

Elder Abuse



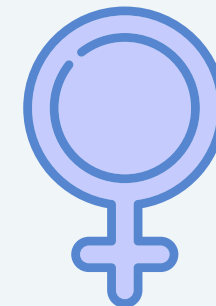
Elder abuse takes many forms: emotional, physical, sexual, psychological, financial, or neglect.



Senior victims of family violence are most often victimized by an extended family member or grown child



In **2016**, more than **3/4** of a million Canadian elders suffered some form of abuse



In **2015**, **60%** of senior victims of reported family violence were female



An estimated **4-10%** of seniors experience abuse, but only **20%** of incidents are reported

Sources:

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