



**JUNE 15**

# **WORLD ELDER ABUSE AWARENESS DAY**



**Elder abuse is any act which harms an older person and is carried out by someone they trust such as an adult child, family member, partner, carer or friend.**

The abuse may be physical, social, financial, psychological or sexual and can include mistreatment and neglect.



**Seniors  
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**Seniors Rights  
Victoria provides  
free and confidential  
information, support,  
advice and education  
to help prevent elder  
abuse and safeguard  
the rights, dignity  
and independence  
of older people.**

**If you, your client  
or someone you  
know is experiencing  
elder abuse, please  
contact our Helpline**

**1300 368 821**

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