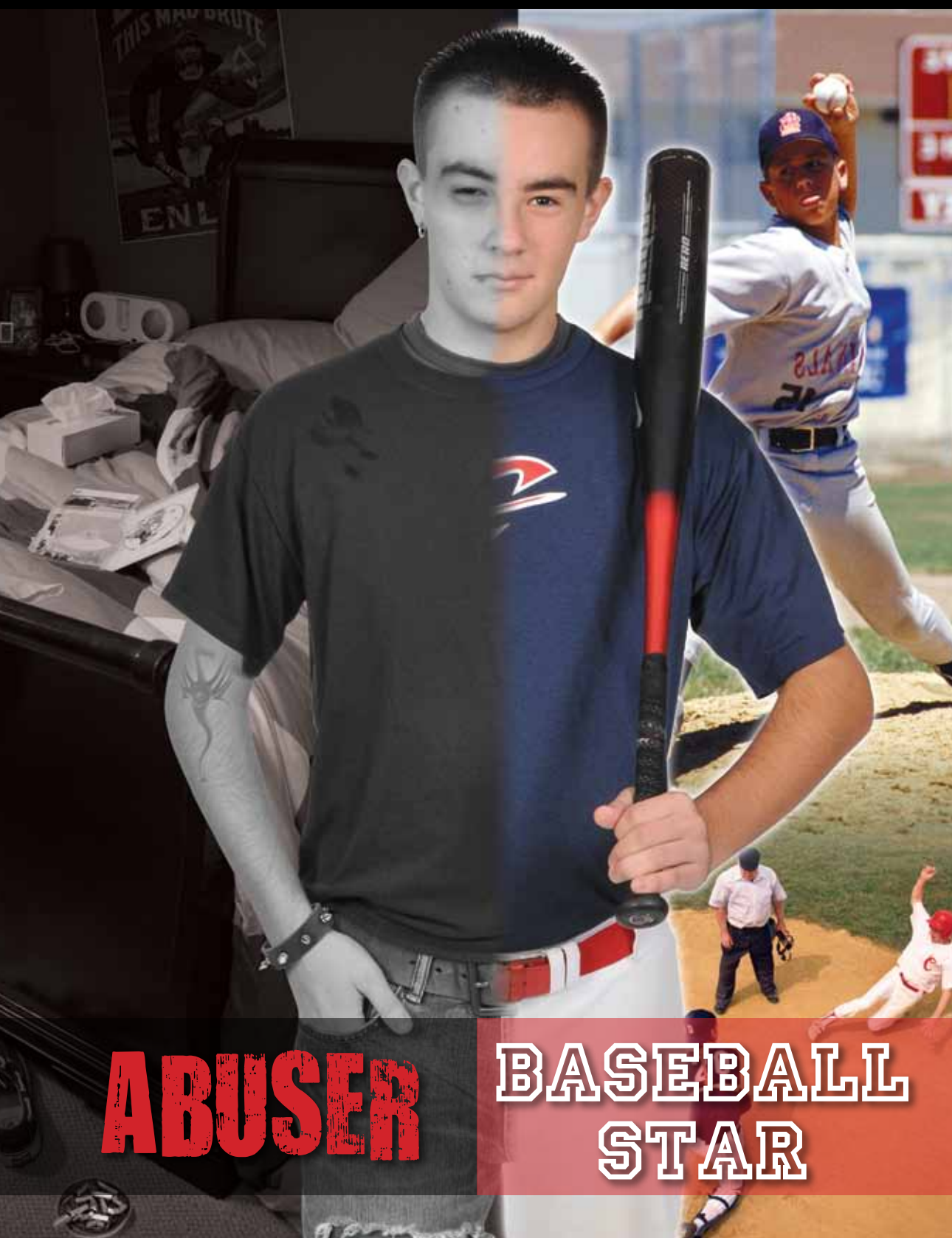


Don't let prescription drugs ruin your child's future



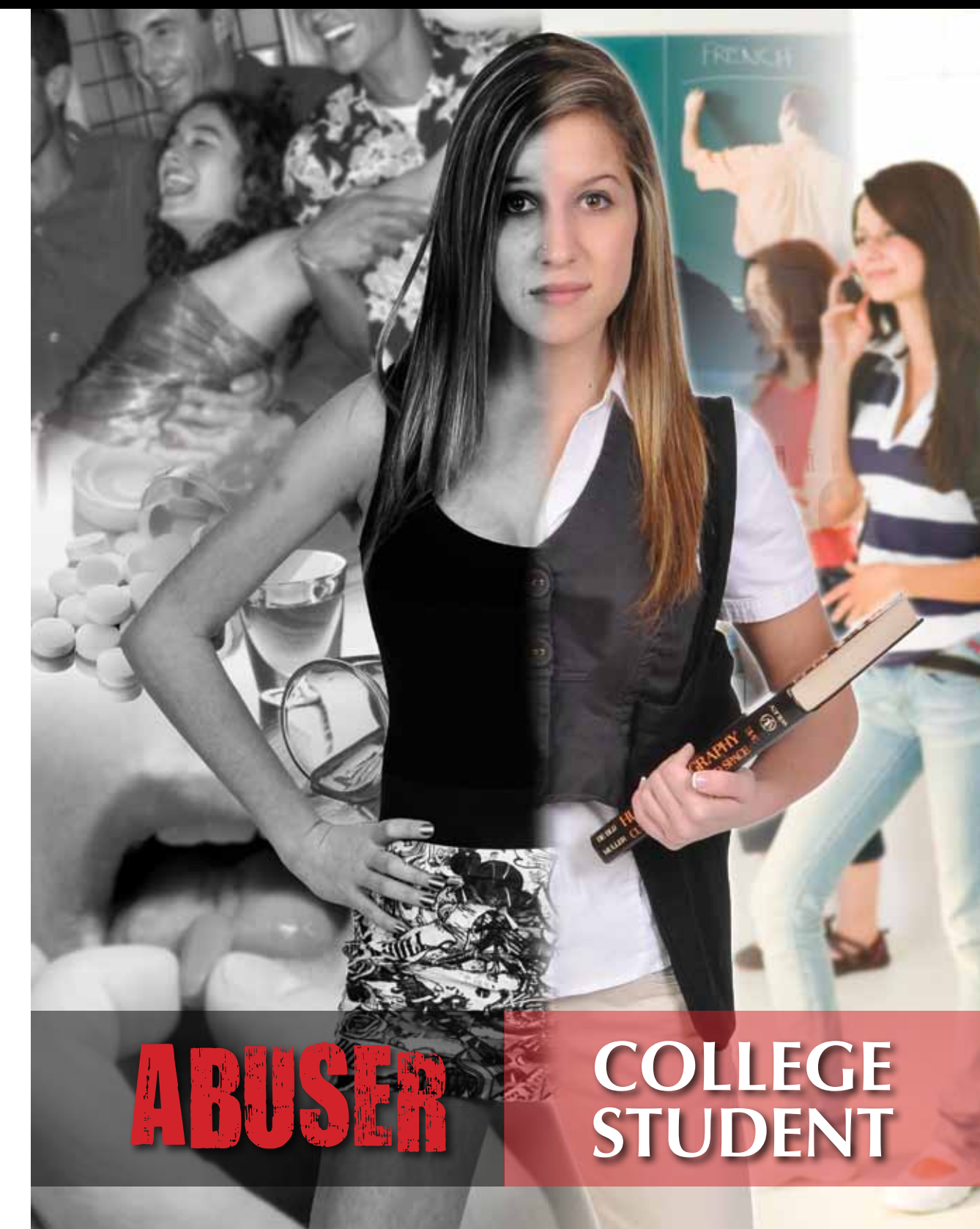
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Would You Know if Your Child Was Addicted to Prescription Drugs?

While illegal drug use among teens is falling, teen prescription drug abuse is on the rise. One in five teens has abused a prescription pain medication, and in Florida prescription drugs have killed 300% more people than illegal