

The Paradox:

Violence is considered **a private issue**, yet relationships are **a topic of discussion** for community members

“This is Guyana and this is on behalf of myself and every other woman. You don’t go to a place in Guyana and tell them what’s going on without other people hearing; they’re so unprofessional. And you have to be afraid that you might run into this person three years from now and ten other people know your business”

Female, Survivor Interview G