

## Göppingen Intervention Centre

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73033 Göppingen

**By appointment only!**

@ [Intervention-gp@web.de](mailto:Intervention-gp@web.de)

or

 0151-10506798

Please leave your message in the  
voicemail,  
we will call you back.

Responsible Body:

Women's Shelter Göppingen  
Tel. 0716172769

## Intervention Centre

Domestic Violence

Offers for victims of domestic violence  
after police intervention.

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 Frauenhaus  
Frauen- und Kinderhilfe Göppingen e.V.

## **You are entitled to a life free of threats and violence!**

If, in your partnership, marriage, family, shared apartment, you are being abused, beaten, threatened, forced into sexual acts, or imprisoned, you have the right to defend yourself. In case of acute danger, call the police via the EMERGENCY NUMBER 110.

It is the duty of the police to protect you. They can remove the perpetrator from your residence, take their keys and prohibit them from entering the residence. The police can also place you in a women's shelter.

According to the Violence Protection Act, the possibility exists of assigning you and your children the shared residence for sole use for a limited time. Your partner may be prohibited from approaching or trying to contact you.

## **We will support you!**

If you give your consent to the police, you will receive a phone call from an employee of the Domestic Violence Intervention Centre. She will offer you an initial consultation in your apartment, at the counselling centre or at another location (school, clinic, etc.) in a timely manner and will advise you comprehensively, confidentially, and free of charge in clarifying your questions and in deciding on possible steps:

- How can I protect myself and my children?
- What legal steps can/should I initiate?
- What will happen next?
- What about the children?
- What if they do not comply with police or court orders?
- What other help and support is there?

## **We will help you**

- to take legal action, such as filing a complaint
- Further protective measures to apply for (application under the Violence Protection Act)
- Ensuring your financial situation (social benefits, unemployment benefits, legal aid, etc.)
- When finding a place in a women's shelter
- When contacting, mediating with other consulting institutions, doctors, therapists, lawyers, other authorities, and offices