

# Guys to Look Out For

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## Pay attention to behavior that doesn't seem or feel right including:

- Guys who don't listen to you, who ignore you or talk over you.
- Guys who sit or stand too close to you, or make you feel uncomfortable.
- Guys who seem to enjoy making you feel uncomfortable or embarrassed.
- Guys who touch you without your permission, or continue to touch you when you've indicated otherwise.
- Guys who hold negative attitudes about women, make jokes about their bodies, or see them as sexual objects.
- Guys who refer to women as 'sluts', 'bitches', 'whores', etc.
- Guys who express anger and violence towards women either through words (e.g. 'you bitch, I'm going to kill you') or by pushing, shoving, or hitting.
- Guys who don't take you or your ideas seriously. Guys who laugh at your opinions.
- Guys who make you feel like you aren't as important as they are. Guys who talk to you like you're not as smart as they are.
- Guys who use pornography on a regular basis.
- Guys who follow you around, constantly call or email you after you have told them you don't want to go out with them, or have broken up with them.

## You should not feel pressured to have sex by someone you choose to spend time with.

### The following statements are attempts to manipulate you using guilt:

- 'You're a tease.'
- 'Are you frigid or something?'
- 'You must be a lesbian then.'
- 'If you really cared about me you'd do this.'
- 'But I love you.'
- 'I'll have blue balls if you don't do this.'
- 'You really want it. You just don't want to look like a slut.'
- 'You can't let me pay for everything and then just back out now.'