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**2012 TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS & PREVENTION POSTER CONTEST RULES
FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS**

THEME: “Warning Signs of Dating Abuse”, may focus on one or more warning signs.

Go to http://labmf.org/facts/warning_signs for a list of warning signs of an abusive relationship

ELIGIBILITY: Contest is open to all high school students in the State of Rhode Island.

PRIZES: Grand prize: \$500.00 2 Runners Up: \$250.00 each

JUDGING CRITERIA: Judging will be based on originality, creativity, and development and reflection of the theme. As a resource, visit www.labmf.org and www.cdc.gov/chooserespect.org.

RULES: PLEASE NOTE CHANGE IN PAPER SIZE

1. Submitted artwork should be on heavy construction paper, matte finish, size 11 X 17, leaving a one inch plain border at the bottom (artwork should then be 11 X 16). **Use vertical orientation.** Do not put your name on the front of poster.
2. **Original, freehand artwork** in any medium, color or black and white. Keep in mind pencils appear light. **Computer graphics and copyrighted figures NOT accepted. Nothing may be glued, stapled or attached to the artwork. No cut and paste. NO SPELLING ERRORS.**
3. Only one entry per student, and each entry must be the work of only one student.
4. All entries become the property of the Lindsay Ann Burke Memorial Fund and cannot be returned. We reserve the right to use the posters for the purpose of dating violence education and promotion. A picture of the winning student may appear in the media and/or our newsletter/website/dvd/etc. as well.
5. Posters may not be folded or rolled. They must be mailed flat and protected by cardboard. Packages must be labeled “Do Not Bend” on both sides. Mail posters to: **Lindsay Ann Burke Memorial Fund, PO Box 1748, North Kingstown, RI 02852** or teachers can contact Ann Burke if teachers choose to deliver them
6. All entries must be received by **April 4, 2012.** Judging will take place in April and winners will be notified in April. Presentation of prizes to be made at a School Committee Meeting or equivalent.

REGISTRATION FORM: Complete the following, printing clearly. Attach this section to the back of your poster with invisible tape. Parent signature gives permission to LABMF to use student’s picture in newspaper/LABMF newsletter and permission to use poster for any educational purpose as above.

1. STUDENT’S NAME _____ GRADE _____
2. SCHOOL NAME _____
3. SCHOOL ADDRESS _____
4. SCHOOL TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____
5. NAME OF TEACHER TO BE NOTIFIED: _____ Email address: _____
6. PARENT’S PRINTED NAME: _____
7. PARENT’S SIGNATURE: _____