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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IN CANADA

«Domestic Violence» is abuse committed against an adult or a child, a spouse, a former spouse, a cohabitant, a former cohabitant, a person with whom the suspect has had a child or is having or has had a dating or engagement relationship. Same sex relationships are included.

Abuse means that someone hurts you or treats you badly. The abuser can be male or female. Domestic abuse can be physical, sexual, emotional, psychological, financial. Domestic abuse is a crime in Canada. It is against the law. At least 1 from 10 women in Canada experiences abuse. Domestic abuse happens to people from all races, religions, sexual orientations, income levels and education levels.

In Canada, the issue of domestic violence is strictly controlled. Police can refer you to certain services. If the situation isn't dangerous right now, you can also call a health centre, victim services, community organization, shelter, or the local police and tell them about the abuse.

They can help you to figure out what to do next. Creating a safety plan is a way to think in advance about what you and your children can do during a violent incident, the people you can turn to for help and important documents you will need if you have to leave quickly. In order to avoid domestic violence, both children and adults need to learn some tips for improving the family climate. First of all, try to make comments one by one alone, tactfully and delicately. Do not provoke conflicts. Stop the anger is not the one who is right, but who stopped the quarrel in a timely manner.

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THE PROBLEM OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IN CANADA

When people think of domestic abuse, they often focus on domestic violence. But domestic abuse includes any attempt by one person in an intimate relationship or marriage to dominate and control the other. Domestic violence and abuse are used for one purpose and one purpose only: to gain and maintain total control over victim. An abuser doesn't "play fair." An