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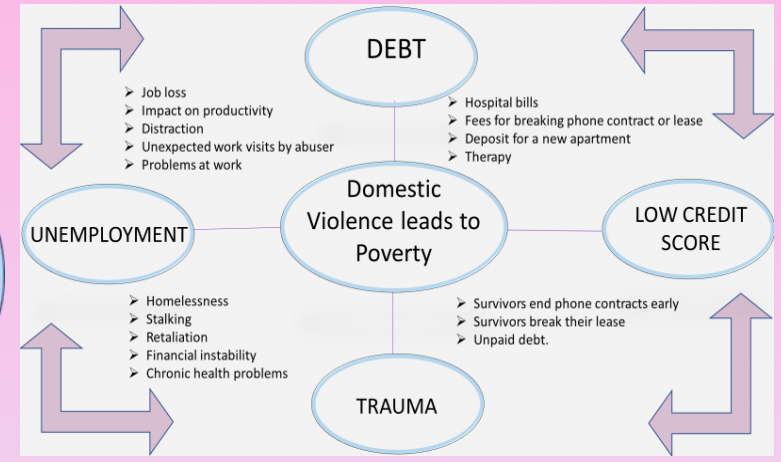
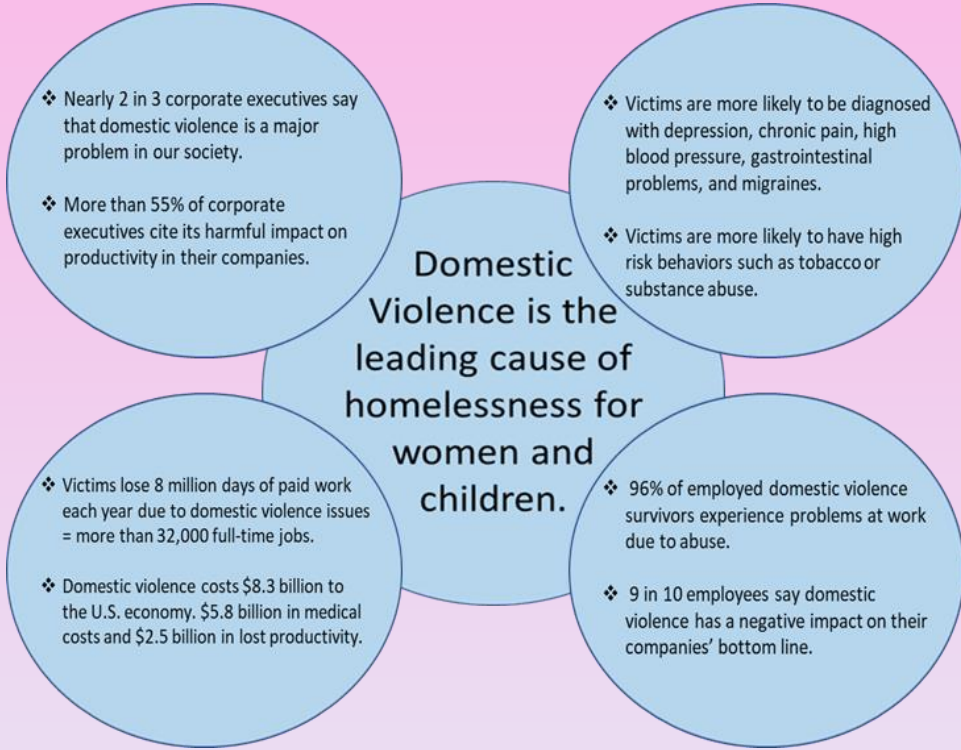
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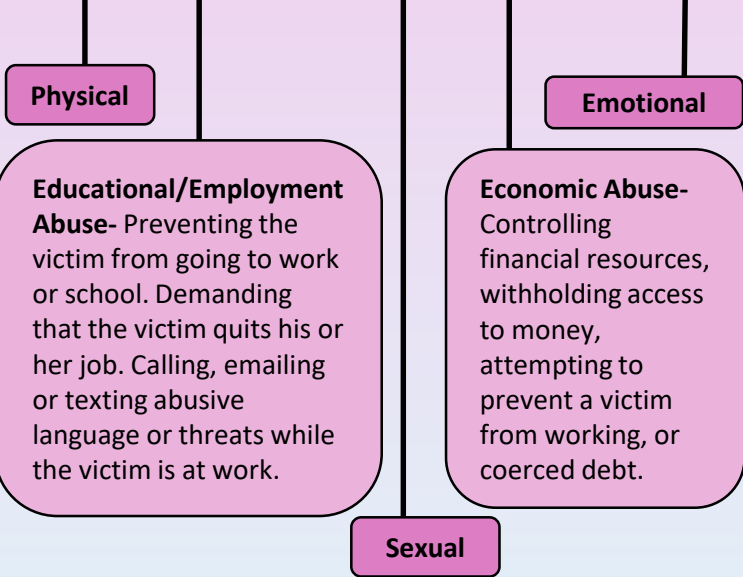
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- Between 94 - 99 percent of domestic violence victims experience economic abuse.
- 20,000 calls are placed each day to domestic violence hotlines.
- Only 34 percent of people injured by intimate partners receive medical care for their injuries.
- Between 21 - 60 percent of domestic violence victims lose their jobs due to the abuse.



**Domestic Violence-** An act of violence or abuse of one person to another in a domestic setting



- Survivors are more likely to be economically insecure due to limited access to resources such as medical care, legal services, and shelters.
- 85% of domestic violence survivors are women.

**STATE**

- A domestic violence department within the State similar to the Department of Children and Families (e.g. Domestic Survivors Services)
- Government funds for survivors and children
- Compensation to survivors from perpetrators

**LOCAL**

- Free daycare for children
- Family Connections' Keeping Families Together (KFT) program
- Employee assistance and safety programs
- Public awareness and community education