

Manifesto

Every person should be Safe in Custody.

Recognising the inherent dignity and equal rights of every person, we reaffirm our commitment to prevent and eradicate torture in all its forms.

We hereby declare our support to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all persons in custody.

Preventing torture and other ill-treatment requires us to:

- Ensure that places of detention are open to independent and regular oversight
- Support practices and knowledge for law enforcement to move from interrogation towards effective interviewing
- Guarantee that legal and procedural safeguards in custody are implemented
- Absolutely reject the use of torture, at all times and in all circumstances.

In supporting this Manifesto, we are contributing to societies where human rights are universally respected, protected, and fulfilled, and where every person is safe in custody.