

## **Domestic abuse information Leaflets in multi-languages**

Norfolk Constabulary is committed to taking positive action against domestic abuse and sexual violence by supporting vulnerable victims, carrying out and reviewing risk assessments, conducting vigorous investigations and where possible, successfully prosecuting domestic and sexual abuse perpetrators.

The Vulnerability and Partnerships Command have already created Domestic Abuse awareness posters and a Domestic Abuse advice leaflet for adult members of the public (including victims of abuse) which contains the following guidance;

- **What is domestic abuse?** – containing the new definition
- **How can the police help?**
- **Planning to leave?** – comprehensive safety planning advice
- **Help is available?** – How to contact the police and Harbour Centre
- **Additional support** - National and local agencies who can assist victims

The Sexual Assault Referral Centre (SARC, Harbour Centre) have also published their information and all the leaflets and posters are now available in the following languages.

- **Polish**
- **Lithuanian**
- **Latvian**
- **Russian**

In addition to the above we have created posters specifically for children and our aim is to ensure young people from communities across Norfolk are aware of the rights and wrongs of relationships, while knowing where to go for help and advice when things in a relationship make them worried or upset, whether that is at home or school.

These posters are available in

- **English**
- **Polish**
- **Lithuanian**
- **Latvian**
- **Russian**
- **Portuguese**

It is vital that we encourage all victims of domestic and sexual abuse to have the confidence in reporting abuse to us or our partners and these posters and leaflets will ensure we reach all members of the public. We are working with all of our partners to distribute the posters and leaflets across their own organisations and would request your assistance to display them in the school environment.

All English versions of the leaflets and posters can be found at [www.norfolk.police.uk](http://www.norfolk.police.uk). Should you require any leaflets or posters please do not hesitate to contact Amanda Murr, Briefing and Development Officer, V&P Command who will assist you further: [MurrA@norfolk.pnn.police.uk](mailto:MurrA@norfolk.pnn.police.uk)