

Why the European Charter?

Article 21, Article 22, Article 23

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**EUROPEAN
CHARTER
FOR
EQUALITY
OF WOMEN
AND MEN
IN LOCAL
LIFE**

European Charter and safety

- Article 21 – Safety and Security
- Article 22 – Gender-Based Violence
- Article 23 – Human Trafficking

Article 21 – Safety and Security

Tasks

- to **analyze from a gender perspective the statistics** concerning the volume and patterns of incidents that affect the security or safety of women and men, and if appropriate to measure the level and nature of fear of crime or other sources of insecurity
- to **develop and implement strategies, policies and actions**, including specific improvements to the state or design of the local environment (for example, transport interchanges, car parks, street lighting), or to policing and related services, to enhance the practical security and safety of women and men, and to seek to reduce their respective perceptions of lack of safety and security

Article 22 – Gender-Based Violence

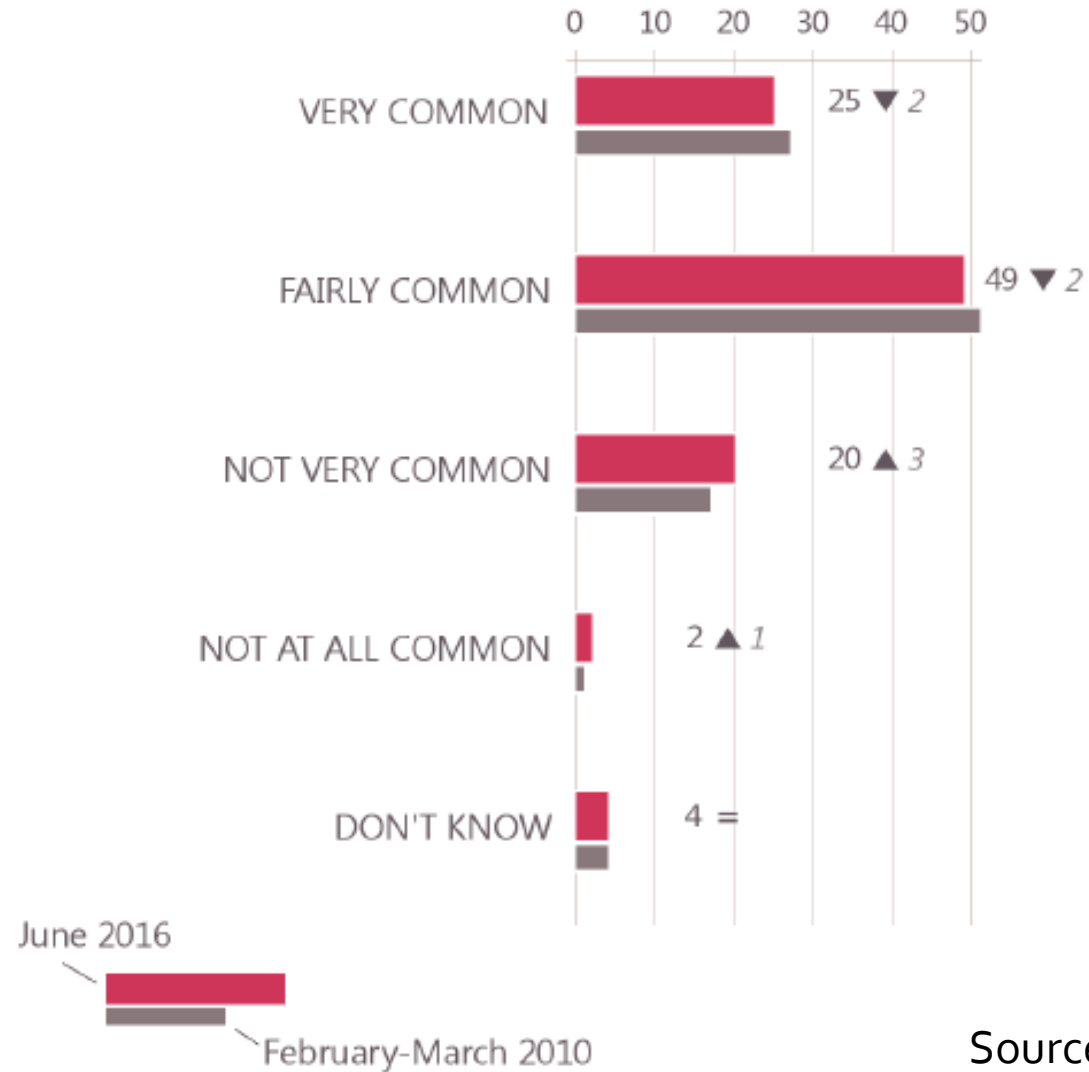
Tasks

- to establish and strengthen policies and actions against gender-based violence, including:
 - Providing or assisting specific support structures for victims
 - Providing public information, in each of the mainly-used local languages, on the assistance available in the area
 - Ensuring that professional staff have training in identifying and supporting victims
 - Ensuring that there is effective co-ordination between the relevant services such as the police, health and housing authorities
 - Promoting awareness-raising campaigns and educational programmes aimed at potential and actual victims and perpetrators

