

VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

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DID YOU KNOW?



Violence against Women (VAW) is an act of gender-based violence that results in, or is likely to result in, physical, sexual or psychological harm to women including threats, reprisals, exploitation, harassment, and other forms of control.

- PSA Board Resolution No. 1, Series of 2017-078



INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE

PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN AGED 15 - 49 WHO HAVE EVER EXPERIENCED VARIOUS FORMS OF VIOLENCE BY THEIR CURRENT OR MOST RECENT HUSBAND/INTIMATE PARTNER: 2022

6.4%

Physical Violence^{a,b}



2.3%

Sexual Violence^c



15.2%

Emotional Violence^d



*Victims may have experienced several kinds of violence: values are not mutually exclusive. Source: NDHS, PSA



PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN AGED 15 - 49 WHO HAVE EVER EXPERIENCED ANY FORM OF PHYSICAL, SEXUAL OR EMOTIONAL VIOLENCE BY THEIR CURRENT OR MOST RECENT HUSBAND/INTIMATE PARTNER: 2022



17.5%

Source: NDHS, PSA



TOP 3

MOST REPORTED CASES OF VAW: 2021

(as of February 2022)

① **8,399**

Physical Injuries

② **1,791**

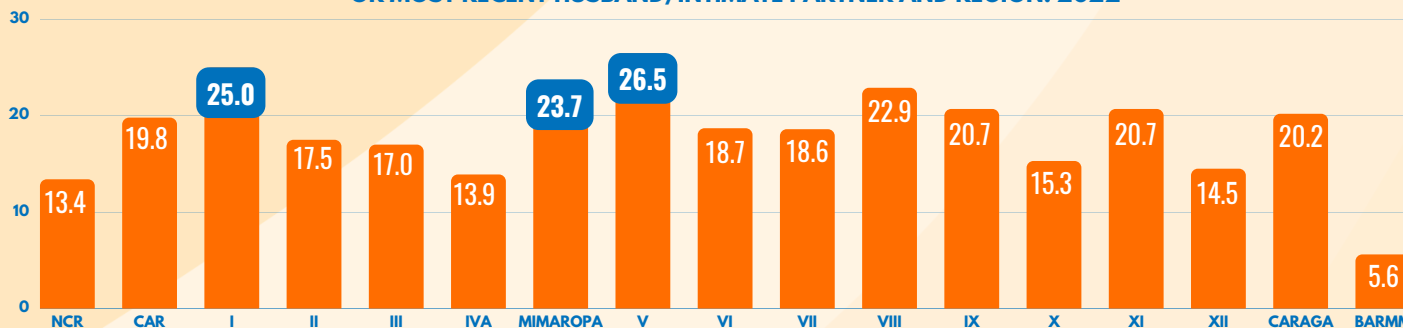
Rape

③ **1,505**

Acts of Lasciviousness^f

Source: PNP^f

PERCENTAGE OF WOMEN AGE 15-49 WHO HAVE EVER HAD A HUSBAND OR INTIMATE PARTNER WHO HAVE EVER EXPERIENCED EMOTIONAL, PHYSICAL, OR SEXUAL VIOLENCE COMMITTED BY THEIR CURRENT OR MOST RECENT HUSBAND/INTIMATE PARTNER AND REGION: 2022



Source: NDHS, PSA

TOP 3

CLIENTS SERVED BY DSWD: 2021

(as of February 2022)



WOMEN

CHILDREN

① **190**

Victims of Trafficking

GIRLS
537

Sexually Abused

BOYS
187

Neglected

② **188**

Sexually Abused

142

Neglected

106

Abandoned

③ **165**

Psychological/
Emotionally Abused

131

Victims of Trafficking

60

Victims of Child Labor

Source: DSWD

Notes:

a - The term husband includes a partner with whom a woman is living as if married. Husband/intimate partner refers to the current husband for currently married women, the most recent husband for divorced, separated or widowed women, the current intimate partner for never married women who currently have an intimate partner, and the most recent intimate partner for never married women who do not currently have an intimate partner but had one in the past.

b - Physical violence - push you, shake you, or throw something at you; slap you; twist your arm or pull your hair; punch you with his fist or with something that could hurt you; kick you, drag you, or beat you up; try to choke you or burn you on purpose; or threaten or attack you with a knife, gun, or any other weapon.

c - Sexual violence - physically force you to have sexual intercourse with him even when you did not want to, physically force you to perform any other sexual acts you did not want to, or force you with threats or in any other way to perform sexual acts you did not want to.

d - Emotional violence - say or do something to humiliate you in front of others; threaten to hurt or harm you or someone close to you; insult you or make you feel bad about yourself; not allow you to engage in any legitimate work or practice your profession; control your own money or property or force you to work; destroy your personal property, pets, or belongings or threaten or actually harm your pets; have other intimate relationships.

e - The National Demographic and Health Survey (NDHS) 2022 is the seventh Demographic and Health Survey conducted in the Philippines as part of the DHS Program, and the 12th NDHS since 1968. NDHS included Women's Safety Module to collect information on domestic violence on women aged 15 - 49.

f - The Philippine National Police Crime Information Reporting and Analysis System (CIRAS) contains reported cases of violence against women and children. Physical Injuries include physical abuse in violation of RA9262, serious physical injury, less serious physical injury and slight physical injuries.



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