Consultative Expert Group Meeting (EGM)  
“Violence against Women in the Arab Region: What is At Stake?”  
25 – 26 January 2017  
United Nations House, Beirut-Lebanon  
MZ Meeting Room

The EGM will review a study on the topic currently under development by the ESCWA Centre for Women (ECW) in partnership with UN-Women and the Institute for Women’s Studies in the Arab World (IWSAW) at the Lebanese American University

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| **09:00 – 09:45** | - Introduction:  
  - ESCWA: Ms. Mehrinaz El Awady, Director, Centre for Women  
  - UN Women: Mr. Mohammad Naciri, Regional Director, UN-WOMEN  
  - IWSAW: Ms. Lina Abi Rafeh, Director, IWSAW, LAU |
| **09:45 – 11:15** | - First Plenary: Chapter One and Two  
  Violence against Women: A Growing Phenomenon  
  A disconnected Approach to Violence against Women  
  - Mehrinaz El Awady (ESCWA) |
| **11:15 – 12:00** | - Coffee Break |
| **12:00 – 13:30** | - Second Plenary: Chapter Three  
  Costing Violence Against Women and Girls: A Review of Methodologies  
  - Nata Duvvury (lead author) |
| **13:30 – 14:00** | - Recap of the day |

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| **09:00 – 10:30** | - Third plenary: Chapter Four  
  Reporting Violence against Women in the Arab Region  
  - Kamel Mansi (consultant) |
| **10:30 – 12:00** | - Fourth plenary: Chapter Five  
  Violence against Women and the Economy  
  - Lina Abi Rafeh (IWSAW) |
| **12:00 – 12:30** | - Coffee Break |
| **12:30 – 14:30** | - Fifth plenary: Chapter Six  
  Violence against Women and Women’s Health in the Arab Region  
  - Seema Vyas (consultant) |
| **14:30 – 15:30** | - Sixth plenary:  
  Conclusions and Policy Recommendations  
  - Nata Duvvury (Lead author)  
  - Mehrinaz El Awady (ESCWA) |