

## Content for communication

<b>Newsletter/ website content</b>	<p><b>Help is available for people affected by domestic and family violence</b></p> <p>Domestic and family violence is never acceptable — everyone has the right to feel safe in public and at home.</p> <p>Violence and abuse in a relationship can be perpetrated in many different forms, not just physical. Abuse may be emotional, financial, social, spiritual, sexual, verbal, psychological or technology-based.</p> <p>Violence and abuse can also occur among couples of all ages, including older people. Unfortunately, this is often a hidden problem.</p> <p>Sometimes, older people don't recognise abuse by their partner as domestic and family violence because it has gone on for many years and become normalised as part of the relationship.</p> <p>They may also find it difficult to seek help because they are financially dependent or ill, or are afraid of losing their home and breaking up family relationships.</p> <p>Help is available for people of all ages affected by domestic and family violence.</p> <p>If you are experiencing abuse, or are concerned about someone, reach out for support.</p> <p>In an emergency, call triple zero (000) and ask for the police.</p> <p>Call DVConnect for free, confidential crisis support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• DVConnect Womensline: 1800 811 811 (7 days, 24 hours)</li><li>• DVConnect Mensline: 1800 600 636 (7 days, 9 am to midnight)</li></ul> <p>For more information about domestic and family violence and how to get help, visit <a href="http://www.qld.gov.au/dfvsupport">www.qld.gov.au/dfvsupport</a></p>
<b>Social media post</b>	<p>Domestic and family violence occurs among people of all ages, including older couples.</p> <p>Some older people who are abused by their partner don't recognise this is domestic and family violence. Often, the abuse has gone on for many years and become normalised as part of the relationship.</p> <p>Help is available for people of all ages affected by domestic and family violence. If you are experiencing abuse, or are concerned about someone, contact <a href="http://DVConnect">DVConnect</a>.</p> <p>Visit <a href="http://www.qld.gov.au/dfvsupport">www.qld.gov.au/dfvsupport</a> for more information about domestic and family violence and how to get help.</p> <p>In an emergency, call triple zero (000) and ask for the police.</p>
<b>Social media post</b>	<p>Domestic and family violence among older couples is often a hidden problem. It may be difficult for older people experiencing domestic and family violence by their partner to seek help, especially if the abuse has become accepted as part of the relationship, or if the victim is financially dependent or ill.</p> <p>Help is available for people of all ages affected by domestic and family violence. If you are experiencing abuse, or are concerned about someone, contact <a href="http://DVConnect">DVConnect</a>.</p> <p>Visit <a href="http://www.qld.gov.au/dfvsupport">www.qld.gov.au/dfvsupport</a> for more information about domestic and family violence and how to get help.</p> <p>In an emergency, call triple zero (000) and ask for the police.</p>