

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 2013 are as follows:

Statistics of Type of Elder Abuse Cases

Types of Abuse	No. of Cases
Physical abuse	399
Psychological abuse	73
Neglect	0
Financial abuse	70
Abandonment	2
Sexual abuse	9
Others	0
Multiple abuse	36
Total	589

Statistics of Types of Abuse by Victim's Sex

Type of Abuse	Male		Female		Total	
	No. of Victims	% ^{Notes}	No. of Victims	% ^{Notes}	No. of Victims	% ^{Notes}
Physical Abuse	181	76.7%	218	61.8%	399	67.7%
Psychological Abuse	19	8.1%	54	15.3%	73	12.4%
Neglect	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Financial Abuse	24	10.2%	46	13.0%	70	11.9%
Abandonment	0	0.0%	2	0.6%	2	0.3%
Sexual Abuse	1	0.4%	8	2.3%	9	1.5%
Others	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Multiple Abuse	11	4.7%	25	7.1%	36	6.1%
Total	236	100.0%	353	100.0%	589	100.0%

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

Statistics of Relationship between Victim and Abuser

Relationship with Victim	No. of Abusers	%
Son	64	10.9%
Daughter	19	3.2%
Son-in-law	2	0.3%
Daughter-in-law	17	2.9%
Spouse	376	63.8%
Grandchildren	8	1.4%
Relative	15	2.5%
Friend / Neighbour	11	1.9%
Un-related person living with the victim	3	0.5%
Domestic helper	54	9.2%
Agency staff providing service to victim	13	2.2%
Others	7	1.2%
Total	589	100.0%

Statistics of Victim's Residential District

Residential District	No. of Victims	%
Central / Western	23	3.9%
Southern	24	4.1%
Islands	4	0.7%
Eastern	46	7.8%
Wan Chai	8	1.4%
Kowloon City	16	2.7%
Yau Tsim Mong	21	3.6%
Sham Shui Po	48	8.1%
Wong Tai Sin	52	8.8%
Sai Kung	17	2.9%
Kwun Tong	70	11.9%
Sha Tin	42	7.1%
Tai Po	19	3.2%
North	20	3.4%
Yuen Long	49	8.3%
Tsuen Wan	28	4.8%
Kwai Tsing	62	10.5%
Tuen Mun	39	6.6%
Unknown	1	0.2%
Total	589	100.0%