

**I'm interested but I need more information**

If you would like more information please contact the researchers below, or if you'd prefer to talk to your Support Worker about it first they can give us your details to contact you.

Don't worry, getting more information does not mean that you have to take part.

**Please contact researchers at Durham University:**

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**Thank you!**

# Project Mirabal

**Research Study  
...we need your help!**

Do YOU think  
Perpetrator  
Programmes  
work?

We want  
to know!

We need to talk to women about their experiences of the Women's Support Service and Perpetrator Programmes

**Are you interested in sharing your experiences with us?**

Vouchers  
available  
for taking  
part

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find out how...

## Project Mirabal

The Child and Woman Abuse Studies Unit (CWASU) at London Metropolitan University, Durham University and the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine are working together on a research project looking at how Domestic Violence Perpetrator Programmes / Women's Support Service can make women and children safer

Domestic violence support services – including men's programmes – are experiencing a difficult economic climate and there is a need for more evidence about what works. By taking part in this research you will help services improve and help other women who have or will experience what you have been through.

**We need your expertise and knowledge!**

### How can I help?

You can help by taking part in:

#### FIVE follow-up telephone interviews

(around half an hour each)

If you agree to take part, we would like to speak to you over the phone every 3 months for 1 year.

We will want to talk to you about what you have experienced and how useful the support service/programme has been for you.

### What will I get for taking part?

You will receive **high street vouchers** at the end of the study to say thank you for taking part in the research

### Who will interview me?

A researcher from the Durham University team. The team has both a female and a male researcher - if you wish to be interviewed by the female researcher, we can arrange this.

### How will the interview be arranged?

We will contact you using the details you provide and agree with you the best ways and times to get in touch to do the interview.

### Do I have to take part?

No. It is up to you. You are free to change your mind at anytime and you do not have to tell us why.

### Will anyone know if I do the research?

**Only** the research team and your Women's Support Worker (if you choose to tell them) will know if you take part. We will keep your information safe and no one will be able to tell who you are from what you say. You will not be identifiable at any stage and your details will be kept confidential.

### How will you use the information I give you?

We will use what you tell us to write reports, articles, books, and to give presentations. We will never use your real name or anything that would personally identify you.

If you are interested in reading the findings of the research these will be available on the Respect website

<http://www.respect.uk.net>

**Interested? Need more information?**

**Turn over for our contact details**