



# Violence Against Women

The Authority for the Advancement  
of the Status of Women  
Prime Minister's Office



# Legislation

- restraining order against a violent family member
- Economic aid to battered women
- Raising the minimum age for marriage

# Awareness

## **Deepening public awareness – November 25th**

- centers and the services they provide
- violence that doesn't leave visible scars
- Recognition of early signs of violence during courtship
- encouraging men to turn to the centers in order to receive the professional help that will enable them to change their behaviors
- 2013 Campaign: putting an end to violence

# Education

- Elimination of gender stereotypes
- "Non-Violent Friendships and Dating"
- mutual respect “The Other is Me”

# **offensive and degrading advertising**

# Services to Victims

- centers for the treatment and prevention of violence against women,
- shelters for battered women and their children,
- legal aid centers throughout the country
- national hot line.

## Two inter-ministerial national programs

- Program for Treatment of Victims of Sexual Attack
- Program to Extricate Women from Prostitution

# Combating Trafficking in Women

## **increasing public awareness:**

- December 2nd – International Day – Abolition of Slavery
- Campaigns
- Honorary decoration