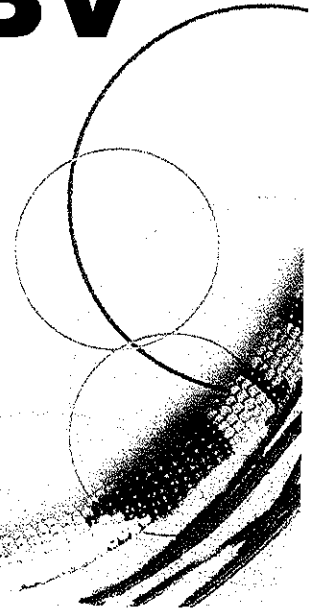


DSD APPROACH TO GBV



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Background

- Cabinet appointed the Inter-Ministerial Committee on Violence Against Women and Children (IMC),
- The department through its leadership of IMC in comprising of different department (DoJ, SAPS, DBE, NPA, DPME, DoHA, DoW) formed a technical task team (TTT) and has embarked upon the following in addressing challenges faced by women and children;
- The IMC is guided by integrated programme of action which was approved by cabinet to address issues pertaining to violence against women and children



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SA INTEGRATED POA

- **Main objectives of POA**

1. Prevent VAWC from occurring through sustained strategy for transforming attitudes, practices & behaviours
2. Respond to violence in an integrated and coordinated manner by ensuring comprehensive package of services to affected women and children.
3. Ensure provision of long-term care, support and empowerment of survivors of violence.



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POLICY GUIDELINES FOR VICTIM EMPOWERMENT

- **Main Objective:**

1. Give strategic direction on the development of management structures for effective coordination of VEP.
2. Identify and clarify sector specific roles and responsibilities at all government levels and NGOs
3. Serve as framework for development of sector specific policies and strategies.
4. Create common understanding of VE amongst all stakeholders.



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POA PILLARS

- **Pillar 1: Prevention and Protection**
 - Everyday Heroes Campaign
 - Orange Day Campaign
 - 16 Days of Activism on No Violence against Women and Children Campaign
 - Victims Rights Awareness and Training
 - Men as positive role models
 - Trafficking in Persons Workshops



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POA PILLARS

- **Pillar 2: Response**
 - GBV Command Centre
 - Lifeline SA/ GBV Helpline
 - Mentoring and Coaching of VEP NPOs
- **Pillar 3: Care and Support**
 - Shelters for abused women
 - Khuseleka One Stop Centres for Victims of Crime
 - White Door Centres of Hope for victims of GBV
 - Healing Programme for victims of Human



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Trafficking

EVERYDAY HEROES CAMPAIGN

- Visible VEP Campaign
- Comic book series (6 Comics)
- Trained DSD staff on the use of comics
- Launched by Minister in 2011
- Branding and Distribution Strategy
- Procurement of Speaking books (People with disability)
- Integrated into Community Works Programme
- Training of volunteers



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EVERYDAY HEROES

BUILDING A CARING SOCIETY TOGETHER



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GBV COMMAND CENTRE

- Provide telephonic counselling to victims of GBV
- Use technology to estimate location of the victim, assign the cases to the closest social workers in the field, record and receive feedback on the cases.
- Utilises 3 high level components:
 - Inbound and outbound call management
 - Incident logging & management on GBV CC Information System
 - Mobile workforce management (social workers integrated into the Command Centre Information System).



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SHELTERS

- **Shelters for Abused Women**
 - Provide psycho-social support and short term shelter for victims
 - To prevent repeat victimisation, secondary victimisation and ensure safety of the victims
 - Supplemented by White Door Centres of Hope
 - Norms and Standards for service delivery developed
 - Shelter Strategy developed and specific shelters designated for victims of Human

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ACHIEVEMENTS

- GBV Command Centre won 2 service awards (CCMG and Africom Awards).
- GBV Command Centre won a golden in London in June 2015 and shortlisted for Global Call Centre Awards to be held in USA, in November 2015.
- Total of 56 NPOs are funded through CARA Funds
- National Victim Satisfaction Survey conducted in 2011 and second follow-up satisfaction survey is underway.



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VSEP Information System finalised.

ACHIEVEMENTS cont...

- The department through its leadership in the Inter-Ministerial Committee on Violence Against Women and Children, comprising of different department (DoJ, saps, DBE, NPA, DPME, DoHA, DoW) formed a technical task team (TTT) and has embarked upon the following in addressing challenges faced by women and children;
- ❖ Conducted Analysis of the direct causes of violence against women and children to inform legislation and policy framework.
- ❖ Diagnostic review of different departments and its programmes which intend to review both the institutional mechanisms and programmes funded by government to address VAWC across the three spheres of government
- ❖ Development of Programme of Action (POA) for government to address violence against women and children. (Still to be presented to Cabinet)
- ❖ Monitor the services of different departments through Programme of Action and receiving Portfolio of Evidence for the work done.



END CHILD MARRIAGE CAMPAIGN

- Capacity building session for 55 girls and boys; 20 officials from DSD and Offices on the Rights of Children in Premiers' Offices from 09 provinces conducted by the Department and African Union Committee of Experts on the Rights and Welfare of the Child.
- Awareness raising activities including inter-generational dialogues conducted on End Child Marriage Campaign and Ukuthwala on 15 June 2015 at Soweto hotel, Johannesburg.
- Ministerial launch of the South African leg of the African Union Campaign on End Child Marriage to be held during the International Day of the girl-child on 11 November 2015.
- Provincial advocacy campaigns (Limpopo, Eastern Cape and KwaZulu-Natal).
- Office of Premier in the Eastern in partnership with DSD has conducted training for social workers on teenage pregnancy.



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