

Statistics on Elder Abuse Cases

Based on the information collected by the Central Information System on Elder Abuse Cases, the statistics on newly reported elder abuse cases for the period from January to December 2020 are as follows:

Statistics of Type of Elder Abuse Cases

Types of Abuse	No. of Cases
Physical abuse	331
Psychological abuse	49
Neglect	0
Financial abuse	46
Abandonment	0
Sexual abuse	10
Others	0
Multiple abuse	33
Total	469

Statistics of Types of Abuse by Victim's Sex

Type of Abuse	Male		Female		Total	
	No. of Victims	% ^{Note}	No. of Victims	%	No. of Victims	% ^{Note}
Physical abuse	143	74.5%	188	67.9%	331	70.6%
Psychological abuse	22	11.5%	27	9.7%	49	10.4%
Neglect	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial abuse	14	7.3%	32	11.6%	46	9.8%
Abandonment	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Sexual abuse	1	0.5%	9	3.2%	10	2.1%
Others	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Multiple abuse	12	6.3%	21	7.6%	33	7.0%
Total	192	100.0%	277	100.0%	469	100.0%

Note: Figures do not add up to totals due to rounding.

Statistics of Relationship between Victim and Abuser

Relationship with Victim	No. of Abusers	%^{Note}
Son	58	12.4%
Daughter	12	2.6%
Son-in-law	5	1.1%
Daughter-in-law	8	1.7%
Spouse	290	61.8%
Grandchildren	3	0.6%
Relative	22	4.7%
Friend / Neighbour	20	4.3%
Un-related person living with the victim	5	1.1%
Domestic helper	37	7.9%
Agency staff providing service to victim	4	0.9%
Others	5	1.1%
Total	469	100.0%

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Statistics of Victim's Residential District

Residential District	No. of Victims	%^{Note}
Central / Western	13	2.8%
Southern	10	2.1%
Islands	4	0.9%
Eastern	45	9.6%
Wan Chai	6	1.3%
Kowloon City	14	3.0%
Yau Tsim Mong	12	2.6%
Sham Shui Po	22	4.7%
Wong Tai Sin	32	6.8%
Sai Kung	21	4.5%
Kwun Tong	47	10.0%
Sha Tin	33	7.0%
Tai Po	29	6.2%
North	22	4.7%
Yuen Long	46	9.8%
Tsuen Wan	8	1.7%
Kwai Tsing	70	14.9%
Tuen Mun	34	7.2%
Unknown	1	0.2%
Total	469	100.0%

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