



# Safer in the Home

Every woman has the right to be safe in her home

The National Safer in the Home Program supports women victim survivors of family violence to access basic home security upgrades and technology interventions so that they can live safe from violence.

Safer in the Home is available to women with or without accompanying children throughout Australia where the current level of risk is 'low'.

The program aims to minimise the social and economic consequences of escaping family violence that may occur when forced to leave the family home, such as homelessness, disconnection from community, unemployment, and disruption to children's schooling.

Safer in the Home recognises that it should ALWAYS be a woman's right to safely remain in the home of her choice and stay connected with her community.

Women are welcomed and encouraged to self-refer either via the website or by phone.

Referrals and secondary consultation requests are also accepted from professionals throughout the community services sector.



## To find out more

Visit the **website**

<https://www.salvationarmy.org.au/need-help/family-and-domestic-violence/find-help-for-domestic-violence/safer-in-the-home/>

Go to the **Facebook page**

<https://www.facebook.com/LivingSafer2021>

or **call**

ACT, NSW, QLD, VIC - **0418 157 102**  
NT, SA, TAS, WA - **0400 983 360**

In partnership with Protective Group, Safer in the Home can provide a comprehensive *Personal and Property Safety Assessment* and recommend basic home security upgrades.

Recommendations may include:

- Installation or replacement of locks to doors and windows
- Installation of security screen doors where required
- Installation of sensor lights
- Other home and property security upgrades as detailed on the website

A remote *Tech Assessment* can be undertaken if concerns about technology facilitated monitoring and surveillance are disclosed. Protective Group can assess personal devices (e.g. phone, laptop, kids' tablet), and/or the house and car.

The National Safer in the Home program *cannot* provide security upgrades such as CCTV, personal safety devices or apps, or alarm systems.