



Elder Abuse Liaison Officer

When you suspect or know an older person is at risk or experiencing abuse you can:

- Talk to the older person about your concerns (if safe to do so)
- Provide an opportunity to speak to the older person on their own
- · Listen to their worries
- Validate their experience
- Reassure the older person it is not their fault
- Let the older person know there is help available
- Contact the Elder Abuse Liaison Officer about options

How can the Elder Abuse Liaison Officer assist you?

- Available for phone consultations Mon - Fri, 8am-4.30pm
- Provide advice, support and guidance about clients you know or suspect are impacted by elder abuse
- Advise you about, and link you to, resources and services to support your client
- Attend case conferences to support decision making and care planning
- Deliver an in-service to your team about the Integrated model of care for responding to suspected elder abuse (IMoC)
- Support access to training and education about elder abuse

NO referral form or client consent necessary.

Available to support health and community service providers across Mornington Peninsula & Frankston.

About the Liaison Officer

Sue Leake is a Social Worker with more than 25 years experience in health and community services. She is passionate about human rights and working towards a fairer and just society free of violence no matter how old you are.

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