



Bibliography of
Studies and Surveys focusing on Gender
and/or Women's Issues or that have a Gender component
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LIST OF ACRONYMS

AAWUE - Armenian Association of Women with University Education NGO
AIWA – Armenian International Women Association NGO
ADB - Asian Development Bank
AYWA - Armenian Young Women’s Association NGO
CRRC – The Caucasus Research Resource Centers
CDCS - Center for the Development of Civil Society NGO
DV - Domestic Violence
EUD – European Union Delegation to Armenia
FSW – Female Sex Workers
GBD - Gender-based discrimination
GBV - Gender-based Violence
GE - Gender Equality
HCA – Helsinki Citizens Assembly of Armenia NGO
ICHD – International Center for Human Development NGO
IOM - International Organization for Migration
ILO – International Labor Organization
IPPF EN - International Planned Parenthood Federation (European Network)
MAHR – Minnesota Advocated for Human rights
NILSR - National Institute of Labor & Social Researches
NSS - National Statistical Service of Armenia
OSCE – Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe
OSF – Open Society Foundations-Armenia
RoA – Republic of Armenia
SRH - Sexual and Reproductive Health
SRHR - Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights
SWV - Society without Violence NGO
UNCT – United Nations Country Team
UNDP - United Nations Development Program
UNESCO - United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNICEF - United Nations Fund for Children
UNFPA – United Nations Population Fund
UN SC – United Nations Security Council
VAW - Violence against Women
WRCA -Women Resource Center/Armenia NGO
WRC - Women’s Rights Center NGO
WSC - Women’s Support Center NGO
YSU – Yerevan State University

1. INTRODUCTION

Gender studies is a field of interdisciplinary study devoted to gender identity and gendered representation as central categories of analysis. This field includes women's studies (concerning women, feminism, gender, and politics), men's studies, and LGBT studies. These disciplines study gender and sexuality in the fields of literature, language, history, political science, sociology, anthropology, media studies, human development, law, and medicine. It also analyzes race, ethnicity, location, nationality, and disability.

Studies and surveys are necessary and important not only for getting a real picture of the existing situation but also for a comparative analysis, benchmarking, follow-up and policy-formulation at various levels as well as for laying the groundwork for more effective and better-targeted interventions. While useful, studies and surveys (especially large-scale and comprehensive ones) require much effort, time and funding. Therefore, prior to making a decision to embark on or to fund a research initiative it is always useful to have a good idea of what has already been done by the researchers working in a given field and to carefully examine their methodology, findings, conclusions and recommendations. This routine procedure of a literature review is one of the first stages in research. It helps, *inter alia*, avoid duplication of effort and waste of resources, capitalize on the already gained knowledge and expertise and build on that foundation, provide better justification for a proposed research project, stimulate the use of more advanced research methodology and maintain and, preferably, improve quality standards thereby ensuring better outcome. This is particularly true for gender studies because of diversity, complexity and heterogeneity of the field which incorporates numerous and multidimensional thematic areas.

In 2015, the UNFPA Armenia Country Office within the framework of its project on gender equality for 2015, initiated a bibliographic survey of gender studies carried out in Armenia during the recent independence years to further guide policy making and program development as well as to escape duplications. The report on survey was prepared by Mr. Vladimir Osipov and Ms. Jina Sargizova, members of UN Extended Gender Theme Group.

The experts did their best to identify and include all the available studies and surveys that have been undertaken in this country in the past 20 years. However, this is by no means an exhaustive list. Their goal was more modest and realistic. They regarded (and still do)

their task as being a first stage in what hopefully could become an ongoing undertaking, with new additions made whenever research projects have been brought to a successful completion.

The report summarizes the major findings of the survey, with a focus on implementing organizations, goals and specific topics covered. The survey findings provide valuable information on major studies in the field, including that on the women political participation, health and education issues, social protection, fulfillment of international obligations, femininity, masculinity, as well as GBV and LGBT Issues.

