Violence

What is violence? I believe that violence is a negative act created by someone who was provoked. Violence can happen anywhere, anytime, for any reason, and some people might consider violence dangerous. People who are violent may not have any self-restraint and might act crazy hurting the people around them because of their actions. There friends and family might not want to be around or socialize with them because they are afraid that a certain action will cause that person to be violent.

How can violence affect people’s life? I think that violence can have a really bad affects, but not just on the person causing it but the people that he is around. Violence has not really affected my life, I have not been violent and I have not socialized with people who are violent. Also I can’t recall someone using violence on me, my family has always been nice and caring to me and I do not get bullied. I have never had the urge to start violence because I rarely experience frustration and I don’t have depression to set me off. But once my mother and aunt did something with violence that kind of affected my life. When I was little I always saw my cousin we played a lot, but soon my mother and my aunt had an argument over something I do not know about. They argued for a while when me and my cousin played but soon they just ignored each other and they she didn’t let my cousin come out anymore and soon them moved. This had made me upset because I did not know when they left and I probably would not be able to see my cousin again. So I guess I have experienced violence, in a way, and it had affected my life.
What are the causes of youth violence? I think that there are a lot of causes and reasons for youth violence. But some of the causes that I believe are more affected for youth violence are peer pressure, depression, confusion, television, family problems. I believe that peer pressure is a cause because people might dare someone to do something that they have no business doing, and they can get that person into trouble. Maybe the person will have a grudge against the people who dared him. I think that depression is a cause too because someone could be upset with there life and do something to end it (some depressed people don’t commit suicide). Confusion is also a cause for youth violence because a person would not understand what is going on around them and could act out of the ordinary because of the things they might have heard or saw. Television can also be a cause for youth violence because the person might see something on T.V. that they want to try and when they do it they get in to trouble. Lastly I believe that family problems is a cause because a teenager may rebel or disobey there person and do drastic things to show that they are their own person.

What can we do about youth violence? One way that I think we can stop youth violence is that the parents, teachers, and friends should find to sit down with the person who’s causing the violence and have a talk with them finding out what the problem is then trying to resolve it. I believe that here are a lot of causes for violence and how they started; I also believe that there are a lot of ways to solve each act of violence.