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**PRESS NOTE**  
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**“Phone-Up Programme” to break the cycle of domestic violence during  
COVID – 19 lockdown**

To look in to the problems of domestic violence faced by women in the household during COVID-19 lockdown and to rescue such women victims, Odisha Police is starting a **“Phone-Up Programme”**. This phone up programme will be implemented through the State Level Call Centre of SCRB.

Telephone call will be made from call center to the women who were the victim of domestic violence in the past to find out their well being. If continuing violence is reported in any case, then physical verification will be done at the district level to find out the condition of the victim women. SCRB call center will intimate such matter to DSP/ Addl. SP of concerned IUCAW for follow up action. This will break the chain of violence against women faced in household during Lockdown for COVID-19.

  
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