The strategic objective of the report is to convey the survey data and the results of the analysis to the main donor organizations and interested researchers as well as to inform UN GTG members on the work already done in the area.

The present report contains both an analysis of the work done as well as a detailed bibliography of the available studies and research implemented in the area of women and GE issues.

The experts wish to express sincere and profound gratitude to all the organizations and individuals who graciously and generously gave their time and shared their expertise and valuable insights to assist us in this task.

2. METHODOLOGY

The experts visited web-sites and offices of the organizations that sponsor, commission or conduct gender studies and surveys in Armenia, interviewed their colleagues who not only provided information and, often, relevant publications but also referred us to other organizations and individuals who have done research in this field. This snowball method proved quite efficient. They also made use of their personal archives and the archives of their colleagues who had been their teammates in various research projects over the years. The Internet search was also used as a backup method.

Problems and challenges

Apart from time constraints, the experts were confronted with a number of problems and challenges. The most obvious and difficult is the absence of the system for keeping and tracking publications, especially of the organizations and/or their coalitions and networks that no longer exist and especially for the time period when creating and maintaining a web-site was not a standard practice. In addition, even at present not all organizations maintain and update their web-sites, post information and/or findings of the research.

3. FINDINGS

Statistics

- As per available data, there are **263 research** implemented in 1995-2015 (see **Table 1**)
- As per available data, there are **62 organizations** implemented research on women and GE issues in 1995-2015 (see **Table 2**)

Table 2

##	Organization	Number or research implemented
1.	AAWUE NGO	77
2.	ABA/CEELI	1
3.	AETS/apave	1
4.	Amnesty International	1
5.	Applied Research Center (ARC)	1
6.	AREG (Youth Association for Science & Culture) NGO	1
7.	Armenian International Women's Association (AIWA)	1
8.	Armenian Young Women's Association (AYWA) NGO	1
9.	Asian Development Bank (ADB)	1
10.	AUA Turpanjian Center for Policy Analysis	2
11.	Business Support Center	2
12.	CARE International in Caucasus and CARE Austria	1
13.	Caucasus Institute NGO	2
14.	Caucasus Resource Research Centers /CRRC	16
15.	Caucasus Sociological Research Center NGO	2
16.	Center for Gender Studies of Democracy Union NGO	1

17.	Center for Russian, Central and East European Studies/Rutgers University	1
18.	Center for the Development of Civil Society(CDCS) NGO	1
19.	Democracy Today NGO	1
20.	Development Center of Armavir NGO	1
21.	DevTech Systems, Incorporated/USAID	1
22.	DHS	3
23.	Economic Development and Research Center (EDRC)	1
24.	Eurasia Partnership Foundation/(EPF)	1
25.	Federation of Agricultural Associations (FAA)	1
26.	For Family and Health Pan-Armenian Association NGO	2
27.	Gender Media Caucasus (Georgia) NGO	1
28.	Government of Armenia	5
29.	Haytour socioeconomic and cultural NGO	2
30.	Helsinki Citizens Assembly (HCA)-Armenia NGO	7
31.	Hope and Help NGO	1
32.	IBF/ Belgium, TH Consult/ GB	1
33.	ICHHD NGO	7
34.	ILO	1
35.	IOM	4
36.	Kapan Farmers Union NGO	2
37.	Lisa Foundation NGO	1
38.	Minnesota Advocates for Human Rights	1
39.	National Institute of Labor & Social Researches SNTD	7
40.	National Statistical Service of Armenia	14
41.	Norwegian Helsinki Committee	1
42.	Nowoe Vremia Daily Newspaper	2
43.	OSCE	2
44.	OSF	12
45.	OXFAM- Armenia	3
46.	Pink	2
47.	Positive People Armenian Network NGO	1
48.	Proactive Society Human Rights NGO	1

