

WARNING SIGNS OF ELDER ABUSE

Environmental/Living Conditions

- Their living space is in notably different than that of the caretakers or family
- Significant odors
- Lack of necessities: food, medication, assistive devices, heat, electricity, water
- Damage to home caused by abusive behavior, abused /neglected pets
- Living space or home is dangerous, infested or in disrepair

Questions For Financial Exploitation

- Who is in control of or has access to your money? How do you feel about that?
- Does anyone frequently ask you for money?
- Is anyone attempting to influence your decisions about your money or what you do with it?

Behavioral

- Caretakers won't leave you alone with the older person
- Caretakers are answering questions for the victim
- Inconsistencies in story
- Unexplained disappearance of funds or possessions



If a person's health is at risk: Call an ambulance (911)

If a person's safety is at risk:

Call Adult Protective Services or 911 in emergency

Adult Protective Services — 303-441-1000

Safe Shelter of St. Vrain Valley — 303-772-4422

**Safehouse Progressive Alliance for Nonviolence (SPAN) —
303-444-2424**

Moving to End Sexual Assault (MESA) — 303-443-7300

**Community Protection (Financial Exploitation) —
DA's Office—303-441-3700**