Domestic Violence—how can I make a difference?

One woman a week in Australia is killed by an intimate partner and more than 132,000 women suffer assaults by partners or ex-partners each year. How can we prevent and reduce this violence?

**Date:**  Tuesday 2 December 2014  
**Time:**  5.30-7.30pm  
**Venue:**  Level 3 Bowen Library  
Corner Anzac Pde and Gale Rd Maroubra

Light refreshments will be served

What would you do?
If there is domestic violence next door?  
If your mate says ‘some women ask for it’?  
If your daughter or son is in an abusive relationship?  
If the women at work are treated with disrespect?  

What can people in the community, and men in particular, do to help prevent and reduce domestic violence?

**Speaker:**

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Dr Michael Flood is an internationally recognised researcher on men, masculinities, and violence prevention. He has made a significant contribution to scholarly and community understanding of men’s and boys’ involvements in preventing and reducing violence against women, and influential contributions to scholarship and programming regarding violence against women and its prevention. Dr Flood also is a trainer and community educator with a long involvement in community advocacy and education work focused on men’s violence against women. Dr Flood has worked with sporting and military organizations, community services, and governments, participated in international expert meetings, and contributed to social change campaigns.

Come along to hear about the everyday steps you can take to create change on this issue and make a difference!