

Victim of domestic violence for 12 years...

Businessman's wife may press charges

CHAGUANAS

POLICE have intervened in an alleged case of domestic violence that has been circulating on Facebook.

The woman, wife of a prominent Central businessman, has removed herself and two minor children from the Chaguana home of the alleged attacker.

The woman, who posted photographs of her battered body, was expected to be interviewed

by the head of the Central Division to determine whether she wishes to press charges against her alleged attacker.

She is also to receive counselling from the Victim and Witness Support Unit of the Police Service and the children are to be referred to the Children Protection Unit and the Children's Authority.

The woman's allegations of domestic abuse at the hands of her husband have gone viral

on social networking site, Facebook.

The woman said she has been the victim of domestic violence for the last 12 years.

She claimed that her husband had threatened to kill her and her family over the years, whenever she attempted to leave the relationship.

Facebook users have shared the woman's posts, offering support and calling on the police to respond to her cries.