Online workshop

“Services to Protect Women Survivors of Violence the Arab Region”

26 - 29 July 2021

Session Title: What is a survivor-centred approach? How is it operationalised? (ESCWA)

Date: 26 July 2021

Time: 10:10 – 10:45

Moderators: Stephanie Chaban (ESCWA)

Session objectives

By the end of this session, participants will:

• Be familiar with the dynamics of GBV, power and control, and the factors influencing survivors’ help-seeking behaviors
• Be familiar with the survivor-centered approach, including its implementation
• Be familiar with the concepts of empowerment, informed consent, trauma-informed care, and mandated reporting

Proposed Session Outline

Power point presentation (30 min)

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Wrap up including a mini-quiz (5 min)

Proposed Readings


Essential Services Package for Women and Girls Subject to Violence (2015), Module 1, Section 2.1 [AR]
