

# RECLAIMING HER VOICE ...TO END DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

#### **Facts**

One in every 4 women will experience domestic violence in her lifetime.\* One in 5 will have her first experience of this violence between the ages of 11-17.\* **Houston, we have a problem.** Her Voice was founded in response to this ever growing issue in our community. No longer can we pretend it isn't happening because it is. Now it's time to do something about it.

#### **Purpose**

Her VOICE is a non-profit organization founded in 2014. This organization is dedicated to empowering survivors of Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) or Domestic Violence (DV) through mentorship and education.

## **Program**

This program is a three level mentorship program. Women who have been survivors of abuse and apart from their abusive relationship for a minimum of 2 years will mentor other survivors who have gone through a treatment program or DV shelter program in the last year. These women will be matched for 1 year and engage in both organized and community based programming and events. Teen girls will also be mentored as part of this program to encourage prevention of dating violence. This program is FREE and both mentor and mentee will receive training and support.

#### Mentors/ Mentees

If you are interested in volunteering to be a mentor or you are interested in being a mentee please visit our web site or contact us for more information!!

## Sign Up

Open enrollment for Mentors & Mentees!!

October 2014

Learn more about

Her VOICE

at our reception

Wednesday,

October 22, 2014

6-8 pm

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