



7.20 Domestic Violence

Guiding Principles

- Domestic violence is unlawful and unacceptable.
- The victim's safety is paramount.
- The victim has a right to remain in his/her home (or to be transferred if he/she prefers).
- Domestic violence is recognised in all forms of family relationship as defined by the tenant (de facto or married; heterosexual or homosexual; extended family, carers and friends).
- Domestic violence is recognised as an issue for the landlord in all cases, whether the victim or the perpetrator is a tenant, co-tenant, household member or visitor.

Policy

SGCH complies with the Residential Tenancies Act 2010 and mandatory reporting requirements when dealing with domestic violence situations.

Related Documents

- End of Tenancy
- Succession