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VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND ELDERLY PEOPLE

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VIOLENCE

- Self directed violence
- Interpersonal violence
- Collective violence



CONSEQUENCES OF VIOLENCE

- Physical
- Mental
- Social well-being (socio-economic consequences)

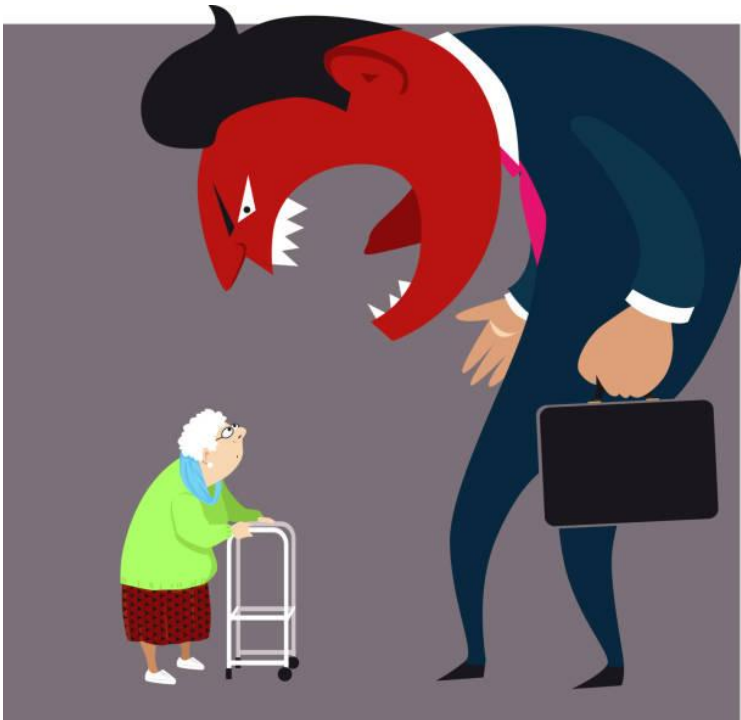
FORMS OF VIOLENCE

- Physical violence
- Sexual violence
- Emotional and Psychological violence
- Economic violence
- Neglect



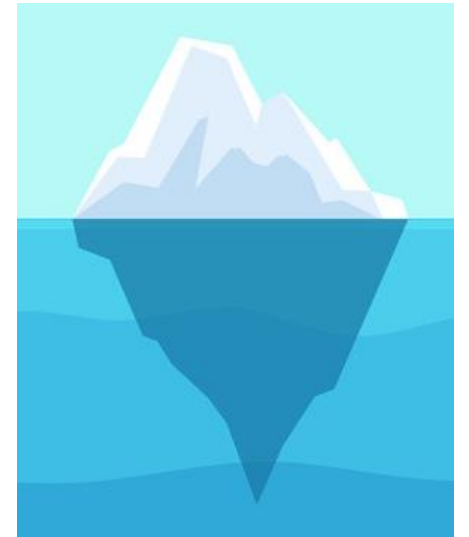
VIOLENCE AGAINST THE ELDERLY

„any act or omission that causes physical, psychological, emotional or financial harm to an older person“



- Family environment
- Nursing homes
- Institutions where the elderly should receive appropriate care and respect

ICEBERG THEORY



TYPES OF ELDER ABUSE



- Physical violence
- Psychological violence
- Economic violence
- Institutional violence

„How to deal with elder abuse?“

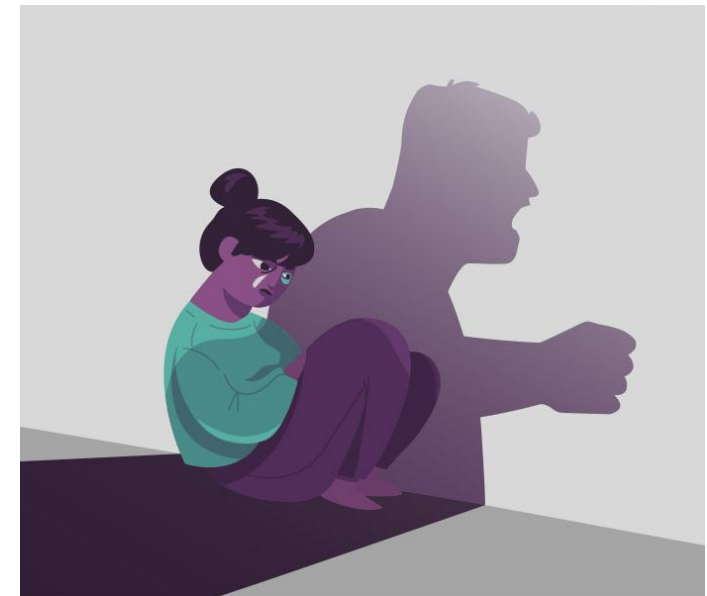


VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

- A complex phenomenon where its definition depends on various factors such as ideology, culture and moral values
 - One of the most widespread, but often hidden, forms of human rights violations
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• insults shouting,• blaming victims,• threats,• physical attacks,• rape,• sexual harassment,• economic exploitation, | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• forced prostitution,• human trafficking,• concealment of women for the purpose of exploitation,• sexual exploitation,• violation of reproductive rights,• violence in armed conflicts |
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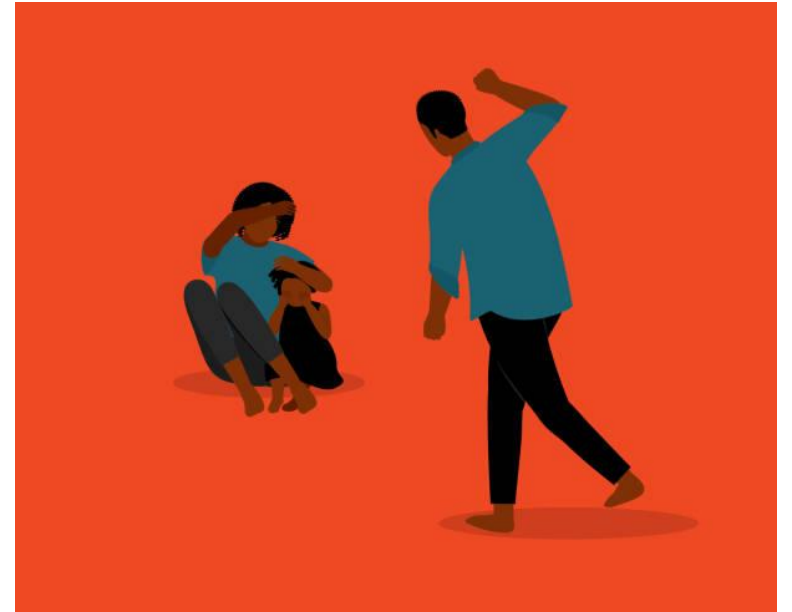


- False assumption: sex is always consensual in partnerships and marriages
- Economic violence: controlling and limiting a woman's financial resources
- Human trafficking: forced prostitution, forced labor, begging, servitude, forced marriages
- Perpetrators are most often men
- A key measure for states in the fight against violence in intimate partner relationships is to punish perpetrators



OPINION AND DEBATE

- Violence against women and the elderly is often ignored or underestimated in modern society
- Violence is unevenly distributed between the sexes
- Social isolation is a major problem for older people in terms of violence
- The dilemma of women facing violence: where to go, how to take care of their children, and how to survive?





- Raising awareness among the general public through campaigns
- Shortage of trained staff
- The important role of laws in protecting the victim
- Emphasis on preventive measures
- The responsibility lies with each of us.