



For women and children.
Against domestic violence.



**Southwark Domestic Abuse Service, run by Refuge.
Working to end gender-based violence in Southwark.**

**Do you feel threatened or at risk of violence or abuse?
We can support you.**



Advocacy for those subjected to sexual abuse



Group discussions



One-to-one support session

What support is available from the Southwark service?

We provide confidential, non-judgemental, and independent support services for those experiencing gender-based violence. For anyone living in Southwark.

- A specialist independent gender-based violence advocacy (IGVA) team to support those at risk of serious harm
- A specialist housing IDVA
- A specialist IRIS advocate educator service for those accessing support through their GP
- Access to adult one-to-one counselling and children's therapy with our partners Bede House
- A sanctuary scheme to improve home safety
- Group support
- Perpetrator intervention

We will work with you to create a support plan that helps keep you safe.

What is gender-based violence?

- Domestic abuse (physical, sexual, economic, technological, emotional, or psychological abuse)
- Rape and sexual assault
- Stalking
- Prostitution
- Sexual exploitation
- Trafficking for sexual exploitation
- Female genital mutilation (FGM)
- Forced marriage
- So-called 'honour'-based violence

How can I access the service? 0118 214 7150

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