



## Teen Talk Program

- Teen Talk Program is funded by the Georgia Department of Public Health (DPH) and the Georgia Department of Families and Children (DFCS) through the Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP) grant
- Program focus on providing youth with the resources and skills for the prevention of pregnancy and sexually transmitted infections, including HIV/AIDS
- The intent of the program is to change behavior, which means delaying sexual activity, increasing condom or contraceptive use for sexually active youth and reducing pregnancy among youth.
- Registered youth will receive food/refreshments at every session and will be entered into weekly drawing for door prizes
- Registered youth who attend 6 out of 8 Teen Talk Sessions will receive a **FREE \$25 gift card** to retail store of their selection.

### Teen Talk Program Curriculum

- Making Proud Choices! A Safer Sex Approach to STDs, Teen Pregnancy and HIV Prevention
- Relationship Smarts PLUS

### Making Proud Choices! A Safer Sex Approach to STDs, Teen Pregnancy and HIV Prevention

- 8 module curriculum that provides middle school and high school students the knowledge to make safer decision about STDs, teen pregnancy, and HIV prevention
- Program is designed to help adolescents develop the skills and motivation necessary to reduce risk related behaviors, and presents abstinence as the best way to prevent HIV infection, other sexually transmitted diseases and unplanned pregnancy
- The curriculum is filled with fun activities that include building skills to delay initiating sexual activity and to communicate with partners. In addition, the curriculum provides knowledge to the youth who may currently be sexually active or plan to be sexually active to use condoms
- The curriculum includes a condom and contraceptive demonstration

### Relationship Smarts PLUS

- 13-lesson research-based curriculum that builds skills and knowledge necessary for healthy relationships
- Seeks to increase management skills, identity and future orientation, and a unique approach to pregnancy prevention that educates about the needs of children and the importance of sequence, i.e. education, job, marriage, before babies
- Relationship Smarts PLUS is designed to work well with diverse youth. It is written in a style that is easy for teens to understand and includes “common” teen language
- The curriculum is full of activities that employ real-world scenarios created with the help of scores of diverse young people