NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNCIL

Domestic Abuse

Services in North Yorkshire



The contents of this leaflet contain information around domestic abuse which some people may find upsetting and difficult to read. Please refer to Page 10 for organisations that can offer support and advice.

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If you are in immediate danger, call 999.
If it is not safe to speak when you call 999 on your mobile, press 55 this lets the operator know your call is genuine.

Commissioned Services for Victims and Survivors of Domestic Abuse

IDAS

Support for Victims and Survivors of Domestic Abuse

Independent Domestic Abuse Services (IDAS)

- Specialist support to victims and survivors aged 16 years and over.
- Support is available to all genders and sexual orientations.
- Community-based Domestic Abuse Practitioners (IDVAs) provide specialist 1-to-1 emotional and practical support, including support through any police investigation and/or court proceedings.
- Access to Safe Accommodation including purpose-built Refuge premises and dispersed properties.
- Sanctuary Scheme and Target Hardening – specialist support and advice enabling victims, survivors and their children to remain safely in their own homes.
- You do not need to report to the police to access help.
- Call **03000 110 110** Website **idas.org.uk**

Support for Black and Minoritised Ethnic Women and Girls

The Halo Project

- Specialist support for black and minoritised ethnic women and girls.
- The specialist support covers Domestic and Sexual Abuse, Forced Marriage, Honour Based Abuse, and Female Genital Mutilation.
- Call **01642 683045**
  Website **haloproject.org.uk**



Commissioned Services for Children

Children are considered victims of domestic abuse in their own right if they have seen, heard or experienced the effect of the abuse between relatives or persons with parental responsibility for the child. Support is also available for children and young people who are displaying abusive behaviours towards parents/carers, known as Child and Adolescent to Parent Violence and Abuse (CAPVA).

Support for Children and Young People affected by Domestic Abuse

Independent Domestic Abuse Services (IDAS)

- Specialist support for children and young people aged 10 to 16 years
- Support is available to all genders and sexual orientations
- Who have been impacted by domestic abuse within the family
- Who are showing unhealthy or harmful
- behaviours, known as Child/Adolescent to
- Parent Violence or Abuse (CAPVA)
- Support is also available for older young people displaying abusive behaviours within their own relationships with other young people.
- Call **03000 110 110** Website **idas.org.uk**

Commissioned Services for Perpetrators of Domestic Abuse

Support for Perpetrators of Domestic Abuse to Change their Behaviour

Inspire North + Choices

Specialist support available to perpetrators of domestic abuse who are over 16 years old and wish to voluntarily address their abusive behaviour this includes:

Triage/Short Intervention/Advice Sessions including signposting to other agencies and support services to address wider presenting needs as appropriate.

Respect Accredited Programmes
Respect accredited 26-week group programme providing a supported and restorative setting to discuss and challenge abusive behaviour. One-to-One bespoke programmes for perpetrators who are more suited to individual sessions due to multiple needs or higher risk levels.

High Harm/High Risk Interventions for perpetrators who pose a high risk of serious harm but are willing to engage in a 1-to-1 behaviour change programme.

Peer Mentor training programmes opportunity for clients who are no longer abusive to support other clients, share learning, develop skills and present positive role models.

Referral Criteria An individual can self-refer or be referred by another professional or service, but explicit consent must be obtained from the individual beforehand.

Please Note The service is unable to accept referrals that are part of a court ordered activity or where there are ongoing child application arrangements.

- Support is available to all genders and sexual orientations.

- A dedicated Integrated Support Worker can support victims with progress updates on the perpetrator, allowing them to make informed decisions and to ensure the voice of the victim is represented across the services.

Call **01904 557491**
Website **inspirenorth.co.uk**

What is Domestic Abuse?

Domestic Abuse is an incident or pattern of incidents of controlling, coercive, threatening or violent behaviour used by one person to gain power over another in a relationship, such as a current or ex-partner, an adult child or other family member. Domestic abuse can include but is not limited to physical, emotional, psychological, sexual, financial abuse, and stalking/harassment. Domestic abuse can affect anyone, regardless of age, gender, background, or socio-economic status.

Commissioning of Domestic Abuse Services

North Yorkshire Council, York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority and City of York Council recognise the negative impact that Domestic Abuse has on families. They are committed to working collaboratively to provide a more sustainable, multi-agency approach alongside a 'whole system approach' to effectively tackle domestic abuse through pooled partnership budgets and shared outcomes with a focus on quality of services.

The North Yorkshire and City of York Domestic Abuse Strategy outlines the priorities and how partners aim to tackle domestic abuse.

Website **nypartnerships.org.uk/da**

If you rent your home from the council or a housing association, help is available

Your landlord has a responsibility to tackle domestic abuse and help you to access support and advice. Their staff are trained to understand these issues. If you need somewhere safe to stay urgently, contact North Yorkshire Council. If you're thinking about your housing options but don't need to move straight away, speak to your housing provider.

Website **northyorks.gov.uk/hda**



Support and advice

North Yorkshire Police
Emergency **999** Non-Emergency **101**

Independent Domestic Abuse Service (IDAS)
Specialist domestic abuse support agency based in Yorkshire
Call **03000 110 110**
Website **idas.org.uk**

National Domestic Abuse Helpline
Free 24-hour helpline 0808 2000 247

ManKind Initiative
Helping men escape domestic abuse
Call **0808 800 1170**
Website **mankind.org.uk**

HALO Project
Specialist support for BME communities
Call **01642 683045**
Website **haloproject.org.uk**

Galop
Support for LGBT+ experiencing domestic abuse
Call **0800 999 5428**
Website **galop.org.uk**

National Stalking Helpline
Support and advice
Call **0808 802 0300**
Website **stalkinghelpline.org.uk**

Inspire North
Perpetrator change programme
Call 01904 557491
Website **inspirenorth.co.uk**

Respect
Work with perpetrators of Domestic Abuse
Website **respect.org.uk**

North Yorkshire Council
Call 0300 131 2131
Website **northyorks.gov.uk/domestic-abuse**


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