

1. Learn from each other
2. Help each other learn
3. Listen to each other and don't interrupt each other
4. Ask questions
5. Be clear and to the point
6. Feel free to share your experiences
7. Value the other person's perspective
8. Some discomfort is allowed
9. We are allowed to disagree. That's okay.

### **PROGRAM**



- What is inappropriate behavior?
- Our experiences
- How can I show solidarity if it happens to someone else?

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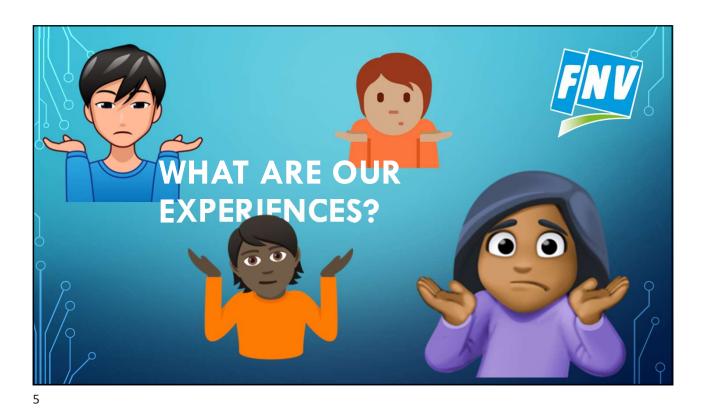
### **Inappropriate behaviour**



Forms of interaction that are experienced as forced and/or unwanted.

A threatening, hostile, insulting, socially unsafe or hurtful situation.

Examples: discrimination, sexual violence, bullying and "domestic" violence.

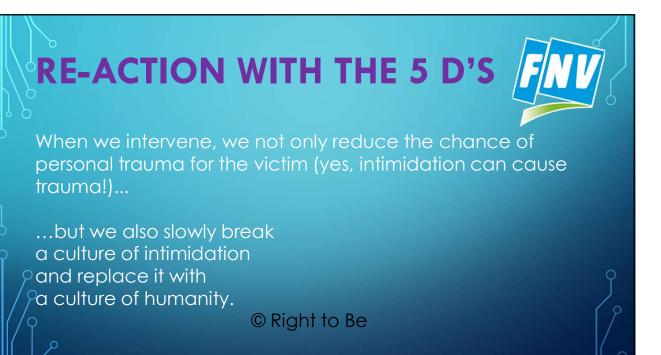


WHAT CAN I DO?

React
Report
Action







RIGHT TO BE'S 5 D'S

1. Distract - Afleiden

Distraction is a subtle and creative way to intervene. The power of distraction is that no one has to know that you are actually intervening in the harassment!

The goal is to simply derail the harassment incident by interrupting it.

The keys to good distraction are:

1. Ignore the person doing the harassing and directly engage with the person being harassed.
2. Do not talk about or refer to the harassment that is taking place. Instead, talk about something completely unrelated.





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#### 4. Delay - Uitstellen

Even if we can't do anything at the time, we can still make a difference for someone who has been harassed by checking in with them afterward. Many types of harassment happen casually or very quickly, and it's not always possible to intervene in some way right away.

By talking to the person who was the victim of the incident, we don't have to let the situation go. We can help reduce the potential trauma for that person.



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#### 5. Direct - Direct ingrijpen

- 1. Are you physically safe?
- 2. Is the person being harassed physically safe?
- 3. Does it seem unlikely that the situation will escalate?
- 4. Can you tell if the person being harassed wants someone to speak up?

All 4? Speak up immediately:

- "That's inappropriate," "That's homophobic," "That's disrespectful," "That's racist," "That's not okay," "That's harassment," etc.
- "Leave her alone."
- → "Please stop now."
- "She asked you to leave her alone and I'm here to support her."







