



**O.N.G : Amis des Etrangers au TOGO**

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## **NEGLECT,VIOLENCE AND ABUSE**

**1-/** No studies or older persons surveys on violence, neglect and abuse in Togo

**2-/ a)** In the country there are many form of violence, abuse and neglect like intimidations, marginalisation, discrimination, exclusion, psychological and some times physical violence, emotional etc....

**b)** Rural and some urban older persons are often victims of hungry, heath care deficit, social care and protection deficit, poverty.

**3-/** In Togo, there are no special formal legislation to combat violence, abuse and neglect but tradition oblige to respect older persons. Poverty obliged society, now, disconnecting with this tradition and promote discrination, violence, neglect and abuse.

**4-/** There are, in the country, no special legislation to protect older persons against financial abuse. Inadequate and poorly financed programmes characterise Togo older persons Intitutions. Lobbyings is an imperative to promote the UN convention on older persons in order to leave no one behing by 2030.