49.	ProMedia-Gender NGO	6
50.	Republican Union of Employers of Armenia (RUEA)	1
51.	RoA National Commission for UNESCO	1
52.	Save the Children	2
53.	Society without Violence NGO	4
54.	Sociometr Independent Sociological Center NGO	2
55.	UNCT	3
56.	UNDP	7
57.	UNFPA	7
58.	UNICEF	2
59.	Women's Resource Center Armenia NGO	7
60.	Women's Support Center NGO	1
61.	Women's Rights Center NGO	5
62.	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	12
63.	Independent experts	2

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- As per available data, there are **42 organizations** that supported or commissioned research on women and GE issues in 1995-2015 (see **Table 3**)

Table 3

##	Organization	Number of Research supported
1.	ASOGHIK LTD	1
2.	Agribusiness Research Group of the International Center for Agribusiness Research and Education (ICARE)	1
3.	Amnesty International	1
4.	Asian Development Bank (ADB)/	1
5.	Business Support Center	2
6.	CARE	3
7.	Carnegi Corporation of New York	6
8.	Center for Russian, Central and East European Studies/Rutgers University	1
9.	COC-Netherlands	1
10.	DHS	3
11.	Eurasia Partnership Foundation/(EPF)	9
12.	European Commission	1

13.	European Union	4
14.	German Government	1
15.	GIZ	1
16.	Global Fund for Women	3
17.	Government of Armenia	14
18.	ILO	1
19.	International Foundation for Electoral Systems(IFES)	1
20.	IOM	2
21.	John and Catherine MacArthur Foundation	4
22.	Mama Cash Foundation	1
23.	Matra KAP Program of the Dutch Government and by UNDP	1
24.	Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands	3
25.	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	9
26.	Norwegian Helsinki Committee	1
27.	Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs	5
28.	OSCE	43
29.	OSF	26
30.	OXFAM	11
31.	Penal Reform International	1
32.	Swedish fund “Kvinna till Kvinna”	1
33.	UN Trust Fund to End Violence against Women	2
34.	UNCT	3
35.	UNDP	18
36.	UNESCO	2
37.	UNFPA	25
38.	UNHCR	3
39.	UNICEF	3
40.	UNIFEM	4
41.	USAID	18
42.	World Bank	4
	Blanks	18
	Total	263

- Years of implementation of the research on women and GE issues are presented in **Table 4.**

Table 4

Year	Number of Research Initiated	
1995	3	<5
1996	0	<5
1997	2	<5
1998	1	<5
1999	7	<10
2000	9	<10

2001	15	<20
2002	13	<20
2003	12	<20
2004	7	<10
2005	16	<20
2006	11	<20
2007	14	<20
2008	15	<20
2009	9	<10
2010	15	<20
2011	18	<20
2012	20	=20
2013	30	<40
2014	35	<40
2015	1	<5
N/A	1	<5
Total	263	

Analytical Brief

(i) The evidence tends to indicate that the Fourth World Conference on Women held in Beijing in 1995 gave rise to women’s and gender studies in Armenia. This global landmark event drew public attention to and stimulated public interest in women’s issues. The first conferences were organized and country reports were written around that time. Women’s NGOs that were established in Armenia in the wake of the Beijing Conference gradually realized the importance of research and became involved in it. As evidenced by the data presented in **Table 3** the real breakthrough occurred in 1999-2002. It can be accounted for by a number of factors. Women’s NGOs, whose share in those years was three-fourth of all research, already developed a potential and built self-confidence. International donors started supporting research, albeit on a modest scale. Most importantly, those were the years when Beijing+5 review was in progress, MDGs were adopted and Armenia was preparing, submitting and presenting a country report to the CEDAW Committee. In the years that followed the number of studies plateaued, with occasional ups and downs. The next surge in the interest in gender studies occurred since 2010 as evidenced by a rapid, at times exponential growth in the number of studies. It can be accounted for by international factors (primarily, the Beijing+15 and later Beijing+20 processes, debates on ICPD Beyond 2014 and the post-2015 sustainable development goals, adoption of the Council of Europe Convention

on preventing and combating violence against women and domestic violence, etc.) and by the developments in the country (adoption by the RoA Government of the *Gender Policy Concept Paper* in 2010, of the *Law on Ensuring Equal Rights and Equal Opportunities to Women and Men* in 2013, accompanying action plans, work on the draft law on prevention of domestic violence and even the so-called “anti-gender campaign” since it further energized women’s NGOs, international organizations and donor community and the RoA Government in their efforts to provide evidence-based, research-supported arguments and vision).

