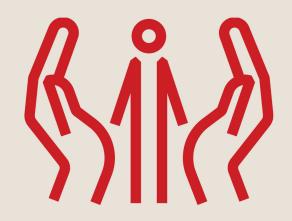
Seven principles of safer spaces



Be open

Meet new people and things without prejudice. Approach every encounter as an opportunity to learn something new and develop.

Respect

Pay attention to your choice of words and value the opinion of others.
Do not mock, embarrass or judge anyone with your words or behaviour.

Create a positive atmosphere

Also take responsibility for the experience of others. Listen, compliment and encourage.

Avoid assumptions

Do not make assumptions based on external characteristics, skin colour, ethnicity, religion, gender, age or speech. Do not make assumptions about gender, background or functional ability.

Give space

Respect the personal space, privacy and personal autonomy of others. Make sure that everyone is heard and give everyone the opportunity to participate.

Intervene

Do not stand idly by if you witness harassment or other inappropriate treatment.

7 Enjoy

Have fun! Ask questions and search for information if you find anything confusing.

