

Action Research Support Resources on Violence Against Women and their children.

National Telephone Crisis Support Services

1800 RESPECT (1800 737 732): 24 hour, National Sexual Assault, Family & Domestic Violence Counselling Line <https://www.1800respect.org.au/service-support/>

1800 551 800 Kids Help Line - Telephone counselling for children and young people; E-mail and web counselling www.kidshelp.com.au

131 114 Lifeline (24 hours)

000 Police or Ambulance in an emergency

131 450 Translating and Interpreting Service (free)

1300 78 99 78 Mensline Australia - Supports men and boys who are dealing with family and relationship difficulties <https://www.mensline.org.au/>

1300 657 380 National counselling helpline Adults Surviving Child Abuse Counselling and support for adult survivors of child abuse

1800 272 831 Bravehearts Counselling and support for survivors of child sexual abuse <http://www.bravehearts.org.au/>

1800 991 099 Child Wise Counselling- child abuse first point of contact telephone <https://www.childwise.org.au/>

1800 008 774 Care Leavers Australia Network <https://www.findandconnect.gov.au/>

1800 184 527 LGBTI Help Qlifeline <http://www.anothercloset.com.au/>
<http://www.livingproud.org.au/living-proud-services/community-services/phoneline/>

State & Territory Crisis Service & Support Numbers

ACT

Domestic Violence Crisis Service A.C.T – 02 6280 0900 (TTY 02 6228 1852) Crisis line, 24 hr.
Canberra Rape Crisis Centre – 02 6247 2525; Crisis Support and Advocacy, 7 days, 7 am -11 pm.

Care and protection services – 1300 556 729; For children and young people considered ‘at risk’ of serious harm, 24 hours.

Tasmania

Family Violence Response Referral line – 1800 633 937; For people experiencing domestic and family violence, 24 hours

The Sexual Assault Support Service – 03 6231 1817; For victims of recent rape or sexual assault and their families, 24 hours.

Child Protection Services – 1300 737 639; For urgent notifications about child abuse or neglect, 24 hours.

South Australia

Domestic Violence Crisis Service – 1300 782 200; For people experiencing domestic and family violence, 24 hours.

Domestic Violence and Aboriginal Family Violence Gateway Service – 1800 800 098 or free call 1300 782 200; To help anyone affected by domestic or family violence, 24 hours.

Yarrow Place – 08 8226 8787 or 1800 817 421; For people who have been raped or sexually assaulted, 24 hours

Child Abuse Report Line – 131 478; To report all child protection concerns, 24 hours.

Northern Territory

See <https://www.1800respect.org.au/service-support/northern-territory-domestic-family-violence-and-sexual-assault-services/>

Dawn House (Darwin) – 08 8945 1388; Provides services to women and children escaping domestic and family violence in the Top End.

Darwin Aboriginal and Islander Women's Shelter – 08 8945 2284; Provides safe and culturally appropriate services for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women who are homeless or escaping family violence.

Sexual Assault Referral Centre (Darwin) - (08) 8922 6472; Crisis support for women in the Darwin region, 24 hours

Katherine Domestic and Family Violence Counsellor - (08) 8971 0777

1800 700 250NT Child Abuse / Child Protection Hotline to report child abuse and / or neglect 24 hours.

Katherine: Sexual Assault Referral Centre (Katherine) - (08) 8973 8524; Crisis support for women in the Katherine region.

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1800 508 051 Women's Information Service (Alice Springs) Crisis support for women in the **Alice Springs** region, 24 hours or business hours (08) 8951 5174 ; Sexual Assault Referral Centre and Counsellor (Alice Springs) - (08) 8952 6075; Child Abuse / Child Protection Hotline – 1800 700 250; To report child abuse and / or neglect 24 hours

1800 180

Tennant Creek Women's Domestic Violence Counsellor (08) 8962 3123

Queensland

1800 811 811 DVConnect Women's Line –free crisis counselling and support for women experiencing domestic and family violence, 24 hours.

1800 600 636 DVConnect Men's Line –; Specialist assistance for men who would like to address their own use of violence and men who have been victims of violence in their own relationships, 24 hours.

1800 010 120 (TTY 1800 003 98) Queensland State Wide Sexual Assault Helpline - Provides a sensitive listening ear and provide supportive counselling and non-judgemental advice for all Queenslanders, 7.30am to midnight, 7 days a week.

1800 177 135 Child Safety Services –or business hours (07) 3235 9999; To report a child in Queensland who is experiencing harm, or is at risk of experiencing harm, 24 hours.

