



CANADIAN CENTER FOR WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Violence against women and women's economic security are intertwined; to eradicate domestic violence, we need to address economic abuse.

WHO WE ARE



The Canadian Center for Women's Empowerment (CCFWE) is a national organization in Ottawa, Canada dedicated to empowering domestic violence survivors through advocacy, mentorship, and economic empowerment.

MISSION



To help domestic violence survivors recover from economic abuse, and to address critical gaps in funding and policies that prevent survivors from becoming financially secure and independent.

VISION

A world in which domestic violence survivors can access and receive the resources they need to develop and achieve economic empowerment.

OUR GOALS



- To help survivors heal, build resilience, and lead a healthy lifestyle;
- To empower survivors to strengthen their financial knowledge and behaviours to gain financial security;
- To influence policymakers and financial institutions to remove structural obstacles that impact the economic empowerment of survivors;
- To raise public awareness about economic abuse in the context of domestic violence.

PROJECTS

- **Education & Public Awareness:** We educate the public about economic abuse, train professionals and advocates how to support survivors, and connect recent survivors with mentors.
- **Research:** There's limited data on economic abuse against women in Canada; we're conducting research to fill this gap.
- **Policy-influencing & Advocacy:** We advocate for policy changes surrounding economic abuse in domestic violence cases.
- **Wellness & Mental Health:** We host weekly support groups for women who are experiencing or have experienced domestic violence.
- **Entrepreneurship:** We provide assistance with branding, marketing and financing for women who want to start their own business.

WAYS TO HELP

Become a mentor or volunteer, attend an event, or donate.

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