drugs. Prescription drugs are easier for kids to get than illicit drugs – mostly from their parents' medicine cabinets, but also from friends' homes, internet pharmacies or classmates. Some signs that your child might be abusing include:

- **personality changes**
- **a change in appearance**
- **social withdrawal**
- **erratic behavior**



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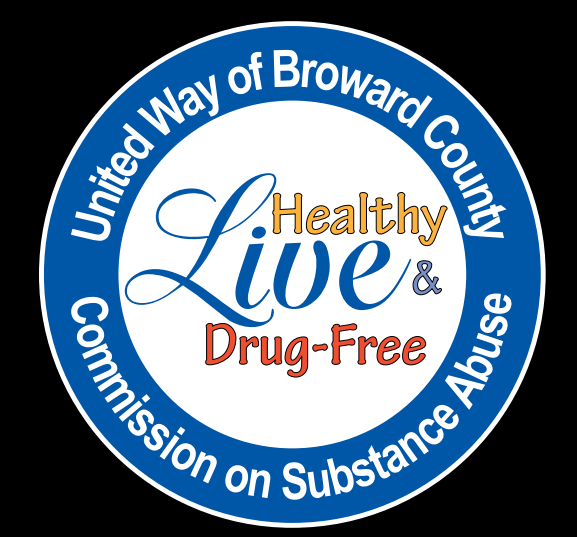
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