In the experts’ view it can also be attributed to some extent to the establishment in 2010 and subsequent operation of the Gender Theme Group as it provides coordination, generates new ideas and advocates and encourages research. However, overall the level of coordination in this field still leaves much to be desired. While consistent efforts of the UN agencies and of the OSCE in this regard are commendable, experts still wish to reiterate that presence of the UN Women would be a significant positive factor in improving in general the gender situation in the country and in particular the gender studies.

(ii) While over the years many researchers, practitioners and representatives of international organizations the world over keep voicing their strong regret with regard to the fact that the agenda of NGOs and particularly women’s NGOs, especially in the developing countries, is donor-driven, the present study found little evidence to support that view. For the most part, when both well-established and new NGOs undertake research of gender issues or international or domestic entities commission it, it is, as a rule, in line with their stated mission and mandate and scope of operation.

(iii) The studies and surveys on the list differ considerably in their scope, depth, methodologies as well as goals and objectives. Some are large-scale, nationwide studies, while some others can be small-scale focusing on a particular community or a target group. There are applied and theoretical studies, pilot studies, pioneer studies, statistical surveys, baseline, benchmark and follow-up studies, desk reviews, case studies, analytical briefs and reports, impact assessment studies, etc. They are qualitative, quantitative or a combination of both.

(iv) While quality of individual studies varies, there is a clear trend in overall improvement of quality due to acquired experience, the use of more rigorous methodology and better control, coordination and cooperation. In any case these studies and surveys have

en masse proved their usefulness as they have demonstrated beyond any doubt that various forms of discrimination and violence against women exist in Armenia on a significant scale, that structural inequality is a fact of life and substantive gender equality as well as equality of opportunity have yet to be attained, that progress made is modest at best and that concerted and consistent efforts on the part of the Government - in close cooperation with international organizations and in partnership with domestic NGOs - are required for the commitments and obligations assumed by the country under international treaties and other important documents to be met. No less importantly, they are an important resource of valuable information, data, ideas and recommendations that help policy-makers identify and address problems, propose solutions and design forward-looking strategies grounded in solid foundation of research.

(v) The overwhelming majority of studies are based on applied research, where as more theoretically-oriented studies, especially the studies that can be seen as “breakthrough” ones in this field in Armenia, are few and far between. While all studies are useful, especially for policy-making, programming and legislative purposes, theoretical studies should not be neglected as they help refine philosophy, theoretical frameworks and methodology and better understand the dynamic in the field, the development trajectory, the essence of the phenomena under study and the ramifications of policy choices.

(vi) Virtually, all studies on the list were conducted by the organizations or individuals based in Yerevan. Some studies were conducted locally in Gyumri and Vanadzor in early 2000s but that is no longer the case. In other rare instances when the local organization is in charge, the actual research is done by experts from Yerevan, i.e. the work is outsourced and the experts are subcontracted. There is only one instance in recent years of a study conducted by a local organization in the region but it goes back to 2010.

(vii) The RoA Government commissions some gender research but on a very limited scope. In fact, for the most part it is limited to publication of statistical booklets “Women and Men in Armenia” and to production of country reports for submission to the CEDAW Committee. All 7 gender studies conducted by the National Institute of Labor & Social Researches (under the Ministry of Labor & Social Issues) in 2008-2013 were funded by international organizations.

