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I was 15 years old and pregnant. I certainly did not WANT to tell my parents. But I did and they helped and advised me. 15-17 year olds are not adults. They have a lot of emotional stuff going on at that age, they do not have as much experience and knowledge as their parents, and they need parental guidance, advice, and support.