

Become a Man ACROSS



Men ACROSS is a violence prevention organization comprised of men in York County, SC.

MISSION: We aim to prevent domestic and sexual violence against women by <u>shifting social</u> <u>norms</u> regarding definitions of manhood that negatively impact our community.

EDUCATION: We provide men and boys with the tools and strategies to positively address these social issues through community events and monthly meetings.

FELLOWSHIP: We invite all men who are interested in improving our community and learning how to prevent domestic and sexual violence.

A Man ACROSS pledges to:

Be **AWARE** of how one's words, thoughts, and actions may inadvertently cause harm towards women, especially silence.

Be as **CARING** to women whom one may be unrelated to as they would be to those that are, knowing that in doing so they are creating a safer environment for all women in our community.

Be **RESPONSIVE** when the safety and welfare of women are at risk, even when others are unresponsive.

Be **OPEN-MINDED** about the changes one needs to make in their beliefs, opinions, and actions towards women.

Be **SENSITIVE** to the needs of all individuals in the community so that we can all live safely and free from threat of harm.

Be **STRONG** as they work towards ending violence towards women in our community.



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