

Population: 7 277 831

Gross national income per capita: US\$ 6 850

Income group: Middle

Income inequality: 28.19

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

National action plans				National social and educational policies			
Interpersonal violence	YES	Child maltreatment	YES	Incentives provided for high-risk youth to complete schooling	YES		
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				Adult (15+) per capita consumption (litres of pure alcohol)	11.4		
Mandatory background check				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

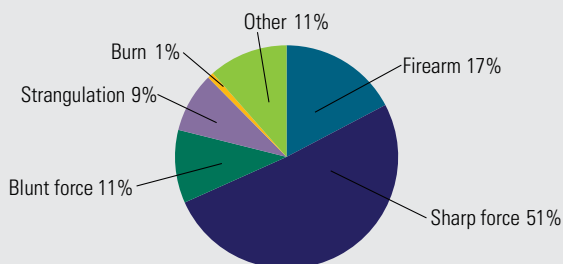
Child maltreatment laws			Enforcement	Child maltreatment prevention programmes			Implementation
Legal age of marriage (male/female)	16 / 16			Home visiting	YES		①②
Against child marriage	YES		①②③	Parenting education	YES		①②
Against statutory rape	YES		①②③	Training to recognise / avoid sexually abusive situations	YES		①②
Against female genital mutilation	NO		–				
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	NO		–	Life skills and social development training	YES		①②
				Mentoring	NO		–
				After-school supervision	YES		①②
				School anti-bullying	YES		①②
Intimate partner violence laws				Intimate partner violence prevention programmes			
Against rape in marriage	NO		–	Dating violence prevention in schools	NO		–
Allowing removal of violent spouse from home	YES		①②③	Microfinance and gender equity training	YES		①②
				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	NO		–
Against non-contact sexual violence	YES		–	Social and cultural norms change	NO		–
Elder abuse laws				Elder abuse prevention programmes			
Against elder abuse	YES		①②③	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 NO Intimate partner violence NO Sexual violence NO Elder abuse –

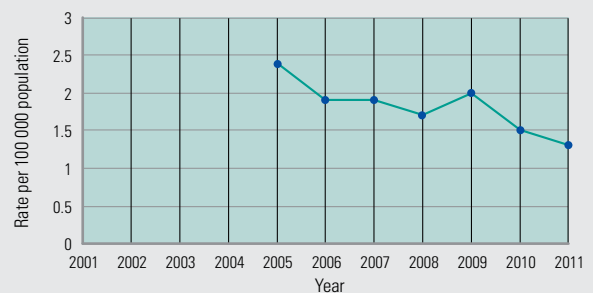
Mechanism of homicide



Reported homicides (2011) N= 104, Rate= 1.3/100 000 (71% M, 29% F)

Sources: Mechanism: Ministry of Interior/ Reported homicides: Police

Trends in homicides



Source: Ministry of Interior