GENDER STATISTICS:
Armenia Case

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Republic of Armenia: Legal Basis

- National Action Plan to combat gender-based violence
- National Action Plan on Improving the Status of Women and Enhancing Their Role in Society
- Gender Policy Strategic Program


State statistical work programs.

- Three-year state statistical work program (law),
- Annual state statistical work program.

Resolutions of the State Council on Statistics and other national and above-national normative acts.
GENDER STATISTICS INDICATORS

- Demography
- Health
- Social Security and Social Protection
- Family and Household
- Education and Science
- Culture
- Sport
- Work and Unemployment
- Time Use
- Crime
- Governance and Influence
DATA SOURCES

1. Statistical reports on regular (monthly, quarterly or annual) basis from responders, such as
   • Organizations
   • Administrative sources

2. Surveys (ad hoc or regular)

3. Censuses
DEMOGRAPHIC INDICATORS

- RA Police
- State Migration Service of the Ministry of Territorial Administration (migration)
- National Statistical Service
- Ministry of Healthcare
- Civil Status Acts Registration Agency of the Ministry of Justice
Links with Administrative Registers

National Statistical Service
(statistical registers)

- Register of Entrepreneurial Rights
  (State Register Legal Persons)
- Tax Register
- Customs Register
- Crime Register (RA Police and other state bodies)
- Register of Entrepreneurial Rights
  (State Register Legal Persons)
- Environment Register
  (Ministry of Nature Protection of RA)
- Register Science and Education
  (Ministry of Science and Education
  of RA)
- Civil Status Register
  (RA Bodies of Civil Status
  Registration, Passport Unit of RA
  Police)
- Register of State and Municipality
  Revenues and Expenditures
  (RA Treasure)
- Social Insurance Register
  (State Fund of Social Insurance of RA)
- Property Rights Register
  (State Cadastre Committee of RA)
- Register of diseases and health
  sphere (Ministry of Health of RA)
- Employment and Unemployment
  Register (State Service of
  Employment of RA)
- Register of External Passenger Turnover
  (Migration Agency of RA)
- Air Sphere Register (Main
  Civil Aviation of RA)
- Monetary -credit and Bank Register
  (Central Bank of RA)
- Insurance Market Register
  (Central Bank of RA)
- Securities Register (Central
  Bank of RA)
- Registers of quasi-fiscal
  Spheres (energy, gas,
  water, communications)
- Other Administrative Statistical Registers
  (by types of economic activities)
- Territorial Registers (regions and
  municipalities)
- Agriculture Register (Ministry of Agriculture of RA)

Existing

Not established yet
**Surveys**

- Household Integrated Living Condition Survey (regular)
- DHS (every 5 year)
- Time-use survey
- Gender based violence survey

**Censuses**

- Population census
- Agricultural census (expected)
Lack of data in:

- Agriculture
- Entrepreneurship
- Hidden employment
- Trafficking
- Illegal Migration
The research in Armenia was a part of the bigger region-wide effort in the field of GBV data collection.

In Armenia, conduction of the survey was made by National Statistical Service of the Republic of Armenia (NSS RA).

Technical support for the survey was provided by UNFPA CGBV staff and a group of international experts.
The objectives of the study were as follows:

- To produce accurate and reliable official and internationally comparable baseline data on prevalence and incidence of major forms of intimate partner and non-partner violence against women and thus to obtain valid estimates about the scale and scope of the phenomenon.

- To make recommendations with an aim to assist relevant government agencies to design more effective and better-targeted policies and interventions to address the problem of violence against women.
The research consists of a **quantitative survey** component providing representative information at:

- Yerevan,
- **other urban** and
- **rural levels**.

The sampling frame for the survey was built using the database of addresses created on the **2001 Population Census** basis.

A representative probability sample of **4,720** households was selected for the survey sample.
Respondents

The target group for the survey was women in the age bracket 15-59.

Questionnaires

The model **WHO questionnaire** was adapted by experts from the NSS and UNFPA, as both agencies were responsible for survey design and implementation. All changes were approved also by international consultants and experts from UN agencies.
Questionnaire obtained data from women of age 15 - 59 on the following:

- Respondent and her community
- General health
- Reproductive health
- Children
- Current or most recent partner
- Attitudes
- Respondent and her sexual partner
- Injuries
- Impact and coping
- Other experiences
- Financial autonomy
- Anonymous reporting of childhood sexual abuse; respondents’ feedback
UNFPA CGBV established a group of experts for national report preparation. Participants of the working group were representatives of:

- RoA Ministry of Labor and Social issues,
- RoA Ministry of Health,
- RoA Police Department,
- NGO community and Academia.
“Testing of Survey Module on Violence against Women in Armenia”, 2010

- Survey aimed at assisting the implementation of the part of an interregional project that coordinated by the UNEC for Latin America and the Caribbean and bring out some peculiarities of violence against women in Armenia.

- In Armenia, conduction of the survey was made by National Statistical Service of the Republic of Armenia (NSS RA).

- Technical support for the survey was provided by UNECE.

- The UNECE module questionnaire was translated and discussed with the national experts.
The sampling frame for the survey was built using the database of addresses created for the **2001 Population Census**.

The target group for the survey was women **after age 15**.

All the settlements on regional level were divided into 3 categories:

- Yerevan,
- other urban areas
- rural areas.

The research consists of **280** households.
Thank you

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