

Globally, a woman or girl is killed by someone in her own family every 11 minutes

Join us for 16 days of activities highlighting the issue of violence against women and girls. If you are a victim or witness, report an incident to the police on **101** or in an emergency call **999**.



Bringing Perpetrators to Justice: Violence against women and girls conference

What: Bringing Perpetrators to Justice conference

When: Thursday 1 December from 1pm to 4pm

Where: Raines House, Raine Street, E1W 3AU.

The conference will highlight how Tower Hamlets Council is bringing those who commit violence against women and girls to justice, which is a key priority for the council.

There will be a number of expert speakers and the chance to ask panel members questions.

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16 Days of Activism against Gender Based Violence

25th November – 10th December

The '16 Days of Activism' run from 25th November, UN International Day of Elimination of Violence against Women, to 10th December, Human Rights Day. The campaign spans these 16 Days to highlight the link between violence against women and human rights. Today, women and girls are subjected to many forms of human rights violations solely based on their gender.

A range of activities have been planned, including a sermon to be delivered during Jumma prayers, 12.45-13.15 on Friday 25th November and on 2nd & 9th December at the East London Mosque

25th November also marks White Ribbon Day. The White Ribbon Campaign was first launched by a group of men in Canada, in 1991 after the brutal mass shooting of 14 female students at the University of Montreal. The White Ribbon Campaign is now an international effort of men and boys working to end violence against women. Its basic principle is the importance of men and boys speaking out against all forms of violence against women.

Tower Hamlets Council VAWG & HC Team are encouraging residents to wear a white ribbon on 25th November to make a promise to never commit, excuse or remain silent about male violence against women. Residents can also make the promise by signing the White Ribbon [online pledge](#).

We would love to hear your ideas or about any events you are hosting! Please call 0207 364 4986 or email domesticviolence@towerhamlets.gov.uk for more information or to get involved.