## Social Marketing and Social Media

Start Strong: Building Healthy Teen Relationships

## **Objectives**

- Broad understanding of social marketing to promote healthy relationships
- Understand how the emergence of digital devices and mobile services has changed the way we think and learn; how these tools have enabled us as advocates to advance our message
- Learn the best way to reach and engage teens through social media
- Learn best practices for engaging media to promote healthy relationships messages











## **Social Marketing**



## **Targeting Audiences**



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for your students, it has been the rapid growth of the social web over the last decade.

check this out:





# > 1 Million social networking profiles





if your students are in high school or younger, they grew up in a 24-7 connected culture

## you are educating the first generation of digital natives

#### and it's a whole new world...



#### With new challenges

#### nothing is private

it's easy to be mean

runaway digital footprint

## And endless possibilities

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#### these digital changes are changing who they are...

...and it's not all bad.



#### of teens go online to get news about current events or politics.

"I can find out anything..especially when it happens all of a sudden, like on the news. I just go onto Twitter and everyone is talking about it.

-Grace, 16

## the real time generation



#### share original content online

# the create & share generation

"Me and my cousins will make up dances and put them on YouTube. Then other kids will give us shout outs and tell us how we can improve our moves.

Jaylin, 14



#### have commented on content that a friend published online

On Tumblr, me and my girls write about what's going on in our lives. I'll talk back if I see something that's on the real or messed up. We always know where things stand.

-Jade,

the constant feedback generation

## the real time generation

## the create & share generation

the constant feedback generation

How can we create teaching and learning tools that are relevant to this generation?

# **BE THE ANSWER TO THEIR** PROBLEM



#### How is your relationship? What is a hea

A healthy relationship is a bond between two people who treat each other with healthy relationship?

#### Is this abuse?

Abuse signs in a relationships are not a onetime incident, they usually co and adults stay in abusive relationships. Check it out: Download The Cycle of \

#### Is this love?

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# SET YOUR MIND TO THE "CREATE/SHARE" STATION.



## Keep it Simple!

- Think "T-shirt slogans"
- Guille "Like/RT if you..."
- Go off topic sometimes to promote engagement
- Measure success differently
- Cross-promote regularly



## Make it "Shareable"

#### Statistics

- Useful links and resources
- □ Active online communities
- Inspirational pictures



## WEBSITES









## It all works together












### AAP ADVOCATES FOR SAFER MEDIA AND MUSIC LYRICS



"On average, American youth listen to music from 1.5 to 2.5 hours per day, and an analysis of at-risk youth revealed they listen up to 6.8 hours per day. Studies have shown that a preference for certain types of music or music videos with explicit references to drugs, sex or violence can be associated with negative effects on schoolwork, behavior and emotions. Heavy metal and hard rock music have also been associated with increased suicidal risk, depression and delinquent behavior."

### **Nutritional Impact**

Artist: Song title:

Serving Size: Min: Sec:		
Amount per serving:	Present (X)	Intensity level (1-10)
Unhealthy Relationship Ingredients		
Drama		
Possession/obsession		
Disrespect		0,00 - U
Relationship = sex		
Manipulation		
Total Unhealthy		
Healthy Relationship Ingredients		
Fun/Enjoyable	· ·	
Support		
Respect	2. 52	
Equality		
Trust		•
Total Healthy		

The song may portray: Drama: a belief that making up/breaking up, velling, bitter arguing, destroving property or a general sense that unhealthy conflict in the relationship is part of a normal relationship. Possession/Obsession: a belief that another person is an object to use for one's personal benefit. This could also include stalking, objectification, and controlling behavior. Disrespect: a belief that it is acceptable to disregard another person's feelings. ideas, opinions and wishes. This could include name calling, put downs, minimizing lanquage. and cheating. Relationship=sex a belief that the main component or focus of the relationship is sex. Manipulation: a belief that it is acceptable to lie or use another person's emotions or vulnerabilities to get what is desired. This could include guilt trips, lying, and using alcohol to get sex. Fun/Enjoyable: a belief that relationships are enjoyable and fun. Support: a belief that a relationship includes building up the other person's confidence and strengths. This could include encouraging another person to make healthy decisions to better themselves, even when the other person may not totally agree. Respect: a belief that another person has value and is appreciated and recognized for their ideas, thoughts, and decisions. This could include the use of positive or supportive words to describe the other person. Equality: a belief that both parties share in decision making and are free to choose what is right for them. One person does not have power over the other either in decision making or sex. Trust: a belief that the other person in the relationship has your best interest at heart. This could include being faithful and honest,

#### SOUND RELATIONSHIPS

Music, like food, can feed our brains and give us energy. But, it also can be filled with ingredients that can affect us negatively. Some music may even have an influence on our health and the health of our relationships. This instrument will help you evaluate the "nutritional" value of the music you might listen to. We want you to put on your headphones, turn up the volume and become a song lyrics nutritionist. Just follow these easy steps.

#### STEP ONE: Find a song

Select a song. Find the lyrics of the song either from the CD insert, or search for them online. Print out the lyrics, and read them to get a feel for the main themes in the song.

#### STEP TWO: Determine if the song has a relationship theme

Songs with a relationship theme describe an emotional or physical connection between two or more people and should support, celebrate or glorify the unhealthy or healthy characteristics of the relationship.

STEP THREE: Score the song lyrics Carefully examine the song's title and all lyrics in the chorus and verses of the song. Now look at the Song Lyric Scoring Label to the left. Check the "PRESENT" box for each relationship ingredient that you find in the song. The definitions for each relationship ingredient are at the bottom of the label. Finally, for each ingredient that is present in the song, assign it a score from 1-10 in the "INTENSITY LEVEL" box based on how much of that relationship ingredient you feel is in the song. A score of 1 would indicate that there is a very low level of that relationship ingredient in the song while a score of 10 would indicate a very high level of that relationship ingredient. When assigning an intensity score, consider how those particular lyrics impact the overall message of the song.

STEP FOUR: Total your numbers Add up the scores from the intensity column in both the unhealthy and healthy sections. These totals indicate the unhealthy and healthy relationship "nutritional" value of the song's lyrics.

STEP FIVE: Balance your "lyrical" diet Use this tool whenever you want to find out the relationship ingredients of a song. Just like with the food we eat, it is important to have a balanced "song" diet that includes lots of healthy relationship ingredients. Knowing the ingredients will help you make an informed decision about which songs will promote good relationship health.



# The "magic formula" is...



# Know what's making news







# Involve creative people



## Be a credible messenger



## Move at their speed



# Be innovative (and take risks)



# **Start Strong Idaho**

"New Moon is a pop-culture tsunami."
Julia Sharkey, Teen InterACTivist



At the midnight premiere of New Moon on November 19<sup>th</sup>, Start Strong Idaho teens conducted a survey at theaters in the Boise

area.





# **Opportunities to Talk**

Teachable moment for parents and their pre-teens and young teens on building healthy teen, vampire, and werewolf relationships.

### A way to talk about relationships without invading a pre-teen or young teen's privacy.

# CAMPAIGN FOR THE THIRD CHOICE

Bella is graduating from high school and feels pressured to make a choice. Should your choices be defined by or limited to your relationships? One thing is certain. Every choice you make defines you. Own your choice. Define yourself. Imagine your future...

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# It's in the packaging







## **Build relationships and be collegial**



# **Start Strong Atlanta**



# Tapping into Current Events









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