

# *BREAKING THE CYCLE OF VIOLENCE*



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# Disabled women and domestic violence

## Info session no. 1

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Image with 'Ground Rule' written on it

# Respect for each other meaning :

- Being punctual
- If you cannot attend, inform beforehand
- Listen to each other
- Do not interrupt
- Encourage each other
- Do not be judgmental

- Maintain confidentiality (no photos/posts on Facebook or any other social media)
- Feel free to share your thoughts and ideas
- Feel free to leave the room if needed
- Ask questions if needed
- Mobiles should be kept silent
- Everybody is responsible for making the session a success

# Other necessary information

- 4 info sessions:
  - Info session 1. Thursday, 31st May 2018 - Introduction
  - Info session 2. Friday, 8th June 2018 - Knowing my rights
  - Info session 3. Thursday, 14th June 2018 - Self-Defence session
  - Info session 4. Thursday, 21st June 2018 - The way forward
- Services available handout end of session
- You decide if your carer stays with you during session or not. If staying, carer is obliged to stick to the agreed ground rules.

- Copy of presentation will be sent by email after the session
- If needing to leave the room, nobody will ask reason. If needing trainers' attention let us know.
- Speak slowly to give time for the sign language interpreter to explain the information and also for each other to understand and explain where and when necessary.

# Introduction of participants



Image with 'Who am I?'  
written on it

Name

Anything I want to share about myself

Why I am interested in this course?

What I want to achieve from this training





Image with 'THINK' written on it

**What men/women are naturally good at ...**

# Workshop 1

## **What do you understand with violence against women?**

- In groups – 15 mins

# FORMS OF VIOLENCE



EMOTIONAL  
ABUSE



FINANCIAL  
ABUSE



PSYCHOLOGICAL  
ABUSE



SEXUAL  
ABUSE



PHYSICAL  
ABUSE

**#16DAYS**

**WWW.LEGAL AID.ON.CA/DVS**

Image entitled 'Forms of violence' List of different forms of violence: Emotional abuse, financial abuse, psychological abuse, sexual abuse, physical abuse. URL: [www.legalaid.on.ca/DVC](http://www.legalaid.on.ca/DVC)

# Reaching out to stop domestic violence

Kellimni – [kellimni.com](http://kellimni.com)

SupportLine – 179

Police Emergency Line – 112

Agenzija Sapport (Malta) – 22568000

Appoġġ – 22959000

Social Work Unit Gozo – 22156630

Victim Support Malta – 21228333