

MALTREATMENT

All types of physical and/or emotional ill-treatment, sexual abuse, neglect, negligence and commercial or other exploitation, which results in actual or potential harm to health, survival, development or dignity in the context of a relationship of responsibility, trust or power (World Health Organization, 2010)

Misuse of Power

| TYPE OF HARM | SEXUAL ABUSE | PSYCHOLOGICAL ABUSE | PHYSICAL ABUSE | NEGLECT | BULLYING | HARASSMENT |
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| DEFINITION | Any sexual interaction with person(s) of any age within a dependency relationship that is perpetrated against the victim's will, without consent, or in an aggressive, exploitative, coercive, manipulative, or threatening manner | Repeated non-physical harmful interactions within a critical relationship | Contact or non-contact behaviour within a critical relationship that has the potential to cause physical harm | Acts of omission Lack of reasonable care, inattention to needs, nurturing or well-being Failure to provide for basic needs or to protect from harm or potential harm | Repeated physical, verbal or psychological acts carried out by a person who holds perceived power over the victim. These acts can occur in person or online (cyberbullying). | Comments, conduct, actions or gestures that are insulting, intimidating, humiliating, malicious or offensive. |

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| RELATIONSHIP IN WHICH IT OCCURS | Critical relationship: one person is dependent upon another for safety, security and trust | Critical relationship | Critical relationship | Critical relationship | Peer-to-Peer relationships | Power relationship but non-critical relationship |
| DESCRIPTIONS | Examples include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intercourse • Inappropriate touching • Indecent exposure • Sexually oriented comments or jokes • Intimidating sexual remarks • Sexting • Forced Intimacy | Examples include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Repeated personal criticisms • Intimidating, humiliating, degrading, threatening comments • Deliberate denial of attention and support • Physically Intimidating behaviours | Examples include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stretching to the point of injury • Hitting an athlete • Exercise as punishment | Examples include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Withholding, denying adequate hydration, nutrition, medical attention or sleep • Inadequate supervision • Ignoring an injury or athlete's report of pain • Knowing about abuse but failing to report | Examples include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hitting • Pushing • Name-calling • Gossip and rumours • Social exclusion | Examples include: <p>Physical</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sexual • Psychological • Gender • Racial Ability/disability • Homophobia |