Vulnerability Crimes Awareness Week

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Who can be a victim?

Anyone can be a victim of a Vulnerability Crime.

It is hard to protect yourself from someone taking advantage of you.



You can be vulnerable because of:

- age
- disability
- where you are from
- money problems
- drug and drink problems
- feeling alone and lonely.



What is a Vulnerability Crime?

Criminals take advantage of vulnerable people.

You may be more vulnerable to domestic abuse or scams.

They may take over your home or make you carry drugs for them.



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What are the signs?

A victim of a vulnerability crime might:

- Seem anxious or scared
- Become quiet and reserved
- Suddenly have lots of new things
- Talk about 'new friends'



Find out more and getting help?

You can find out more on the web www.dyfed-powys.police.uk

If you are a victim of crime you can talk to Dyfed-Powys Victim Support:

0300 123 2996

www.victimsupport.org.uk



Reporting a crime

In an emergency call 999.

Crimestoppers let you report a crime without telling them your

name: **0800 555 111.**

You can find more information here www.ceredigion.gov.uk/VC



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