

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 2014 are as follows:

Statistics of Type of Elder Abuse Cases

Types of Abuse	No. of Cases
Physical abuse	400
Psychological abuse	50
Neglect	1
Financial abuse	91
Abandonment	0
Sexual abuse	17
Others	0
Multiple abuse	15
Total	574

Statistics of Types of Abuse by Victim's Sex

Type of Abuse	Male		Female		Total	
	No. of Victims	%	No. of Victims	%	No. of Victims	% ^{Note}
Physical abuse	173	73.6%	227	67.0%	400	69.7%
Psychological abuse	17	7.2%	33	9.7%	50	8.7%
Neglect	0	0.0%	1	0.3%	1	0.2%
Financial abuse	33	14.0%	58	17.1%	91	15.9%
Abandonment	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Sexual abuse	2	0.9%	15	4.4%	17	3.0%
Others	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Multiple abuse	10	4.3%	5	1.5%	15	2.6%
Total	235	100.0%	339	100.0%	574	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	%
Son	60	10.5%
Daughter	20	3.5%
Son-in-law	3	0.5%
Daughter-in-law	18	3.1%
Spouse	328	57.1%
Grandchildren	6	1.0%
Relative	17	3.0%
Friend / Neighbour	33	5.7%
Un-related person living with the victim	5	0.9%
Domestic helper	55	9.6%
Agency staff providing service to victim	12	2.1%
Others	17	3.0%
Total	574	100.0%

Statistics of Victim's Residential District

Residential District	No. of Victims	% ^{Note}
Central / Western	14	2.4%
Southern	12	2.1%
Islands	7	1.2%
Eastern	32	5.6%
Wan Chai	10	1.7%
Kowloon City	41	7.1%
Yau Tsim Mong	30	5.2%
Sham Shui Po	30	5.2%
Wong Tai Sin	64	11.1%
Sai Kung	25	4.4%
Kwun Tong	46	8.0%
Sha Tin	48	8.4%
Tai Po	25	4.4%
North	34	5.9%
Yuen Long	42	7.3%
Tsuen Wan	27	4.7%
Kwai Tsing	42	7.3%
Tuen Mun	43	7.5%
Unknown	2	0.3%
Total	574	100.0%

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