

USEFUL INFORMATION ON

Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act, 2005



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Other options

- Call the toll-free helplines i.e., 100 (Police), Child Helpline (1098), 181 (Women's Helpline).
- For free legal aid, approach the District Legal Services Authority of India at the district level.
- Should you feel the need to discuss a case of domestic violence, visit your One Stop Centre(OSCs) located in each district
- You can also visit the Gramin Mahila Kendras (GMK) by NEN which are registered as service providers by the Nodal Agency. The GMKs offer free psycho-social care and counselling to aggrieved women and will also fill up the DIR for a case of DV.

GMK (Doigrung), Golaghat District Pin-785702, Phone No.: 8638747110

GMK (Sarpara), Kamrup (Rural) District Pin-781122, Phone No.: 93656 48832

GMK (Bordoulguri, Sipajhar) Darrang District Pin-784145, Phone No.: 9577576677

GMK(Nizdola, Meska Pukhuri) Udalguri District Pin-784521, Phone No.: 9365460253

> Domestic violence does not resolve by itself. It is unlawful. Do not remain silent. Raise your voice against it.

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