(viii) It is very difficult to assign studies to a single category, especially in terms of thematic area. Most studies deal with more than one issue and therefore fall under several thematic areas. Even when issues seem to be in the same category, they may prove to be cross-cutting and/or be addressed by various researchers under different categories. For instance, women's economic participation can, depending on the context, be also included under the "economic empowerment" heading. Political participation or economic rights can in many cases fall under the category of women's human rights. The same holds true for reproductive rights, which, besides being in a separate category of SRHR, can also be dealt with within the context of health or women's human rights, etc. So, all the categories, labels and divisions are used here merely for analytical purposes. This caveat should be borne in mind when reading and using the list.

Thematic areas

In this section the experts present the research priorities and in case of the lack thereof the gaps in the field of gender studies based on the list. It should be borne in mind that the numbers below are not hard and fast (because much depends on how count is done) but should rather serve as indicating the major trends. There is obviously an overlap because very few studies focus on a single thematic area or sub-area. The issues and areas are ranked and presented here in descending order of preference.

The issues that have received most attention of researchers are women's political and civic participation, violence against women (gender-based violence), gender-based discrimination and health (particularly sexual and reproductive health and rights).

Women's political and civic participation is the most popular issue, with at least 43 studies addressing it.

Women's political participation *per se* is a leader as at least 31 studies and surveys focus on it. Interest in this issue peaks, not surprisingly, around the elections time (i.e. prior to, during and in the aftermath of elections), particularly in case of parliamentary and local elections. The lion's share (24) of the studies in this field are dated 2002-2003, 2007-2009 and 2011-2013. There is a sub-category of studies that focus on both political and civic participation of women. There are 7 of them. They are not particularly popular in recent

years. Even less popular and numerous (5) are studies that focus exclusively on civic participation of women. They are exclusively reflected in conference presentations.

Violence against women (gender-based violence) is also paid much attention as a research subject, with at least 31 studies and surveys addressing this issue.

A major focus of most studies is on domestic violence (including intimate partner violence). On the other hand, there are extremely few studies that focus on analysis and assessment of relevant legislation, on media coverage, on perceptions of and attitudes toward GBV, on VAW in the workplace, violence against female refugees and on issues of the referral mechanism for GBV survivors. Suffice it to say that there were only two surveys on violence (including sexual violence) against women in the work place and in educational institutions. Both date back to early 2000s. While there were some studies in 1999-2003, the real interest in the field emerged in 2007, most probably after the publication of the famous and very influential report of the UN Secretary-General that brought international attention to GBV issues. In Armenia, this interest goes on unabated since then.

Another central theme is *gender-based discrimination*. At least 29 studies expressly deal with this issue. In general, with some reservations it can be said that it is a cross-cutting issue as some of its aspects figure, at times prominently, in studies in other thematic areas. Since 2000, virtually every year there has been at least one study or survey, with maximum of 4 in 2002 and 2014. Initially the focus was primarily on GBD in the political sphere, in power and decision-making, in employment and labor market. Since 2010, there has been a renewed interest in GBD, with usually 3 or 4 studies a year (with exception of 2012). The focus has also expanded, incorporating education sector, perceptions of discrimination, discrimination through stereotypes and, finally, discrimination faced by LGBT persons.

Health issues, including sub-areas of SRHR and HIV/AIDS-related, also merited significant attention of researchers. In the thematic sub-area of health (apart from SRHR and HIV/AIDS-related) there are at least 18 studies, including 3 DHS and 4 reports to the CEDAW Committee. Very often these studies were part of alternative reports, monitoring reports or reports on MDGs implementation status, i.e. health issues were only a part of the agenda. Even with those studies, there were years, even recently (e.g. 2012 and 2013), when not a single study was produced. There are even fewer studies dealing with numerous HIV/AIDS-related issues. Apart from 3 DHS and 2 Government reports that address to some extent these issues, only 2 studies focused exclusively on that subject. Both studies were

conducted by NGOs (in 2005 and 2012), focused on FSWs and were not large-scale. It seems that there is a gap not yet fully covered by studies on health, and particularly HIV/AIDS-related issues.

