HELP FIGHT FAMILY VIOLENCE IN SINGAPORE



Emergency Helpline Numbers

- AWARE Women's Helpline: 1800 777 5555 (Mon-Fri, 10am to 6pm)
- AWARE Sexual Assault Care Centre Helpline: 6779 0282 (Mon-Fri, 10am to 10pm)
- Singapore Police: 999 or SMS 71999
- Samaritans of Singapore: 1800 221 4444

Family Violence Specialist Centres

- Care Corner Project StART: 6476 1482 (Mon-Fri, Various hours)
- PAVE: 6555 0390 (Mon-Fri, 9am to 1pm & 2pm to 6pm)
- TRANS Family Services SAFE Centre: 6449 9088 (Mon-Fri, 9am to 5pm)

Resources for Children

- Tinkle Friend Helpline: 1800 274 4788 (Mon-Fri, 2:30pm to 5pm & online chat @ www.tinklefriend.com)
- TOUCH Youth TOUCHline: 1800 377 2252 (Mon-Fri, 9am to 6pm)

Family Service Centres & Children's Protection

- Singapore Family Service Centres: 1800 222 0000 (Mon-Fri, 9am to 6pm)
- MSF Child Protective Services Hotline: 1800 777 000 (Mon-Fri, 8:30am to 5:30pm & Sat, 8:30am to 1pm)
- Big Love Child Protection Specialist Centre: 6445 0400 (Mon-Fri, 9am to 6pm)
- HEART@ Fei Yue Child Protection Specialist Centre: 6819 9170 (Mon-Fri, 9:30am to 5:30pm)
- SAFE SPACE: 6266 0171 (Mon-Fri, 9am to 1pm & 2pm to 6pm)

Women's Shelters

- SCWO Star Shelter: 6571 0192 (Mon-Fri, 9am to 6pm)
- Causa Raudha Women Home: enquiry@casaraudha.org
- Anglican Family Centre: 1800 346 4939



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TIPS IF YOU ARE IN AN UNSAFE SITUATION:

- Formulate an emergency safety plan, including a safe place to go, an excuse to give the abuser, a code or signal to allies, a secret stash of money & list of numbers to call
- Pack a go-bag with essential belongings, cash & documents like ID, passport, medication, documented history of abuse etc.
- Try to avoid unsafe places in the house with likely weapons, or that cannot be escaped
- Try to document abuse with phone recording, video or photos

HOW TO SUPPORT A FRIEND OR NEIGHBOUR:

- Watch for signs such as unexplained injuries or unusual emotional/social behavior
- Listen without judgment
- Respect their decisions
- Help to discuss a safety plan
- Offer a list of resources, or to call if they would like that help
- DO NOT personally intervene

