

TAKING ACTION TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND GIRLS.

Violence, abuse and harm against women and girls cuts across all generations, all communities, and all spheres of our society. It exists everywhere.
IT'S TIME TO END IT.

32

women and girls across NI were killed by men between 2019 and 2024*

50%

of girls aged 16 have received an unwanted intimate photo or video at least once in their lifetime*

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*PSNI

*Young Life and Times Survey, 2022

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Change fund

ABOUT THE CHANGE FUND

£3.2m has been invested in an Ending Violence Against Women and Girls (EVAWG) **Change Fund** to help communities across our cities, towns, villages and rural areas to prevent and respond to

violence against women and girls.

This work will support schools, communities and workplaces in preventing violence against women and girls.

REGIONAL CHANGE FUND

The Regional Change Fund is a £1.2m investment delivered by eight community voluntary organisations with a proven track record in their work to end violence against women and girls.

The fund will allow these groups to deliver more programmes, training, resources and expertise to community groups, schools, youth and in workplace and other settings.

REGIONAL EVAWG ORGANISATIONS CHAMPIONING THE WORK TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN & GIRLS

Women's Aid
FEDERATION
NORTHERN IRELAND

Nexus
Building new ways of thinking about
and making relationships

BARNARD'S
Changing childhoods.
Changing lives.

White Ribbon NI

wrda

NSPCC

Relate NI

YouthAction
NORTHERN IRELAND

Collaboration between local councils, community and voluntary sector experts, and grass roots community organisations means that everyone is supported to work together to tackle violence against women and girls. In acting together, we can create change where we live, learn and work.

This is everyone's problem and solving it will need action by everyone.

THERE IS SOMETHING EVERYONE CAN DO TO HELP.



DO YOU WANT TO GET INVOLVED?

You can find your Council contact on the EVAWG webpage

LOCAL CHANGE FUND

The Local Change Fund is a £2m investment in community based action, delivered in partnership with all 11 Councils as they work with a range of local organisations to make ending violence against women and girls a priority.

The Change Fund supports prevention outcomes by challenging unwanted attitudes, behaviours and culture; supporting the development of healthy, respectful relationships and making sure that women and girls are safe and feel safe everywhere.

Mid & East
Antrim
Borough Council



Belfast
City Council

Antrim and
Newtownabbey
BOROUGH COUNCIL

Derry City & Strabane
District Council
Comhairle Ghairle &
Chomhairle Ghairle &
Chomhairle Ghairle &
Derry City & Strabane
District Council

Armagh City
Banbridge
& Craigavon
Borough Council

Fermanagh & Omagh
District Council
Comhairle Coantair
Fhear Manach agus na hOmaí

LCCC
Lisburn &
Castlereagh
City Council

Comhairle Ghairle
an Iúir, Mhúrn
agus an Dúin
Newry, Mourne
and Down
District Council

Comhairle Ceantair
Lár Uladh
Mid Ulster
District Council

Ards and
North Down
Borough Council

Causeway
Coast & Glens
Borough Council

OUR VISION IS TO CREATE A CHANGED SOCIETY WHERE WOMEN AND GIRLS ARE FREE FROM ALL FORMS OF GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE, ABUSE AND HARM.

To do this, we need to challenge those attitudes, systems and structural inequalities that have made this place so dangerous for women and girls.

All parties in the NI Executive along with people from every sector of our society are working together to End Violence Against Women and Girls.

WE ALL HAVE A ROLE TO PLAY. LET'S GET STARTED.



CONTACT YOUR
LOCAL COUNCIL



SIGN UP
TO RECEIVE UPDATES



READ THE EVAWG
STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK



If you have been affected by
any information in this leaflet
you can find support here.

For further information contact:
EVAWG@EXECUTIVEOFFICE-NI.GOV.UK



The £3.2M Change Fund is an Executive Office Grant Scheme developed by the TE0 Ending Violence Against Women and Girls (EVAWG) Division; it is delivered in partnership with Councils to fund local grassroots organisations and to support Community Voluntary Sector EVAWG experts; to drive society wide action so that everyone understands what violence against women and girls (VAWG) is and knows how to prevent it.