

High School Family Life Education Instructional Topics

Health I - Reducing the Risk (8-day unit)

- > Review of male and female reproductive systems
- ➤ Breast/testicular self-examination
- ➤ Consequences of sexting and appropriate online behavior
- Advantages of abstinence and postponing sexual activity
- Characteristics of a healthy dating relationship
- ➤ Importance of consent and respect in a relationship
- Verbal and non-verbal refusal skills
- ➤ Identifying delay tactics in a relationship
- > Contraception categories, options, and use
- > Transmission, prevention and treatment of STIs, HIV/AIDS

Health II - The Power to Decide: Your Life, Your Call (5-day unit)

- ➤ Goal setting and decision-making
- > Consequences of sexting and appropriate online behavior
- Advantages of abstinence and postponing sexual activity
- > Identify the impact of media on relationships
- Characteristics of healthy and unhealthy relationships
- > Strategies to identify and prevent abusive relationships
- ➤ Identify dating violence resources in the community
- Transmission, prevention and treatment of STIs, HIV/AIDS
- Recognize and use refusal and negotiation skills
- > Identify the signs of pregnancy
- > Understand the process of fetal development, labor, and birth
- ➤ Identify reasons to delay parenting until adulthood
- ➤ Identify the impact of becoming a parent financially, emotionally, physically