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16 Days of Activism against gender-based violence



Join ACRATH for a 16-day campaign to end violence against women and girls. The 16 days of activism runs from November 25th, the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women, to December 10th, Human Rights Day. Each day, ACRATH's campaign calendar provides opportunities to learn, engage, and take action against gender-based violence.

For almost 20 years ACRATH has been raising awareness and inspiring action against modern slavery through our annual 16-day campaign calendar. This calendar serves as a resource to educate and involve people in the campaign.

According to the Global Report on Trafficking in Persons 2022, out of every 10 human trafficking victims detected globally, four are adult women and two are girls, with 91% of those trafficked for sexual exploitation being female.

During these 16 days, ACRATH invites you to explore our calendar of events, resources, and stories. Whether it's listening to a podcast, learning about the latest data, watching our **Educating for Change** university project promotion video, or attending the "Holding the Light" Ecumenical Service in Melbourne to honour victims and survivors of domestic violence, there is something for everyone to engage with.





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“The victim/survivors of gender-based violence are at the heart of the work we do at ACRATH. Over the 16 days, starting on November 25, we would like to shine a light on the steps you can take to learn more about gender-based violence and the advocacy work we do. We strive for a future where we won’t need these awareness-raising campaigns or fundraising drives, but for now, join the action,” said Lys Crowe, Acting ACRATH National Executive Officer

Stay connected with ACRATH daily to learn more, share resources, and raise awareness via our [website](#): and social media channels: [Facebook](#), [Instagram](#), [LinkedIn](#), [X](#)

Join this global movement to end violence against women and girls.

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