



## Implementation Guide

The videos and materials on this site have been developed by conducting numerous focus groups across the State of Georgia and reviewing national research. Our teen representatives developed the title of the website and determined the topics that most affect their lives to include in the video pieces. The stories shared in the two, half-hour shows and the ten vignettes are real experiences of Georgia teens. They have boldly shared their triumphs as well as lessons learned from unhealthy choices.

The Governor's Office for Children and Families is honored to have worked with the youth on this project and proudly distribute these materials. Thousands of teens will now have expanded access to materials that will empower them to make the healthiest choice, abstinence in preparation for marriage.

### Streaming Videos -- Online or on DVD

***The Real Majority*** highlights the truth about teen sexuality: More than half of all teenagers in ninth- through 12th grade are NOT sexually active. This compelling program illustrates the personal power in remaining abstinent as well as how early sexual activity can unexpectedly alter the future.

***Starting Over*** tells the inspiring stories of teens that have experienced the negative consequences of early sexual involvement and have been empowered to abstain from this point forward -- to "start over."

The ***Short Story Vignettes*** are ten brief video stories focusing on numerous topics relating to the benefits of abstaining from sexual activity. These shorter segments are ideal for using in classrooms or within your organization. Each vignette is followed by a set of discussion questions.

New ***Public Service Announcements*** have been developed for classroom viewing or community advertising.

# Everybody's **NOT** doing it.

Join the **real** majority.

## How to Use The Materials

- Download or order at no cost, the video programs, arrange a screening in your classroom, youth program or community. Invite parents, teens or both, and use the materials to make the event a positive learning experience. The two, half-hour shows can be viewed in segments if time does not allow for the full airing. All of the public service announcements are embedded within the two DVDs.
- Print the discussion/self-reflection questions, which are available in both English and Spanish. These thought-provoking activities provide discussion topics for parents and teens. They may also be used as classroom or homework assignments.
- Start a discussion group that focuses on the benefits of abstinence, the negative consequences of sexual involvement and experiences of the youth in the videos.
- Use materials on the website to distribution up-to-date information to youth, parents, community leaders, school personnel and local organizations.
- Print and distribute the three fact sheets for use during presentations or as handouts.
- Visit the suggested websites under “Live Links” to continue to connect with informed leaders in abstinence education.

**The Real Majority** and **Starting Over** are also available on DVD.

To order a DVD, contact Danielle Ruedt by email at

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These true-life stories and suggested discussion questions provide an excellent way for teens and adults to watch, learn and talk together about the benefits of delaying sexual activity until marriage..