Workplace sexual harassment: Learn the signs*

3 in 4 workers have been sexually harassed at work in their lifetimes.

Many workers won't feel comfortable speaking up about workplace sexual harassment. Instead, they might say:

"I feel uncomfortable."
- Audio submission

"That's not okay."
- Written submission

"I [was] shocked. I didn't know what to say."
- Worker, Brisbane

"That's not a joke."
- LGBTQ+ worker, Darwin

"I've just been really struggling."
- Worker, Brisbane

"It was one of the scariest nights of my life."
- Written submission

"I don't want to be around these people."
- Worker, Brisbane

"I felt uneasy and unsafe."
- Written submission

Or they might take action to protect themselves:

"I walked out and went home."
- Audio submission

"I laughed it off, worried of how he would react if I reported it."
- Written submission

"I resigned."
- Written submission

"I blocked him on everything."
- Written submission

"I confronted him."
- Written submission

If a worker feels uncomfortable or unsafe, it could be workplace sexual harassment.

Workplace sexual harassment is against the law.

We can all do our bit to stop sexual harassment. Learn how you can make your workplace safer.

Scan the code or contact the **Respect@Work Information Service** on **1300 656 419** or respect@humanrights.gov.au

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*Over 300 people from diverse backgrounds who had been sexually harassed at work told us how it impacted them or made them feel.