

Resources: Understanding & Addressing Women's Use of Force

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Community-Based Curricula, Guide, & Webinar:

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- Pence, E., Scaia, M., & Connelly, L. (2011). **Turning Points: A Nonviolence Curriculum for Women Who Use Violence Against Their Partners.** For more information go to: <http://dvturningpoints.com/products>

Prison-Based Curriculum:

- Larance, L. Y., Cape, J. K., & Garvin, D. J. H. (2012). **Meridians for Incarcerated Women**, a 20-session curriculum providing incarcerated women an opportunity to reflect upon their pasts as they shape their futures. Facilitator Manual and Participant Workbook, available for download:
<https://csswashtenaw.org/bhs/ada/renew/meridians/>

Listserv Membership:

- **W-Catch22** provides local, national, and international resource sharing opportunities for professionals involved in the lives of women who have used force in their intimate relationships. Contact listserv moderator, Lisa Young Larance, for membership information: lylarance@gmail.com

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