Victoria

1800 015 188 Family Violence response line 24/7. Safe Steps Family Violence Response Centre – business hours 03 9322 3555. For confidential support and information please call the safe steps Sexual Assault Response – 03 9635 3610; Crisis response, counselling and support, 24 hours.X51

1800 806 292 Sexual Assault Crisis Line After-hours, telephone crisis counselling service for victim/survivors of both past and recent sexual assault. SACL operates between 5pm weeknights through to 9am the next day and throughout weekends and public holidays.

131 278 Child Protection Crisis Line 24 hours for concerns about the immediate safety of a child.

Western Australia

1800 007 339 Women's Domestic Violence Helpline crisis support, 24 hours or business hours 08 9223 1188

1800 199 888 The Sexual Assault Resource Centre, 24 hour emergency line or business hours 08 9340 1828

131 444 Western Australia Police, to report child abuse, 24 hours.

New South Wales

1800 65 64 63 Domestic Violence Line –Domestic and family violence information, support and referrals 24 hours

1800 424 017 NSW Rape Crisis Centre- Telephone and online crisis counselling for anyone who has experienced, or is at risk of, sexual, family or domestic violence, 24 hours.

132 111 (TTY 1800 212 936; Child Protection Helpline –To report suspected child abuse or neglect, 24 hours.

Links to specific resources:

Women's safety plan <http://whwest.org.au/resource/safety-plan/>

Speaking publicly about preventing men's violence against women http://whwest.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2016/01/Speaking-on-PVAW-Resource_KH_WEB.pdf

Resources for parents whose children who have experienced family violence <http://whwest.org.au/resource/choosing-positive-paths/>

Risk Assessment tools https://www.1800respect.org.au/workers/raft/risk_frameworks/

Why gender matters <http://whwest.org.au/resource/why-gender-matters/>

Leadership program for young CALD women <http://whwest.org.au/resource/lead-on-aganin-a-leadership-program-young-women-culturally-linguistically-diverse-backgrounds-2006/>

Women with disabilities <http://whwest.org.au/resource/working-effectively-women-range-disabilities/>

LGBTIQ http://www.bdvs.org.au/resource_files/bdvas/IR_1_Domestic-Violence-Resource-040612-web.pdf

Languages other than English fact sheets <http://www.rape-dvservices.org.au/MainMenu/Information/About-Sexual-and-Domestic-Violence/Languages-other-than-English>

English language Fact Sheets <http://www.rape-dvservices.org.au/Information/About-Sexual-and-Domestic-Violence/Factsheets>

Men & Preventing Violence <http://www.rape-dvservices.org.au/Preventing-Violence>
<http://www.ourwatch.org.au/Preventing-Violence/Men>

<http://www.theline.org.au/so-you-get-gender-equality-what-about-your-mates>

Power-On working with women experiencing mental illness fact sheets
<http://whwest.org.au/resource/power-fact-sheets/>

Young People <http://www.ourwatch.org.au/Preventing-Violence/Teens-Young-Adults>
<https://www.1800respect.org.au/support/#link0>

Service Providers <http://www.rape-dvservices.org.au/MainMenu/Information/About-Sexual-and-Domestic-Violence/Best-Practice-Manual>

Friends and Family <https://www.1800respect.org.au/sexual-assault-domestic-and-family-violence-recognise-and-respond/>

Indigenous FV resources <http://www.healthinonet.ecu.edu.au/related-issues/family-violence>
http://www.nationalfvpls.org/images/files/Membership_Details_National_FVPLS_Forum-JULY_2014.pdf

<http://www.healthinonet.ecu.edu.au/population-groups/women/publications/specific-topics/domestic-violence>

CALD communities <http://www.cald-dv.org.au/> CALD men <http://www.cald-dv.org.au/cald-men/>

Hospitals guide/toolkit <https://www.thewomens.org.au/health-professionals/clinical-resources/strengthening-hospitals-response-to-family-violence/#>

RESOURCE SITE WEBLINKS:

1800 Respect <https://www.1800respect.org.au/about/> has relevant resources and contacts for all jurisdictions

Rape and Domestic Violence Australia <http://www.rape-dvservices.org.au/Information/About-our-Services> NSW based with many resources

Women's Health West <http://whwest.org.au/> based in Melbourne, many adaptable resources

Brisbane Domestic Violence Service <http://www.bdvs.org.au/> resources and reports

SNAICC <http://www.snaicc.org.au> national peak Indigenous children's resource service with relevant resources

Northern Territory http://www.ncsmc.org.au/wsas/resources/res_nt.htm

Tasmania <http://www.safeathome.tas.gov.au/publications>

Western Australia http://www.ncsmc.org.au/wsas/resources/res_wa.htm

South Australia <https://www.1800respect.org.au/service-support/south-australian-domestic-family-violence-and-sexual-assault-services/> CALD women <http://www.cald-dv.org.au/>