

# Elder Abuse Annual Research Compilation

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This annual compilation is a reference guide containing elder abuse, neglect and exploitation research that was published during the 2019-2020 calendar year of the NCEA grant.

The themes and topics that were prominent in research this year include but are not limited to the following, which have been grouped into several categories: (1) *Financial, physical, psychological, sexual abuse and neglect*, (2) *multidisciplinary* (3) *reporting and disclosure*, (4) *women and elder abuse*, (5) *culture and ethnicity*, (6) *long-term care and caregivers*, (6) *elder abuse detection*, (7) *policy and intervention*, (8) *cognition and capacity*, (9) *miscellaneous research* (10) *other relevant research*.

We kindly ask that you please direct any questions about the research presented in this publication to the researchers who authored the studies.

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**Key Terms:** *elder abuse, cultural awareness, diverse populations, documentation injury, institutional abuse, neglect, risk reduction, self-neglect, victimization, vulnerability, abandonment, attachment theory, emotional abuse, global assessment, humiliation, isolation, mental and physiologic consequences social environment, stress, violence, depression, mental health, children's health, adolescents, diseases, health conditions, adverse childhood experiences, post-traumatic stress disorder, rape, sexual assault, sexually transmitted infection, cyclical violence, fatigue, interpersonal violence, knowledge deficit, power, prevention, retraumatization, social beliefs, unintentional abuse, medicare scams*

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**Key Terms:** *abuse outcomes, elderly women, intimate partner violence, elder abuse and neglect*

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**Key Terms:** *American Indian, elder abuse, elder maltreatment, elder mistreatment, historical trauma, interpersonal violence, minority, Native American, LGBT, cultural differences, outreach, demographics, psychopathology, elder mistreatment, race, ethnicity, marginality*

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**Key Terms:** criminal justice, elder abuse, elder mistreatment, methodology, prosecution, machine learning, electronic health records, insurance claims, antemortem, autopsy, comorbidities, forensic markers, injury pattern, lividity, postmortem, radiographs, tissue bridging, toxicology, family violence, screening

## POLICY AND INTERVENTION

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**Key Terms:** interpersonal violence and victimization, pharmacy practice, protocols for pharmacy practice, California penal code, criminal justice, elder death review, exploitation, mandated reporting, multidisciplinary team, prosecution, task force, testimonial evidence, aging, policy, Elder Justice Act elder justice roadmap, aging organizations, guidelines, adult protective services, victim rights

## COGNITION AND CAPACITY

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**Key Terms:** *dementia, vulnerable, self-neglect, physical, mental health, Alzheimer's, assisted living, care refusal, cognitive ability, frontotemporal dementia, functional decline, lewy bodies, memory, neurodegeneration*

## MISCELLANEOUS RESEARCH

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**Key Terms:** *adverse childhood experiences, cumulative advantage/disadvantage, depressive symptoms, elder abuse, physical heal*

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**Key Terms:** *elder mistreatment, elder abuse, COVID-19, intervention*

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