

Violence against Women Victim Support: Report



Review of the Implementation of the Beijing Platform for Action in the EU Member States

Domestic violence against women remains one of the most pervasive human rights violations of our time, and one of the biggest **global problems**. In the EU, **9 out of 10** victims of intimate partner violence are women. It harms women, families, communities and society.

The EU is **committed** to combatting violence against women. This commitment is affirmed in the Women's Charter (2010), the European Commission's Strategy for Equality between Women and Men 2010–15 and the Stockholm Programme for 2010–14. However, domestic violence against women still remains widespread and under-reported.

The current report aims to **support policymakers and all relevant institutions** in their efforts to combat and prevent domestic violence, by providing them with reliable and comparable data and information for effective, evidence-based decisions and policy improvement



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