

FAMILY VIOLENCE: 3 STRATEGIES

On a large sheet of **newsprint**, make three columns. Label them *Parent/Parent*, *Parent/Child* and *Child/Child*. Talk about abuse involving each of these pairs of family members and invite group members to brainstorm different ways to cope in each situation. Help the group to include:

- ideas on what the victim could do to protect him- or herself
- ideas on how someone outside the situation could get help for the victim
- ideas on how to stop the abuser