Article 22 – Gender-Based Violence

It's
hard
to
believe

QB1 In general, how common do you think that domestic violence against women is in (OUR COUNTRY)?
(% - EU)



Source: Special Eurobarometer 449, 2016

Article 22 – Gender-Based Violence

Where?

QB4 Do you know of any men or women who have been a victim of any form of domestic violence?
(% - EU)

IN YOUR CIRCLE OF FRIENDS AND FAMILY

Women	17	1	6	69	1	6
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IN YOUR IMMEDIATE AREA OR NEIGHBOURHOOD

Women	13	1	4	72	2	8
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WHERE YOU WORK OR STUDY

Women	6	1	3	78	2	10
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Source: Special Eurobarometer 449, 2016

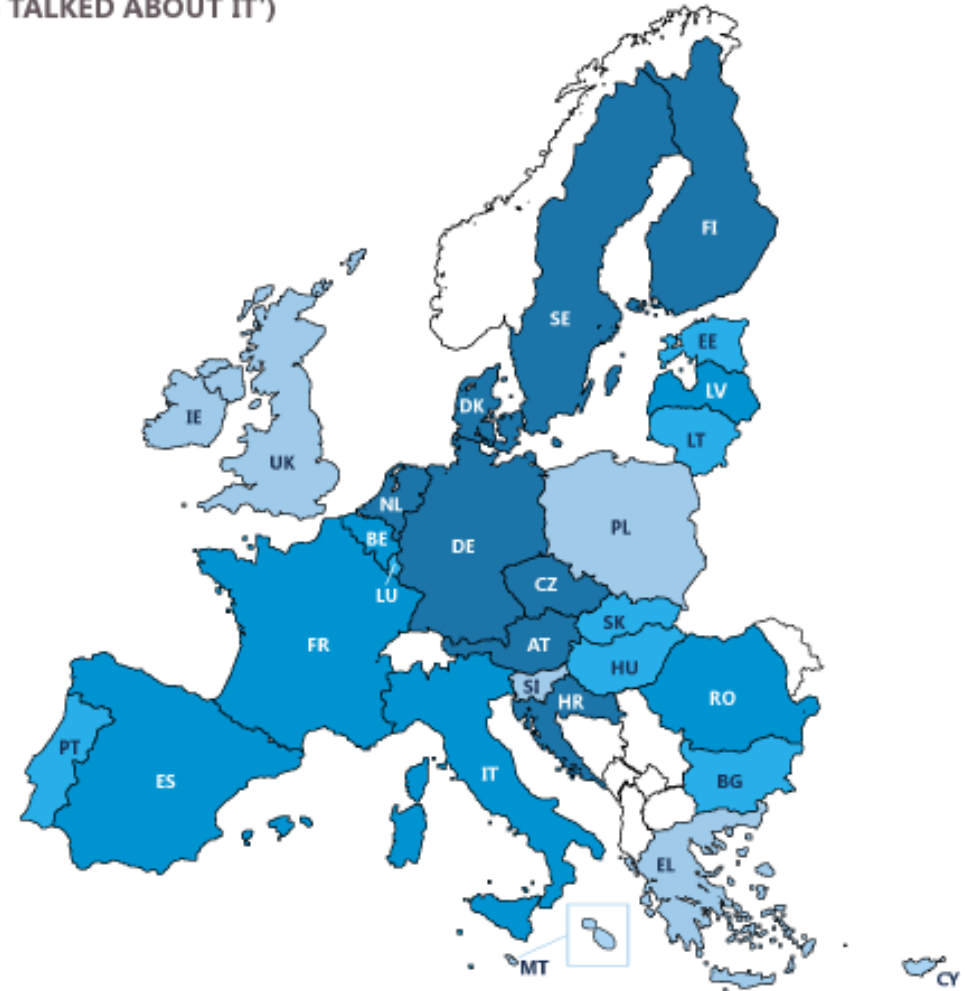
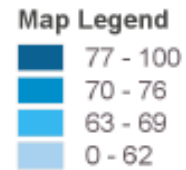


Article 22 – Gender-Based Violence

Information
should
be
gold

SE		83
NL		82
DK		81
CZ		81
FI		81
HR		79
AT		79
DE		77
FR		75
ES		73
LV		72
RO		72
BE		72
EU28		71
IT		70
PT		69
HU		69
LU		68
LT		68
BG		65
EE		64
SK		63
PL		62
SI		62
EL		60
UK		60
IE		58
MT		57
CY		54

