

The Project

The aim of the project Breaking the Cycle of Violence is to help vulnerable women who are in heightened risk of domestic violence or victims to break from the cycle of violence.

The project has identified four target groups – LGBTI women, disabled women, migrant women and victims of domestic violence – who were given specialised mentoring sessions on identifying signs of violence, support services available to them amongst other topics. Apart from this, the project included an awareness raising campaign for the general public, a train the trainer programme with Malta Girl Guides (MGG) and Scouts Association Malta as well as information sessions with advocates, HR personnel and public service employees.

Projekat

Cilj projekta Izlaz iz začaranog kruga nasilja jeste pomoć ugroženim osobama ženskog pola koje se suočavaju sa visokim rizikom od nasilja u porodici ili koje su žrtve istog da izađu iz začaranog kruga nasilja.

U okviru projekta, uočene su četiri ciljne grupe: osobe ženskog pola koje pripadaju grupi LGBTI (lezbijke, biseksualne, transrodne i interseksualne osobe ženskog pola), osobe ženskog pola sa invaliditetom, osobe ženskog pola koje su migranti, kao i žrtve nasilja u porodici. One su pohađale specijalizovane mentorske sesije, gde je, između ostalog, bilo reči o prepoznavanju znakova nasilja i o dostupnim službama za podršku. Osim toga, deo projekta bila je i kampanja za podizanje svesti u široj javnosti, program obučavanja instruktora sa Malteškim vodičima za devojke i devojčice (MGG) i Udruženjem izviđača Malte, kao i informativne sesije sa advokatima, zaposlenima u ljudskim resursima i javnim službama.

Professional Services

Supportline	179
Emergency Line	112
Legal Aid	25674330
Victim Support Malta	21228333
Social Work Unit Gozo	21556630
Mental Health Malta	23304313
Dar Merħba Bik	21440035
Dar Emmaus	21552390
SOAR Support Group (SJAF)	21808981
Women's Rights Foundation	79708615
Rainbow Support Service (LGBTIQ)	21430009
Fondazzjoni Dar il-Hena	27888211
Programm Sebħ-Dar Qalb ta' Gesù	21482504
Kellimni	kellimni.com



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WHAT IS GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE?

Gender-based violence is a form of interpersonal violence wherein violence are directed at a person because of their gender. The majority of gender-based violence is violence directed at women. It manifests itself in various forms such as stalking, sexual violence, sexual harassment, forced marriages, forced abortions or genital mutilation, among other forms.



1 in 4 Women in Malta

experienced some form of violence by an intimate partner in their lives, 16% of which experienced either physical or sexual violence.



16% of non-heterosexual women

experienced physical and/or sexual violence by a male non-partner since the age of 15 when compared with 12% of heterosexual women



34% of women

who have health problems and disability have experienced physical and/or sexual violence during a relationship when compared with 19% of women who do not have a health problem or disability

In 2018, a total of 1341 cases of domestic violence were reported to the police. Most cases involved are women aged between 40-59 years followed by women aged between 30-39 years. Out of all cases, nearly one half of female victims are victims of sexual crimes. Despite this, it is estimated that around 85% of cases of sexual violence go unreported



3207 cases OF SEXUAL VIOLENCE GO UNREPORTED

If you know someone, or yourself think you are a victim of gender-based violence, speak out to someone you trust and seek professional help to break the cycle of violence. Do not let yourself become a number. You are worth much more than that!

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Ukoliko poznajete nekoga ko je žrtva rodno zasnovanog nasilja ili mislite da ste i sami u toj situaciji, obratite se osobi od poverenja i potražite stručnu pomoć da biste izašli iz začaranog kruga nasilja. Ne dozvolite da postanete deo statistike. Vredite mnogo više od toga!

ŠTA JE RODNO ZASNOVANO NASILJE?

Rodno zasnovano nasilje predstavlja oblik međuljudskog nasilja koje se vrši nad nekom osobom zbog njene rodne pripadnosti. Žrtve rodno zasnovanog nasilja uglavnom su žene. Postoje razni oblici, a među njima su i: uhođenje, seksualno nasilje, seksualno uznemiravanje, prinudni brakovi, prisilni prekid trudnoće ili sakaćenje polnih organa.



Jedna od 4 žene na Malti

doživela je neki vid nasilja od partnera, a od toga 16% je doživelo fizičko ili seksualno nasilje.



Fizičko i/ili seksualno nasilje od

osobe muškog pola koja im nije partner doživelo je od svoje 15. godine 16% osoba ženskog pola koje nisu heteroseksualne orijentacije, odnosno 12% heteroseksualnih osoba ženskog pola.



Fizičko i/ili seksualno

nasilje tokom emotivne veze doživelo je 34% žena koje imaju zdravstvene probleme ili invaliditet, odnosno 19% žena koje nemaju zdravstveni problem niti invaliditet.

Tokom 2018. godine policiji je prijavljen ukupno 1341 slučaj nasilja u porodici. U većini slučajeva žrtve su žene starosti 40-59 godina, a zatim žene 30-39 godina.

U tim slučajevima, gotovo polovina žrtava ženskog pola žrtve su seksualnih zločina. Uprkos tome, procenjuje se da se oko 85% slučajeva seksualnog nasilja nikada ne prijavi.