The SRHR sphere is very specific, especially since not everyone is willing or prepared to recognize women's sexual and reproductive rights, even though they regard reproductive (and in most cases sexual) health issues as legitimate. The available studies conducted in Armenia (the total of at least 27) can be broken down into 3 categories: exclusively reproductive health (11, including 4 Government reports), reproductive health and rights (9) and SRHR (7). Apart from DHS and some Government reports, studies in this field started in 2007 and peaked in 2012-2013. While there has been growing attention to and the number of studies, they are not yet sufficient.

A thematic area of *Human rights of women* might seem to be a priority as at least 21 studies on the list address them. However, the interest in that problems area peaked in early 2000s and then gradually waned. From 2007 through 2014, there was on the average one study per two years that would have a section on human rights of women. Most of studies were small-scale, conducted within a context of monitoring of the implementation of the relevant international documents (primarily BPfA) and/or for presentation at conferences. It is extremely rare that a study would focus exclusively on human rights of women. This can be seen as a gap.

Basically the same situation is in the thematic area of *empowerment*. While there are at least 23 studies (15 dealing with political empowerment and women in power and decision-making and 8 with economic empowerment of women), in most cases these issues are addressed only tangentially or among others, at best, and usually within the framework of the monitoring (ICPD, BPfA, MDGs). Recently, there were years with no attention paid to this issue. Very little attention has been paid to empowerment of women at local level. Some serious attention was paid to economic empowerment in early 2000s and then there was a period with no studies specifically focusing on the issue. Renewed interest has been observed since 2011 and already looks like a trend.

The thematic area of *temporary special measures (quotas* in the Armenian context) is addressed primarily within the framework of studies on political participation and/or balanced representation of women (in over 20 studies). While it cannot be seen as a gap, so far there has not been a single study devoted exclusively to the issue of quotas.

In the thematic area of *education* and *training* there are two groups of studies: (i) *gender issues in education system* (at least 10 studies) and (ii) *gender education* (at least 13 studies). Various gender issues in education system, including that of women's access to different levels of education, have been studied since 1995. It is noteworthy that the issue of access was dealt with in 2 studies conducted in 2013 and 2014. The studies indicate that one should look beyond mere numbers and should not confine oneself to statistics. Studies in gender education followed the advocacy, experimentation and institutionalization stages and provided not only evidence-based recommendations but also standards. Their peak was in 2001-2005. After 2009, there were virtually no studies in or on gender education (barring a small-scale study on incorporation of a gender component into a social science subject in high schools). Clearly, there is a gap in terms of in-depth studies that would address various aspects of gender education.

Women's movement is an area that drew much interest since mid-1990s (at least 21 studies). Suffice it to say that in 1995 two international conferences (in Yerevan and in London) were held. The interest peaked in 1999-2002 and then very few studies addressed that issue (usually alongside other issues). In recent years women's movement is mentioned in Armenia only in the context of a civic movement.

A separate, albeit closely related, issue is that of *feminism*. At least 11 studies addressed various aspects of feminism in 1999-2005. Interest, however, was short-lived, as after 2005 there were virtually no studies. Obviously, there is a big gap that needs to be bridged.

Studies on *rural women* (18) focus primarily on economic, agricultural and health-related issues. This thematic area does not seem to be a priority (most studies are parts of monitoring, DHS or deal with a very limited number of communities). Full-fledged studies are few and far between. The positive development, however, is that since 2011 there has been a renewed interest in studying issues of rural women. Nevertheless, as most of these studies were conducted on a limited scale, there are still numerous gaps.

