

Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence support services

Organisation	Contact
Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) A single point of contact for agencies and service-users with domestic abuse and 'honour-based' violence issues. Hosted by Cambridgeshire Constabulary, the unit coordinates local services.	01480 847718 (professionals only)
Refuge and Cambridge Women's Aid Refuge & Cambridge Women's Aid are charities operating in Cambridgeshire offering emotional and practical help to women and children fleeing domestic abuse. Emergency accommodation and independent legal advocacy can be arranged. They also provide an outreach service to women who do not want to leave their home. Locally, Refuge cover Fenland, Huntingdonshire and East Cambridgeshire. CWA offer services in Cambridge city and South Cambridgeshire. 	National Domestic Violence Helpline 0808 2000 247 Local numbers: 01223 361 214 (Cambridge Outreach) 01223 460 947 (Cambridge Refuge) 07787 255821 (Fenland/Hunts/East Outreach) 07730 322 098 (out of hours emergency help).
Peterborough Women's Aid http://www.peterboroughwomensaid.co.uk	08454 103 123 01733 894455 (outreach)
Cambridge Rape Crisis CRCC provides a free confidential helpline service offering support and information to female survivors of rape and sexual violence. The telephone helpline is open on Wednesday evenings 7.30 – 9.30pm, Saturday afternoons from 3 – 5.30pm and Sundays from 10.00 – 12.30. http://www.cambridgerapecrisis.co.uk/	 Cambridge Rape Crisis Centre 01223 245 888 ISVA's 01223 313551
Peterborough Rape Crisis http://www.peterboroughrapecrisis.co.uk/	01733 317899 Helpline
Sexual Assault Referral Centre A centre with medical facilities for victims of rape and sexual assault run by Constabulary, NHS and Rape Crisis. Services are offered to men, women, young people and children. Located at Oasis Centre in Peterborough.	 0845 089 6262 http://www.oasiscentre.org/
Choosing to Change is a programme open to men who wish to change their behaviour towards female partners. We will support you to recognise and change abusive behaviour through joining a small group with other men wanting to change and improve their family life. You will need to undergo an assessment before joining the programme and we will insist on providing support to female partners as a condition of acceptance onto the programme.	 To find out more please contact: Marc James (Service Manager) Tel: 01354 658192 Mobile: 07769 220784 Email: marc.james@ormiston.org
Cambridgeshire Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Partnership Employed by Cambridgeshire County Council and co-funded by local Cambridgeshire community safety partnerships, Police and NHS, the partnership coordinates work across the county to improve services for victims of domestic abuse and sexual violence. The partnership website contains a wealth of information for the public and also has a dedicated Professionals section, including a free elearning module www.cambsdasv.org.uk	 Simon Kerss Partnership Manager Tel: 07789 920 401 Simon.Kerss@cambridgeshire.gov.uk

National Services

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24 hour National Domestic Violence Helpline A service for women experiencing domestic abuse, their family, friends, colleagues and others calling on their behalf. Run in partnership between Women's Aid and Refuge. Callers may first of all hear an answerphone message before speaking to a person	Tel: 0808 2000 247 www.nationaldomesticviolencehelpline.org.uk
Men's Advice Line A helpline for men experiencing domestic abuse from a current or former partner in heterosexual or same sex relationships.	Tel: 0808 801 0327 during normal office hours www.mensadvice.org.uk
Respect Phoneline A helpline for people who are abusive and/or violent to their partners. Offers information and advice to stop and change behaviour. Main focus is to increase the safety of those experiencing domestic abuse.	Tel: 0808 802 4020 during normal office hours www.respectphoneline.org.uk
Galop Specialist helpline for lesbian, gay, bisexual and trans people experiencing abuse.	Tel: 020 7704 2040 www.galop.org.uk

For our directory of national and local services for Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence, please visit Cambridgeshire County Council's web pages at: www.cambsdasv.org.uk

Websites with resources to support children

<http://www.thehideout.org.uk/> - Women's Aid website aimed at children

<http://www.cambsdasv.org.uk/website/parenting/185992> - leaflets for parents to support children