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### **'Battered Barbie' joins war on domestic violence**

A Barbie Doll covered in bruises and blood is being used as part of an art exhibition in the UK to raise awareness for domestic abuse. Sam Humphries has painted the Barbies, which have shocked audiences worldwide, with bleeding mouths and bruised faces for a display called 'Speaking Out' which looks into violence against women in art. Ms Humphries has said that 'the dolls are part of a project demonstrating how reality actually is and that life isn't perfect.'