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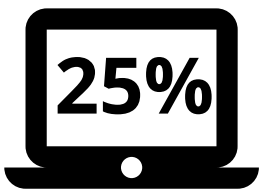
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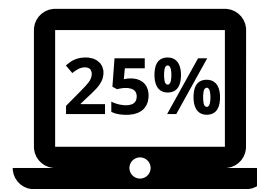
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2. Encourages me to try new things.
3. Likes to listen when I have something on my mind.
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5. Is not liked very well by my friends.
6. Says I'm too involved in different activities.
7. Texts me or calls me all the time.
8. Thinks I spend too much time trying to look nice.
9. Gets extremely jealous or possessive.
10. Accuses me of flirting or cheating.
11. Constantly checks up on me or makes me check in.
12. Controls what I wear or how I look.
13. Tries to control what I do and who I see.
14. Tries to keep me from seeing or talking to my family and friends.
15. Has big mood swings, getting angry and yelling at me one minute but being sweet and apologetic the next
16. Makes me feel nervous or like I'm "walking on eggshells."
17. Puts me down, calls me names or criticizes me.
18. Makes me feel like I can't do anything right or blames me for problems.
19. Makes me feel like no one else would want me.
20. Threatens to hurt me, my friends or family.
21. Threatens to hurt themselves because of me.
22. Threatens to destroy my things (Phone, clothes, laptop, car, etc.).
23. Grabs, pushes, shoves, chokes, punches, slaps, holds me down, throws things or hurts me in some way.
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