



**NO EXCUSE**  
FOR Elder Abuse

**1-855-444-3911**

**REPORT  
SUSPECTED  
ELDER ABUSE**  
to Adult Protective Services  
**CAN REPORT ANONYMOUSLY**



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At least **100,000** Michigan citizens are victims of abuse each year.

A majority of elder abuse is perpetrated by **FAMILY MEMBERS** and **CAREGIVERS**.

## WHAT IS ELDER ABUSE?

A crime that is committed against older adults. It is the most pervasive and underreported crime across the nation. Anyone can be abused, but those that are unable to protect themselves due to advanced age, physical disability, or mental impairment are at higher risk.

## WARNING SIGNS OF ELDER ABUSE:

Socially isolated, confused or depressed, undernourished or dehydrated, poor hygiene, bruises or bedsores, difficulty sleeping, not receiving appropriate health care, changes in finances and legal documents.

**If you are being abused or you suspect that someone else is being abused:**

**Call the Police AND  
Call Adult Protective Services  
Can Report Anonymously**

## RESOURCES

- In an Emergency Call 911
- Adult Protective Services.....855-444-3911
- Long Term Care Ombudsman.....866-485-9393
- Attorney General Office.....800-24-ABUSE  
(242-2873)
- Domestic Violence Hotline.....800-799-7233
- Alzheimer's Association Hotline.....800-272-3900
- Federal Trade Commission.....877-382-4357
- Licensing & Regulatory Affairs.....800-882-6006  
(Nursing Home Complaints)
- Elder Law & Advocacy Center.....313-937-8291  
(Legal, Education and Prevention Services)
- Area Agency on Aging 1-B.....800-852-7795
- The Senior Alliance.....800-815-1112
- Detroit Area Agency on Aging.....313-446-4444
- Elder Care Locator.....800-677-1116