

**DO YOU WANT TO  
BE A GREAT DAD?**

**MEN'S CAMPAIGN  
FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTIO FUND**

## **BEING A GOOD FATHER IS NOT EASY...**

A MAN TEACHES WITH HIS EXAMPLE AND WITH HIS ACTIONS...  
ACTIONS SPEAK LOUDER THAN WORDS...

### **WHAT DOES AN EXEMPLARY (GREAT) DAD DO?**

HE WINS RESPECT—HE ACKNOWLEDGES THE VALUE OF HIS WIFE AND HIS CHILDREN. HE ACCEPTS THAT THEY DON'T ALL THINK LIKE HE DOES...

HE TREATS THE KID'S MOTHER WITH RESPECT AND DIGNITY.

HE SHOWS TENDERNESS AND LOVE. HE TREATS THEM WITH WARMTH AND PATIENCE. THEY ARE HIS CHILDREN NOT MATTER WHAT.

HE GIVES THEM ATTENTION—HE PLAYS WITH THEM, HE STAYS HOME, SPENDS TIME WITH THEM.

HE WATCHES OVER THE CHILDREN. HE PAYS ATTENTION TO THEIR EDUCATION AND TO THEIR HEALTH.

HE IS A PROVIDER: HE DOES ALL THAT HE CAN TO SUPPORT HIS FAMILY.

## **HE GIVES A GOOD EXAMPLE IN ALL HIS BEHAVIOR.**

OBSTACLES TO BEING A GOOD DAD.

- ➔ LACK OF WORK (UNEMPLOYMENT)
- ➔ NOT MAKING ENOUGH MONEY (WORK THAT DOES NOT PAY ENOUGH).
- ➔ DRUGS AND ALCOHOL.
- ➔ BAD CONDUCT WITH HIS PARTNER:
  - ◆ INSULTING HER, YELLING AT HER, TREATING HER WITH DISDAIN
  - ◆ LYING TO HER
  - ◆ HAVING GIRLFRIENDS
  - ◆ VIOLENCE VIOLENT TO HER
- ➔ MALE PRIDE
- ➔ DESIRE TO DOMINATE HER
- ➔ ABANDONMENT: LACK OF RESPONSIBILITY WITH HIS PARTNER AND CHILDREN

**CIRCLE: BAD CONDUCT (BEHAVIOR) STAYS IN THE HEART**

VIOLENCE AND BAD EXAMPLES:  
WHAT DO THEY DO TO CHILDREN?

THEY DESTROY TRUST.

THEY CAUSE FEAR AND WITHDRAWAL.

CAUSE REBELLIOUSNESS TOWARD FATHERS.

CREATE APPREHENSION AND EMOTIONAL DISTANCING

MAKES THEM AGGRESSIVE

URNS BOYS INTO ABUSIVE MEN

PRODUCE DISTRUST TOWARD MEN IN GIRLS

CREATE PROBLEMS WITH SCHOOLWORK AND CONCENTRATION.  
CONCENTRATION

LEAVES SCARS AND BAD MEMORIES

**IT IS NEVER TOO LATE TO CHANGE  
A GOOD FATHER IS NOT A SLAVE TO HIS PRIDE**

IF WE MAKE MISTAKES, WHAT DO WE DO?

ASK CLOSE FRIENDS FOR ADVICE

STOP BAD BEHAVIOR

ADMIT YOUR MISTAKES WITH DIGNITY

TELL THE TRUTH

GET EXPERT HELP

SPEAK WITH YOUR CHILDREN WITH SINCERITY

SHOW WE HAVE CHANGED THROUGH GOOD BEHAVIOR

***PATIENCE AND A GOOD EXAMPLE ARE THE KEY TO UNDOING THE  
DAMAGE WE HAVE DONE***

**BAD CONDUCT DESTROYS THE FAMILY  
GOOD CONDUCT BENEFITS EVERYBODY**

# **SPORTS SCHEDULE**

**SOCCER**

**FOOTBALL**

**BASEBALL**

**BASKETBALL**

**BOXING**

**BULLFIGHTING**