Your Choice, Your Consequences – What's the risk?

January

Because you and your partner talked openly about not being ready to have sex and you both agreed to those limits, pregnancy did not occur.

February

Because you did not understand the directions or did not follow the directions when you used birth control but had intercourse anyway, pregnancy has occurred.

March

After you had sex the first time, you felt that you couldn't change your mind, so a pregnancy has occurred.

<u>April</u>

Because you decided to postpone intercourse until you had appropriate protection, pregnancy did not occur.

<u>May</u>

You drank too much alcohol & it impaired your judgement. Because you didn't abstain or use a method of protection (i.e., condoms), pregnancy has occurred.

<u>June</u>

Since you told your partner you didn't want to have sex and stuck to your decision, pregnancy did not occur.

<u>July</u>

You didn't talk with your partner about your sexual limits/boundaries because you were afraid that they would be upset with you. So now, you (or your partner) are pregnant.



Teaching Tool

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August

Because you decided to use The Pill and you (or your partner) took it at the same time every day, you are not pregnant.

September

Because you used a condom correctly every time you had sex, you (or your partner) did not become pregnant.

October

Because you realized you could control your actions & avoided a risky situation by talking honestly with your partner, you (or your partner) did not become pregnant.

November

Because you didn't think it could happen to you and you didn't postpone sex or use protection, a pregnancy has occurred.

December

Because after your first scare you decided that the worry was not worth it, you decided to abstain. You (or your partner) are not pregnant.

