Activism against Gender-Based Violence

This month marks the 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence (GBV). Under the global theme “Orange the World: End Violence against Women Now!” the United Nations is marking the 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence, from 25 November to 10 December. Individuals and organizations around the world call for the prevention and elimination of violence against women and girls.

To learn more about how you can join the campaign, go [here](#).

The official UN commemoration event will take place on November 24, 10:00–11.30 am ET. To watch the event, please [register here](#).

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**Did You Know?**

- **1 in 3** women and girls experience physical or sexual violence in their lifetime?

- **243 million** women and girls, aged between 15-49 experienced sexual and/or physical violence by an intimate partner in the last year.

- Domestic violence is a global problem

**Webinar**

UN Women organized a webinar on the shadow pandemic on 18 November to discuss lessons learned on collecting data on violence against women during COVID-19 and how such data can be used to inform policy decisions.

Dr Anita Raj, GEH Director, moderated the discussion.
### GEH work on Gender-Based Violence

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### Blog

While misogynist attitudes and regressive gender norms deriding women’s political participation are at the heart of the issue of online violence against women in politics (OVAW-P), the critical role of social media platforms in exacerbating this culture of misogyny must not be underestimated.

Read our new blog "Politics and Social Media: Misogyny and online violence against women in politics" by Nabamallika
We might have what you are looking for!  
Search for GBV / IPV / DV Measures

Upcoming event

Tuesday, November 23, 2021

Learning Collaborative + EMERGE Social Norms Measurement Webinar
8:00–9:30 a.m. EDT/ 2:00–3:30p.m. WAT/4:00–5:30 p.m. EAT/6:30–8:00 p.m. IST

Where: Connect via Zoom

This webinar will discuss the importance of quantitatively measuring social and gender norms in survey research and evaluation and the challenges to doing so. Explore how to find and select the best measures to meet your needs using the EMERGE Project site and hear about what makes a good social norms measure.

REGISTER HERE

$ Funding Announcement $

Co-Impact is excited to announce its Open Call for Country-Level Grants to Advance Gender Equality through the common goal of transforming systems for women & girls to rise and thrive in leadership positions– in the household, in their communities and the highest national institutions.

The deadline for submission is 20 December 2021.

Learn More/Apply

EMERGE: Adolescent Health and Development
Did you miss it?
Check out our previous newsletter EMERGE: Adolescent Health and Development