



## EVAW Help Desk 2009 Rapid Assessment

### Statistics

**54%** increase in number of requests from 2008 to 2009.

**88%** found the turnaround time to be **quick**. The remaining 12% found it to be fairly quick.

**84%** of the recipients found the resources and information provided to be **extremely useful**. The remaining 16% found them moderately useful.

### Illustrative Uses

UNCT used the resources sent on data methods, challenges and lessons learned in their planning for the development of an administrative-level data collection system in **Jordan**.

UNCT used the resources sent on monitoring VAW legislation to inform the development of and M&E framework for the implementation of the Domestic Violence Law in **Viet Nam**.

VAW and Health resources were sent to the UNFPA country offices **globally** as part of the organization's effort to integrate GBV in the sexual and reproductive health package.

The resources on VAW and men and boys were used to inform the video game and mobile phone delivery concept for the UNFPA-Population Media Center project piloted in **South Africa**.

Research and programme documents on microfinance and VAW were used to inform integration of domestic violence prevention in the integrated microfinance services that ProMujer provides to more than 200,000 women clients in **Latin America**.

CARE **Bangladesh** used the resources and tools on costing to inform the design and development of an action research led initiative for determining social and economic cost of domestic violence.

The resources (on promising practices, evidence-base to date, data, costing and other policy-related references) were used by the Spanish government in preparation for their presidency of the **European Union**, highlighting that violence against women is one of their main priorities.

Resources on costs in general and costs to private sector were used by McKinsey for a forthcoming report and advocacy effort on "The Business of Empowering Women". The resources on domestic violence criminal provisions were used by **Georgia** Parliament in preparing draft recommendations to changes into Georgia Criminal Code.

The health and GBV tools were used for training and information dissemination with refugee youth organizations in the camps of Dadaab, **Kenya**.