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**There is help in the Kimberley for Elders  
who are suffering from abuse.**

**Our Elders are the guardians of our culture and deserve respect, care, and protection, not abuse.**

Elder abuse occurs when someone an older person knows and trusts causes them harm. It is a form of Family and Domestic Violence.

**What is Elder abuse?**

Elder abuse can take many forms, including:

- Physical violence
- Humbugging an Elder for money, such as their pension or stealing their cards.
- Sexual violence

**How does abuse affect our Elders?**

Abuse can leave Elders feeling helpless, scared, and unvalued. It can make them feel like they are no longer important to their family or community, a devastating loss for those who have spent their lives guiding and supporting others.

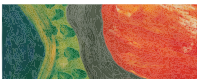
**Where to Get Help**

Kimberley Community Legal Service and Marninwarntikura (Fitzroy Valley) provide free legal and social support. Many organisations in the Kimberley are ready to help, you can also find their details @ <https://csw.org.au/directory/> or use your smart phone camera to scan the code below.

**IF IN IMMEDIATE DANGER CALL 000**



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