- 4 = 6 to 10 times
- 5 = 11 to 20 times
- 6 = more than 20 times

A9. pushed, shoved, grabbed, slapped, or threw something at you

- 0 = None
- 1 = Once
- 2 = Twice
- 3 = 3 to 5 times
- 4 = 6 to 10 times

- 5 = 11 to 20 times
6 = more than 20 times
- A10. punched, hit, kicked, bit, or slammed you against a wall
- 0 = None
1 = Once
2 = Twice
3 = 3 to 5 times
4 = 6 to 10 times
5 = 11 to 20 times
6 = more than 20 times
- A11. beat you up or choked, strangled, burned, or scalded you on purpose
- 0 = None
1 = Once
2 = Twice
3 = 3 to 5 times
4 = 6 to 10 times
5 = 11 to 20 times
6 = more than 20 times
- A12. threatened you with a knife or gun
- 0 = None
1 = Once
2 = Twice
3 = 3 to 5 times
4 = 6 to 10 times
5 = 11 to 20 times
6 = more than 20 times
- A13. used a knife or gun on you.
- 0 = None
1 = Once
2 = Twice
3 = 3 to 5 times
4 = 6 to 10 times
5 = 11 to 20 times
6 = more than 20 times

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