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WARM SAFE HOME PROJECT

Start a conversation around older people's rights to feel safe and free from fear at home by participating in the Warm Safe Home Project.

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The Warm Safe Home Project was launched in 2019 by the South West Victoria Elder Abuse Prevention Network with the aim of starting conversations about older people's right to feel safe in their homes. The project aims to raise awareness about elder abuse, its causes, and the things that can be done to prevent it.

The Warm Safe Home Project uses the icon of the house to talk about older people's right to feel safe and live free from fear. In many cultures the home is the key to our sense of safety. Our homes shelter us from the outside world and provide a space in which to carry out our lives and interact with our loved ones. In elder abuse situations however, the home can become a place of danger.

How you can get involved

You are invited to decorate handcrafted paper houses with embellishments and words that describe what a warm, safe home means to you. You then share photos of your finished houses on Facebook and add a hashtag #WEAAD.

To request a house template and for more information visit the **Warm Safe Home Project Facebook page** or contact Elder Abuse Prevention Project Worker, Becky Nevin Berger, via email at **rnevinberger@mpower.org.au** or phone 0408 879 117.

We'd love for you to share your '**Warm Safe Home**' house photos with us! Email them to **info@seniorsrights.org.au** or **tag us** in your Facebook posts.