

ABUSE OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY IS WIDESPREAD

Compared to their counterparts without disability . . .



Young people who have experienced intimate partner violence in last 12 months

X3



Women who have been victims of violent sexual encounters at some time in their lives

X6



Men who report at least one incident of sexual violence since age 15

X2



Young people who reported physical violence in the last 12 months

X2



Adults who have experienced physical violence at least once since the age of 15

X3

Around 4 million Australians have a disability.

The ABS estimated that over 72,000 people with disability may have experienced sexual violence in the previous year.

