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Documentary screening to shed light on domestic violence

OMAHA, Neb. — A public screening of HBO documentary “Private Violence” will be held at Metropolitan Community College’s South Omaha Campus inside room 120 of the Industrial Training Center on Monday, Oct. 20, at 6:30 p.m.

A feature-length documentary, “Private Violence” explores domestic violence issues, showing that the most dangerous place for a woman in America is inside her own home. Through the eyes of two survivors of domestic abuse — Deanna Walters, a mother who seeks justice for the crimes committed against her at the hands of her estranged husband, and Kit Gruelle, an advocate who seeks justice for all women — the documentary tackles the harsh realities of intimate partner violence. Tara Muir, executive director of the Domestic Violence Council, will debrief the film with a panel of survivors and advocates from the community.

The screening is part of MCC’s ninth annual Diversity Matters Film and Lecture Series. The event is free and open to the public.

Visit privateviolence.com for more information about the documentary. Contact bvelazquez@mccneb.edu or 402-457-2253 for more information about the screening at Metropolitan Community College.

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