



## AYUNTAMIENTO DE MURCIA

### THE “ORDINANCE TO FIGHT PROSTITUTION IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF MURCIA” WILL SOON ENTER INTO EFFECT

#### Where will the Ordinance be applied?

In all public areas of the municipal district of Murcia.

#### Who will this Ordinance apply to?

Everyone, including minors, who engage in any of the conducts listed in the Ordinance in any of the places mentioned.

#### Which conducts are listed in the Ordinance as offences?

- Offering sexual services for payment.
- Soliciting, negotiating with or submitting to people requesting sexual services in exchange for payment.
- Maintaining sexual relations for payment.
- Advertising or disseminating publicity to promote the consumption of and market for prostitution, exploitation or sex tourism.
- Acts that encourage the consumption of prostitution or other forms of sexual exploitation such as taking clients to places where they can find people who exercise prostitution.

These conducts are considered even more serious when they occur less than 300 metres from learning centres, schools or other places with a large number of children and/or youth as well as places where any public event is held with a large number of people.

#### What are the possible sanctions?

Fines of up to €3,000.

A first definitive sanction may be substituted with other measures on a voluntary basis in cases of offending minors who request sexual services.

When a complaint is filed, the people responsible will be asked to leave the site and stop the prohibited conduct; if they do not obey these demands, they will be reported to court authorities.

#### What assistance does the City offer?

#### **City of Murcia Municipal Social Services Centre**

Address: Plaza Andorra de Teruel, N° 2 - 30002 MURCIA - (CARMEN, EL)

Telephone number(s): 968262718 -968262012 – 968262455 Fax: 968347440.



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### **Southern Murcia Municipal Social Services Centre**

Address: C/ Adrian Viudes, S/N 1º piso - 30570 MURCIA - (BENIAJAN)

Telephone number(s): 968873167-968873787 Fax: 968874243

### **Northern Murcia Municipal Social Services Centre**

Address: C/Escuelas, Nº 4 - 30100 MURCIA - (ESPINARDO)

Telephone number(s): 968879710 Fax: 968306968

### **Prevention and Social Insertion Section**

Address: C/ Eulogio Soriano, Nº 6 - 30001 MURCIA - (CATEDRAL, LA)

Telephone number(s): 968358600 Ext.: 2018, 2017, 2043, 3248.

The City of Murcia **Municipal Social Services Centres** assist people with social needs (information and guidance, economic assistance, social/educational support, assistance for inclusion, etc.) who are registered residents of the municipality of Murcia

You must make an appointment to receive services (telephone **968 35 70 07** Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.).

The **Prevention and Social Insertion Section** helps people who are not registered as residents of the municipality of Murcia that are in situations of exclusion or social emergency, the homeless, nomads and immigrants.

For gender violence issues, the City has a:

### **Municipal Violence Response Team (EMAVI)**

Office: TIENDA ASILO

Address: C/ Eulogio Soriano, Nº 6 - 30001 MURCIA - (CATEDRAL, LA)

Telephone number(s): 968358600 Ext: 2007 - 2016 - 2010 – 2020 Fax: 968214494