

She can't stop them  
from mutilating her body

But we can  
protect our  
daughters & sisters

# SAY NO TO FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION

For confidential help and advice  
Telephone FORWARD on:  
**020 8960 4000**  
[www.forwarduk.org.uk](http://www.forwarduk.org.uk)

Metropolitan Police Service  
Child Abuse Investigation Command  
Project Azure Information Line:  
**020 7161 2888**

You can call Crimestoppers  
anonymously on  
**0800 555 111**  
Crimestoppers is an independent charity

Female Genital Mutilation is child abuse and a grave human rights violation which can have serious health and psychological consequences.

Over 20,000 girls and young women under 15 are at risk of Female Genital Mutilation in the UK.

It is illegal to practice Female Genital Mutilation in the UK

It is illegal to take girls abroad from the UK for Female Genital Mutilation whether or not it is lawful elsewhere.

There is a 14 year prison sentence for anyone performing, arranging or assisting Female Genital Mutilation.