# ASK FOR ANGELA!

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TWEET IT
SHARE IT
SNAP IT
GET THE WORD OUT

**GET HOME SAFE!** 

ARE YOU ON A DATE THAT ISN'T WORKING OUT?

DO YOU FEEL LIKE YOU'RE NOT IN A SAFE SITUATION?

DOES IT ALL FEEL A BIT WEIRD? DINNER OR TINDER DATE NOT WHO THEY SAID THEY WERE?

APPROACH A MEMBER OF STAFF AND ASK FOR ANGELA. STAFF WILL IMMEDIATELY KNOW YOU NEED HELP AND WILL BE ABLE TO GET YOU OUT OF THE SITUATION SAFELY AND DISCREETLY

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TACKLING SEXUAL OFFENCES IN: COUNTY CLARE









## Advice for Staff using the 'Ask for Angela' poster scheme within their venues

- 1. Offer to take the person asking for help to a part of venue not in sight of the public or potential threat. (Staff room, kitchen, toilets)
- 2. Offer to call the person a taxi or assist them in calling a friend/family member to come and collect them.
- 3. Where safe to do so (the person asking for help is out of sight and the staff consider it safe) request the person causing distress leaves the venue.
- 4. Ask the person in distress what it is they want to do? It might be they just want to alert staff that things are becoming uncomfortable and might need someone to keep watch whilst they collect possessions from the area where they were seated.
- 5. Do Not allow the person asking for help to leave the venue in sight of the person causing them distress as this could lead to them being followed out of the venue and placed at higher risk.
- If the person causing distress becomes angry consider calling the Gardai for assistance or follow your corporate policy on this issue.

### **Gardai Contact phone numbers**

Ennis (065) 6848100 Kilrush (065) 9080550 Shannon (061) 365900

## CALLING ALL HOSPITALITY PROVIDERS IN CLARE

You are invited to help make Clare a safer destination to socialise by committing to the ASK FOR ANGELA campaign

LUCAS BAR, ENNIS 29th November at 7.00pm