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World Elder Abuse Awareness Day

World Elder Abuse Awareness Day (WEAAD) takes place every year on June 15. It was started in 2006 by the International Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse and the World Health Organization to shine a light on the issue and remind everyone that we all have a role to play in stopping elder abuse.

We encourage you to learn more about elder abuse, share resources with your network, and host or attend an event in your community. The Alberta Elder Abuse Awareness Council (AEAAC) developed a toolkit to support individuals and communities to raise awareness of elder abuse. The theme for this year is **Recognize the Signs, Reduce the Risks**. You can access the toolkit [here](#).

As part of the “**Be Bold: Age With Attitude**” campaign, the Canadian Network for the Prevention of Elder Abuse is hosting a virtual summit to bring together experts, advocates, and leaders to discuss how to fight ageism, promote intergenerational partnerships, and prevent elder abuse. The virtual summit is happening on Wednesday, June 11th at 11:00am MDT. Learn how to work together to shape policies, support communities, and protect older adults. Please register [here](#).

We also invite you to attend an online training provided by the AEAAC and CORE Alberta Elder Abuse Group, ‘**Elder Abuse – It’s not right!**’. This presentation aims to educate and engage bystanders to identify and respond to elder abuse. The training is scheduled for June 10th at 1:00 – 2:30pm MDT. You can learn more and register [here](#).

By working together to raise awareness, we can help stop elder abuse and make sure older adults in our communities are treated with the respect and dignity they deserve.



Note: Individuals experiencing, or who are witness to, abuse or neglect can contact the provincial Family Violence Info line at 310-1818 by phone or text or online chat [here](#). The Family Violence Info Line will connect individuals with local community resources, supports and referrals. If you, or someone you know is in immediate danger, call 911.



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