

The Council of Aboriginal Elders  
of South Australia say:

“Any abuse of an Aboriginal Elder  
is a real dog act.

It’s a real shame job.  
We will not tolerate it.”

Get the Message?  
Abuse of Elders is **NOT OK.**

If it is happening to you or  
someone you know in SA then call:

Aged Rights Advocacy Service  
(ARAS)

ARAS provides a free  
and confidential service

**Telephone (08) 8232 5377**

**Country Toll Free 1800 700 600**

or Council of Aboriginal Elders of SA

**Telephone (08) 8367 0783**

An actor was used for the photo on this poster.

## What is Abuse?

- Bashing an Elder.
- Ripping them off by taking their food.
- Ripping them off for their money.
- Ripping them off for their medication.
- Ripping them off for their possessions.
- Threatening Elders with violence.
- Sponging off Elders.
- Threatening Elders that they will not see their grannies.
- Cutting Elders off from their community support.
- Starving Elders of food, money and every day needs.

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