

Services available in the Ashford area for victims of domestic abuse

ASHFORD INTERAGENCY DOMESTIC ABUSE FORUM



Domestic Abuse Drop-in 1st & 3rd Tuesday every month

12 – 2pm Ashford Gateway, Park Mall, Ashford

Free, confidential advice from *Legal services * Victim Support * Housing * Kent Police * Benefits Agency * Kent Council on Addiction * Citizens Advice (non-molestation & occupancy orders etc)

Freedom Programme

Wednesday mornings 10 – 12 noon (term time only)

Please contact Domestic Abuse Co-ordinator Tel: 01233 618014

12 week programme for women exploring tactics and beliefs of abusive men.

24 hour Information line - 0845 603 6813

Information on local advice and support services for victims of domestic abuse

Daffodil Group

Thursday afternoons at Willow Centre 1 – 2.30pm

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Weekly informal support for women waiting for Freedom, or those who have attended already but need ongoing support. Children welcome

Legal Advice Surgery

First Tuesday of every month 09.30 – 1.30pm

For appointment call Domestic Abuse Co-ordinator 01233 618014

Opportunity to speak to a solicitor who will act on your behalf – need to be eligible for legal aid. **By appointment only**

Action for Children Playlink Plus

Mon, Tues, Thurs term time 9-12, school holidays 10-2pm

Ray Allen Centre - Tel: 01233 643103

For parents and pre-school children who have experienced domestic abuse to play and have fun together within a supportive environment

A Time to Smile

Thursdays 3.30 – 5.00pm (limited period)

Ray Allen Centre

Structured 8 week programme for children 5 – 8 years who have experienced domestic abuse. Referral through Social Services and Action for Children.