



Protection against Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA)

PROVISIONS OF THE LAW ON SEA IN ZAMBIA

Anti Gender Based Violence Act of 2011

Anti GBV Act: Deals with GBV issues outlined below:

- ▶ Sexual abuse: Includes engagement of another person in sexual contact, whether married or not, which includes sexual conduct that abuses, humiliates or degrades the other person or otherwise violates another person's sexual integrity, or sexual contact by a person aware of being infected with HIV or any other STI with another person without that other person being given prior information of the infection.

Provisions of the Law on SEA..Cont

- ▶ Also deals with intimidation, harassment and stalking
- ▶ Controlling behaviour such as isolating a person from the person's family and friends, monitoring the person's movement and restricting the person's access to information or assistance.

Provisions of the Law on SEA..Cont

- ▶ Anti GBV Act: Deals with GBV issues outlined below:
- ▶ Abuse perpetrated on a person by virtue of the person's age, physical or mental incapacity, disability or illness;
- ▶ Conduct that in any way harms or may harm another person, including any omission that results in harm and either endangers the safety, health or wellbeing of another person;

Redress and risk reduction behaviours at community level

- ▶ Lets have in place a community based complaint mechanism
- ▶ Mention pSEA in all campaigns
- ▶ Ensure that beneficiaries are aware of their rights and options
- ▶ Report any suspicion
- ▶ Victims must have access to assistance as soon as possible

Supporting Agencies in SEA

- ▶ ZNWL
- ▶ The Zambia Police Victim Support Unit
- ▶ NGOs working to end sexual gender based violence e.g YWCA
- ▶ Legal aid Clinic for women

Group Work

- ▶ Experience sharing on SEA
- ▶ Feedback on effectiveness of reporting mechanism