

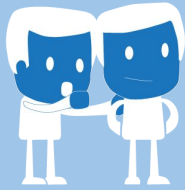


# RESPECT ZONE

The charter of the non-violent communication

## THE CHARTER

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### I respect others

When I am in a Respect Zone space online or in a physical space, I **listen to others** and utilize **non-violent means of communication**, in adherence with the present Charter of **Respect Zone self-moderation**.

The content of what I publish in the online/physical spaces for which I am responsible **respect the fundamental rights and liberties of the dignity** of others.



### I moderate my content

I refrain from publishing, emitting, supporting, sharing or liking without criticizing content, including text, sounds and videos, that do not conform to this charter and that constitute cyber-violence.

**Content that goes against the Respect Zone charter is content** that is either:

- harassing, racist, discriminatory
- stigmatizing based on race, belief, real or imagined faith (for example: Christian, Muslim or Jewish), or skin color,
- homophobic, sexist
- discriminatory or stigmatizing based on physical appearance and/or handicap,
- incited hatred, violence or terrorism,
- private and personal but nonetheless divulged without the consent of the person concerned.

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### I moderate my online space

As soon as I identify or someone notifies me of **online content that goes against the Respect Zone charter** (i.e. content that is cyber-violent, cyber-discriminatory, cyber-harassing as defined in point 2), I moderate the content rapidly in an appropriate way depending on the case, either by:

- marking my critical distance from the content (counter-narrative),
- signaling this content, or
- taking down this content if illicit.

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### I display the label



In a visible manner on my digital space, my websites, pages and social media accounts, or more generally all over my online space (on the home page or in continuation of other social media networks' buttons).

If I moderate an interactive comment forum, I moderate and display the **Respect Zone label** next to the « send » button in the comment section.

With each display of the Respect Zone Label, I direct my users towards **www.respectzone.org**

To adhere to the charter, please sign it  
online and download the RZ label at:  
[www.respectzone.org](http://www.respectzone.org)