QB4b Did you speak to anyone about this?
(MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)
(% - TOTAL 'HAS TALKED ABOUT IT')



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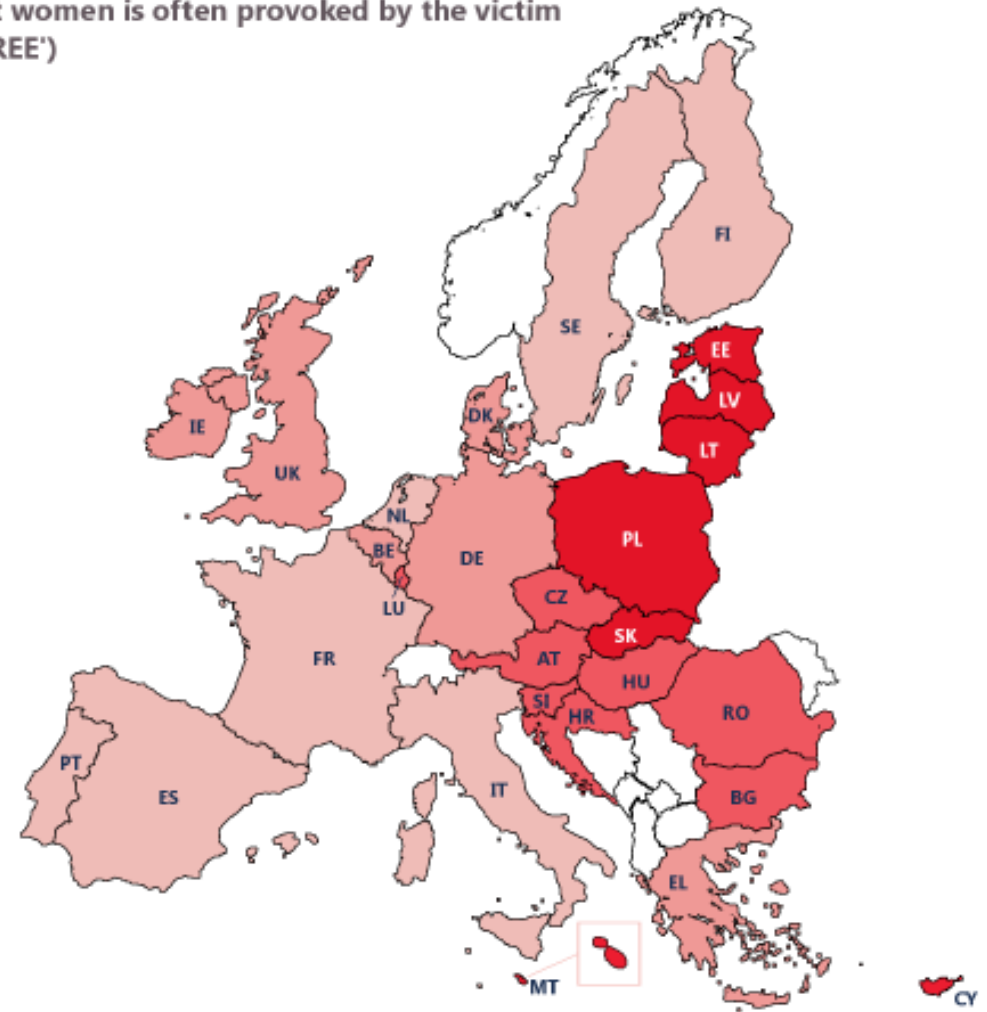
Base: Respondents who know someone who has been a victim of domestic violence (n=9.595).

Article 22 – Gender-Based Violence

Really? Seriously??

LV		57
LT		45
MT		40
EE		38
SK		34
CY		31
PL		28
CZ		26
RO		26
SI		25
AT		23
HU		22
HR		21
LU		21
BG		20
DE		19
UK		18
IE		18
EU28		17
EL		16
DK		16
BE		15
FR		12
FI		11
PT		11
IT		11
ES		10
SE		9
NL		6

QB9.2 Please tell me to what extent you agree or disagree with the following statements?
Violence against women is often provoked by the victim
(% - TOTAL 'AGREE')



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Article 23 – Human Trafficking

Tasks

- to establish and strengthen policies and actions to prevent human trafficking including as appropriate:
 - Information and awareness-raising campaigns
 - Training programmes for professional staff responsible for identifying and supporting victims
 - Measures to discourage demand
 - Appropriate measures to assist victims including access to medical treatment, adequate and secure housing and language translation

Thank you for attention