

# STAYING SAFE

Everyone has the Right to:

Live their life free from abuse, violence, neglect and fear

Make choices about their life

Be treated with respect and dignity



Abuse and Neglect is when someone takes away your rights. Below are some examples of Abuse and Neglect

**Financial abuse:** When money or things are taken from a person without them saying it is ok



**Neglect:** When someone is denied basic things such as food, medicine, clothes or made to feel unsafe. Where someone is not allowed to leave their room or have visitors



**Emotional abuse:** When someone is called names, yelled at or ignored



**Physical abuse:** When someone is hit, beaten or pushed



**Sexual abuse:** When a person is forced to have sex, touched or spoken to in a sexual way

