

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 2016 are as follows:

Statistics of Type of Elder Abuse Cases

Types of Abuse	No. of Cases
Physical abuse	389
Psychological abuse	69
Neglect	3
Financial abuse	102
Abandonment	2
Sexual abuse	13
Others	0
Multiple abuse	35
Total	613

Statistics of Types of Abuse by Victim's Sex

Type of Abuse	Male		Female		Total	
	No. of Victims	%	No. of Victims	%^{Note}	No. of Victims	%
Physical Abuse	176	64.0%	213	63.0%	389	63.5%
Psychological Abuse	38	13.8%	31	9.2%	69	11.3%
Neglect	2	0.7%	1	0.3%	3	0.5%
Financial Abuse	45	16.4%	57	16.9%	102	16.6%
Abandonment	2	0.7%	0	0.0%	2	0.3%
Sexual Abuse	1	0.4%	12	3.6%	13	2.1%
Others	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Multiple Abuse	11	4.0%	24	7.1%	35	5.7%
Total	275	100.0%	338	100.0%	613	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	73	11.9%
Daughter	19	3.1%
Son-in-law	8	1.3%
Daughter-in-law	16	2.6%
Spouse	292	47.6%
Grandchildren	5	0.8%
Relative	25	4.1%
Friend / Neighbour	76	12.4%
Un-related person living with the victim	5	0.8%
Domestic helper	55	9.0%
Agency staff providing service to victim	19	3.1%
Others	20	3.3%
Total	613	100.0%

Statistics of Victim's Residential District

Residential District	No. of Victims	% ^{Note}
Central / Western	25	4.1%
Southern	13	2.1%
Islands	9	1.5%
Eastern	41	6.7%
Wan Chai	10	1.6%
Kowloon City	34	5.5%
Yau Tsim Mong	17	2.8%
Sham Shui Po	39	6.4%
Wong Tai Sin	53	8.6%
Sai Kung	18	2.9%
Kwun Tong	77	12.6%
Sha Tin	45	7.3%
Tai Po	19	3.1%
North	29	4.7%
Yuen Long	67	10.9%
Tsuen Wan	20	3.3%
Kwai Tsing	62	10.1%
Tuen Mun	34	5.5%
Unknown	1	0.2%
Total	613	100.0%

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