USING COERCION AND THREATS

Making and/or carrying out threats t do something to hurt he threatening to leave her, to comm suicide, to report he to welfare • making he

drop charges • making her do illegal things

USING INTIMIDATION

Making her afraid by using looks, actions, gestures • smashing things • destroying her property • abusing pets • displaying weapons

USING EMOTIONAL ABUSE

reventing her from getting or keeping a job • making her ask for money • giving her an allowance

USING

ABUSE

ECONOMIC

• taking her money • not letting her know about or have access to family

Putting her down • making her feel bad about herself • calling her names • making her think she's crazy • playing mind games • humiliating her · making her feel guilty

USING MALE PRIVILEGE

Treating her like a servant • making all the big decisions • acting like the "master of the castle" • being the one to define men's and women's roles

USING CHILDREN

Making her feel guilty about the children • using the children to relay messages

• using visitation to harass her • threatening to take the children away

USING ISOLATION

Controlling what she does, who she sees and talks to, what she reads, where she goes . limiting her outside involvement • using jealousy to justify actions

MINIMIZING, **DENYING** AND BLAMING

Making light of the abuse and not taking her concerns about it seriously • saying the abuse didn't happen • shifting responsibility for abusive behavior • saying she caused it

OLENCE SEXUAL