ARMENIA

Rate per 100 000 population

Firearms

Against rape in marriage YES
Against non-contact sexual violence YES
Legal age of marriage (male/female) 16 / 16
Home visiting YES
Programmes to reduce civilian firearm possession and use YES

Alcohol

Adult (15+) per capita consumption (litres of pure alcohol) 5.3
Patterns of drinking score LEAST RISKY
Excise taxes Beer: YES, Wine: YES, Spirits: YES

LAWS AND PREVENTION PROGRAMMES BY TYPE OF VIOLENCE

Child maltreatment laws

No response/don’t know – Limited Partial Full KEY

Legal age of marriage (male/female) 16 / 16 Enforcement
Against child marriage YES (1) (2) (3)
Against statutory rape YES (1) (2) (3)
Against female genital mutilation YES (1) (2) (3)
Ban on corporal punishment (all settings) YES (YES)

Youth violence laws

Against weapons on school premises YES (1) (2) (3)
Against gang or criminal group membership YES (1) (2) (3)

Intimate partner violence laws

Against rape in marriage YES (1) (2) (3)
Allowing removal of violent spouse from home NO –

Sexual violence laws

Against rape YES (1) (2) (3)
Against contact sexual violence without rape YES (1) (2) (3)
Against non-contact sexual violence YES (1) (2) (3)

Elder abuse laws

Against elder abuse NO –
Against elder abuse in institutions NO –

Victim services

Providing for victim compensation NO –
Providing for victim legal representation NO –

National social and educational policies

Incentives provided for high-risk youth to complete schooling YES
Housing polices to de-concentrate poverty YES

VICTIM LAWS

National prevalence surveys for non-fatal violence

Child maltreatment NO
Youth violence NO
Intimate partner violence YES
Sexual violence YES
Elder abuse NO

DATA ON VIOLENCE

Mechanism of homicide

Firearm 10%
Sharp force 25%
Blunt force 5%
Strangulation 1%
Burn 2%
Other 57%

Reported homicides (2011) N= 62, Rate= 1.8/100 000 (74.2% M, 25.8% F)
Sources:Mechanical, Police/ Reported homicides: Police

Trends in homicides

Rates per 100 000 population

Year

Data collection by multisectoral consensus meeting and cleared by Ministry of Health.

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