THE MINISTRY OF FAMILY AFFAIRS

SOCIAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT SOCIAL SERVICES DIVISION



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

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FAMILY SUPPORT UNIT

WE CAN DFFER;

Advice and help

Information on other agencies and help with making contact

Support in taking legal action where appropriate

The services provided are confidentialexcept where a child is at risk.

THE STAFF WILL:

Be sympathetic and understanding

Listen carefully





Every Individual...

Has the Right to live free from fear; intimidation and abuse, especially within their own home.

NO One...



Deserves to be abused or should have to accept intolerable behaviour.

Have I brought this upon myself?

No, it is not your fault. Domestic abuse occurs when a person tries to bully or control another. Responsibility lies entirely with that person.

Who can help?

You can come to the Probation Services to report cases of domestic abuse.

Or you can report to the Family Tribunal to report a case and for protection.

Can the Family Tribunal help me if I don't want to involve the police?

Yes. You can apply for a Protection Order. You can take this action against someone who lives or lived with you.

The Family Tribunal can issue a Protection Order. This is an Order retraining an individual from committing further abuse.

Who else can help?

The Family Squad at the Central Police Station.

-has a statutory obligation to assist you and protect you from the perpetrators.

Ministry of Health– ensure that all assaults and emotional traumas are recorded on your medical records.





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