

ACTION PLANS, POLICIES AND LAWS RELEVANT TO SEVERAL TYPES OF VIOLENCE

| National action plans | | | | National social and educational policies | | | |
|--|-------------|---------------------------|-----|---|------------------------------|----------|--------------|
| Interpersonal violence | NO | Child maltreatment | YES | Incentives provided for high-risk youth to complete schooling | NO | | |
| Youth violence | YES | Intimate partner violence | YES | Housing policies to de-concentrate poverty | NO | | |
| Sexual violence | YES | Elder abuse | YES | | | | |
| Firearms | | | | Alcohol | | | |
| Laws to regulate civilian access | YES | | | Adult (15+) per capita consumption (litres of pure alcohol) | 11.2 | | |
| Mandatory background check | YES | | | Patterns of drinking score | LEAST RISKY ①②③④⑤ MOST RISKY | | |
| Handguns/long guns/ automatic weapons | YES/YES/YES | | | Excise taxes | Beer: YES | Wine: NO | Spirits: YES |
| Carrying firearms in public | YES | | | | | | |
| Programmes to reduce civilian firearm possession and use | NO | | | | | | |

LAWS AND PREVENTION PROGRAMMES BY TYPE OF VIOLENCE

No response/don't know – Limited ① Partial ② Full ③ KEY No response/ don't know – Once/few times ① Larger scale ②

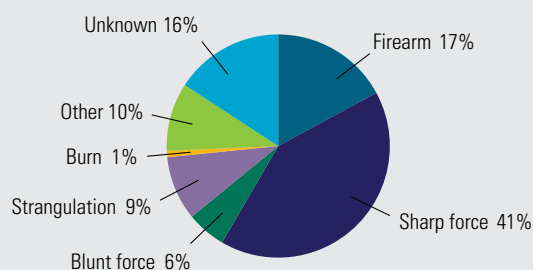
| Child maltreatment laws | Enforcement | Child maltreatment prevention programmes | Implementation |
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| Legal age of marriage (male/female) | 16 / 16 | Home visiting | YES ①② |
| Against child marriage | YES ①②③ | Parenting education | YES ①② |
| Against statutory rape | YES ①②③ | Training to recognise / avoid sexually abusive situations | YES ①② |
| Against female genital mutilation | YES ①②③ | | |
| Ban on corporal punishment (all settings) | YES (YES) ①②③ | | |
| Youth violence laws | Youth violence prevention programmes | | |
| Against weapons on school premises | YES ①②③ | Pre-school enrichment | YES ①② |
| Against gang or criminal group membership | YES ①②③ | Life skills and social development training | YES ①② |
| | | Mentoring | YES ①② |
| | | After-school supervision | YES ①② |
| | | School anti-bullying | YES ①② |
| Intimate partner violence laws | Intimate partner violence prevention programmes | | |
| Against rape in marriage | YES ①②③ | Dating violence prevention in schools | YES ①② |
| Allowing removal of violent spouse from home | YES ①②③ | Microfinance and gender equity training | NO – |
| | | Social and cultural norms change | YES ①② |
| Sexual violence laws | Sexual violence prevention programmes | | |
| Against rape | YES ①②③ | School and college programmes | YES ①② |
| Against contact sexual violence without rape | YES ①②③ | Physical environment changes | YES ①② |
| Against non-contact sexual violence | YES ①②③ | Social and cultural norms change | YES ①② |
| Elder abuse laws | Elder abuse prevention programmes | | |
| Against elder abuse | YES ¹ – | Professional awareness campaigns | YES ①② |
| Against elder abuse in institutions | NO – | Public information campaigns | YES ①② |
| | | Caregiver support | YES ①② |
| | | Residential care policies | YES ①② |
| VICTIM LAWS | VICTIM SERVICES | | |
| Providing for victim compensation | YES ①②③ | Adult protective services | YES ①② |
| Providing for victim legal representation | YES ①②③ | Child protection services | YES ①② |
| | | Medico-legal services for sexual violence | YES ①② |
| | | Mental health services | YES ①② |

DATA ON VIOLENCE

National prevalence surveys for non-fatal violence

Child maltreatment YES Youth violence YES Intimate partner violence YES Sexual violence – Elder abuse YES

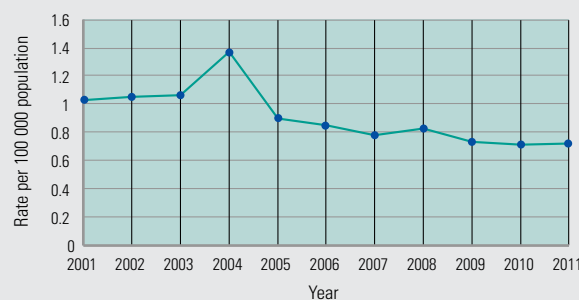
Mechanism of homicide



Reported homicides (2011) N= 334, Rate= 0.7/100 000 (68.9% M, 31.1% F)

Sources: Mechanism: National Institute of Statistics/ Reported homicides: VR

Trends in homicides



Source: National Institute of Statistics

¹ Subnational.