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Stop Abuse of Elders

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Inspiring Jewish Community
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CONTROLS & PREVENTION

• Maryland Governor's Office of Crime Prevention & Juvenile Justice
• Maryland Department of Aging
• U.S. Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women
• The Hebrew Foundation
• The Nathan and Lillian Weinberg Foundation
• The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation

Caring Individuals
Generous Support of Foundations and
SAFE's work is made possible by the

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Financial activity
• Unapproved or Suspicious Legal or Financial Activity

• Suicide attempts

• Depression or anxiety

• Changes in hygiene

• Unexplained injuries

• Unusual living conditions

• Unexplained isolation from others

• Unexplained neglect

Learn Warning Signs of Elder Abuse

RECOGNIZE IT

Every Adult Older and Protected
Deserves to be Respected

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Focus | Elder Abuse

With Appreciation
Types of Elder Abuse

Financial
- Financial exploitation
- Unnecessary or excessive transactions
- Misuse of the victim's resources
- Theft

Sexual
- Sexual abuse
- Forced or coerced sexual acts
- Sexual harassment

Verbal/Emotional/Physical
- Verbal threats
- Emotional abuse
- Physical abuse
- Neglect
- Abandonment

What is Elder Abuse?

Contact Safe for more information about elder abuse or to schedule a workshop or presentation.

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Key Partnerships Include:
- SAFE Partnerships
- SPARC Alliances, a national network of councils
- The Maryland Elder Justice Coordinating Team in Baltimore City
- Elder Abuse Coordinated Community Response Teams

Emergency shelter: Up to 90 days

SAFE Services
- Elder abuse education for older adults and professionals
- Individual, family, and professional consultation
- Civil legal representation in partnerships
- Trauma-informed, supportive counseling
- Case management
- Advocacy: Protection Orders and Peace Orders
- Danger assessment
- Safety planning
- Crisis Services

How SAFE can help

Limits the rights of an older adult

When someone is in a position of trust harms an older American over a year

Elder abuse is a public health crisis affecting 1 in 10 older Americans every year.

Elder abuse can happen to anyone, whether

Regardless of race, religion, ethnicity, sexual orientation, or any other characteristic.

SAFE brings together social workers, lawyers, and others to increase public awareness.