Record Nr. UNINA9910453408403321 Intimate betrayal: domestic violence in lesbian relationships / / Ellyn **Titolo** Kaschak, editor Pubbl/distr/stampa New York:,: Routledge,, 2012 **ISBN** 0-7890-1663-X 1-317-78817-6 1-315-80898-6 1-317-78818-4 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (256 p.) Altri autori (Persone) KaschakEllyn <1943-> 147 Disciplina Soggetti Lesbian partner abuse Abused lesbians Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia "Co-published simultaneously as Women & therapy, volume 23, Note generali number 3 2001." Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Cover; Half Title; Title Page; Copyright Page; About the Editor; Table of Contents; Intimate Betrayal: Domestic Violence in Lesbian Relationships; Forging Community Links to Address Abuse in Lesbian Relationships: Literature Review: Empirical Estimates and Descriptive Characteristics of Abuse; Anecdotal Evidence; Calls to Address the Needs of Underserved Populations; Descriptions of Approaches and Community Efforts; Discussion; What Are the Next Steps?; Nowhere to Hide: Lesbian Battering, Homophobia, and Minority Stress; Homophobia; Internalized Homophobia; Minority Stress Context of Homophobia: Impact on VictimContext of Homophobia: Impact on Perpetrator: Context of Homophobia: Impact on Sources of Help; Conclusions and Suggestions for Future Research; Knowledge About Heterosexual versus Lesbian Battering Among Lesbians: Incidence and Prevalence of Lesbian Battering: Traditional Feminist Models of Battering; Power and Battering; The Gay and Lesbian Community: The Purpose of Study: Method: Participants: Instruments:

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Help ease the secret suffering of lesbians in abusive relationships!Why is woman-on-woman violence so often ignored or discounted? Intimate Betrayal: Domestic Violence in Lesbian Relationships uncovers the hidden problem of lesbians who hurt the women they love. This long-needed book brings together theory, practice, and research to suggest new and fruitful ways to understand, prevent, and treat this common problem. Intimate Betrayal provides new empirical research into the psychological and sociocultural causes of abuse. As several of the chapter authors demonstrate, neith