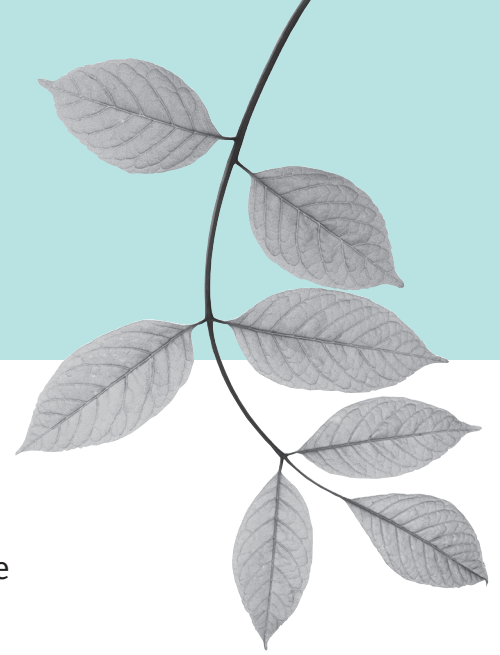


Overview



Information Sheets: Abuse of older persons

The abuse of older persons is often a very difficult topic to discuss. This package of information sheets was developed to address the issues that are most often raised in workshops. These information sheets can be used individually or as a package by community members and by professionals in a variety of fields.

The staff at the Seniors' Services/Adult Protection Unit are available to help you design or facilitate a workshop in your community. Please see the contact information listed on the reverse.

The following information sheets on the abuse of older persons are available:

1. Yukon tools and resources for older persons
2. Scenarios: abuse and neglect of older persons
3. Emotional abuse of older persons
4. Financial abuse of older persons
5. Neglect and self-neglect of older persons
6. Physical abuse of older persons
7. Abuse of older persons in later life
8. Abuse of older persons: profile of an abuser
9. Domestic violence between older persons
10. FAQs and myths: abuse and neglect
11. Abuse and neglect of older persons in care facilities
12. Dementia, abuse and neglect
13. Current trends: abuse and neglect of older persons
14. Human rights abuse of older persons
15. Responding to abuse of older persons
16. Safety planning to assist abused older persons

Addressing the abuse of older persons is less challenging when you are informed.

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