Interest in *gender mainstreaming* would come and go, with 2 to 3-year periods in-between. It is also noteworthy that focus in studies in that area (at least 16) shifted with a passage of time and was different at each new stage. In 2000-2001, it was examination of gender mainstreaming as theory, methodology and toolbox for further implementation in practice. In 2004-2008, it was on the analysis of the extent it was implemented in policies,

programs and strategies (e.g. PRSP, community development programs, etc.). And in 2011-2014, the focus was not so much on the analysis as on concrete steps for integrating a gender component in important development documents, curricula, etc. These efforts, however, are of a limited nature.

Women and media thematic area is regarded as quite important, as evidenced by the fact that at least 16 studies were produced over the years. While some analysis was made as early as 1995 and then in 2000-2001, serious studies started in mid - 2000s. In 2007-2014, practically every year at least one or two studies were conducted. The primary focus is on how media portrays women. It is small wonder that elections at all levels have a catalytic effect on this thematic area. Most studies were triggered or at least coincided with election cycles and usually take form of monitoring of a gender dimension of media coverage before, during and in the aftermath of the elections. At the same time, there are still gaps. For example, there was only one study on behavior change and culturally appropriate HIV communication affected by media and another one on GBV coverage. Few studies are comprehensive; only several aspects are addressed. The last monitoring-type study of media representation of women was in 2011.

Few studies (9) were conducted in the thematic area *women and armed conflicts*. In 1999-2001 several limited-scale studies were conducted focusing on conflict prevention and resolution. While some research related to the UN SC Resolution 1325 was done in mid-2000s, more rigorous studies started to appear since 2010, with a focus not only on conflict prevention and resolution but also on peace-building, maintenance of peace, development and promotion of culture of peace, on women's perceptions of their role in those processes and on negotiations over the resolution of the Karabakh conflict. A couple of studies even narrowed down their focus targeting a specific group (young women) or conflict-affected communities. Interestingly, 2014 marked an emergence of a new sub-area of research, viz. *women and armed forces*. 3 small-scale pioneer studies were conducted on exploring opportunities for women to serve in the armed forces, on public perceptions of women in the army and on policy issues regarding women's military service. The gap: while practitioners are very active in the field tackling various aspects of this problems area, there are few comprehensive, in-depth studies.

Thematic area of the *national machinery and institutional mechanisms for gender equality* is very important but has not yet got an adequate attention that it deserves. In the

past 20 years only 1 study was devoted to it and 7 others contained sections that addressed the issue. First analysis goes back to 1995, when the Government Report stated the lack of mechanisms. More consistent and comprehensive efforts were taken in 2006-2007. Interest was renewed in 2014, when there were 3 studies.

Issues of *trafficking* and of *FSWs* seem to be of little interest to or off limits to researchers and donors as there are very few, small- scale studies in that area. The experts identified only 2 studies on FSW (dated 2001 and 2012). As regards trafficking, statistical data and individual cases are reported in Government and NGO reports but there were no comprehensive studies that the experts are aware of. There is definitely a serious gap in this thematic area.

One of the biggest gaps is study of **masculinity**. There is only one small-scale study which can be construed as falling into that category. It is a study of the lack of male role models in secondary schools and its impact on Armenian male teenagers.

4. RECOMMENDATIONS

- The findings of this study should be published and posted on the web-site. A page on the UNFPA or OSCE or an interested NGO's web-site should be allocated to that end. The organization in charge of the web-site should undertake not only to maintain the page but also to constantly update it based on the information provided to it by partners. All researchers, practitioners, other activists as well as donors and officials in this field should be asked to provide relevant information and materials for posting on that web-page.
- The next step could be creation of a virtual library. A request could be made to all parties concerned to donate electronic copies of their studies and surveys upon completion. The library will be accessible to the public. This initiative can become a priority area in coordination by the GTG.
- The current status of gender studies demonstrates the necessity to strengthen the research capacity of NGOs and other centers in the country's regions and commission studies.
- More attention should be paid to studies that have a theoretical component.

- It should be recommended to the RoA Government to allocate some funding, even modest one, on a regular basis for gender research purposes, at least to the Research Institute affiliated with the Ministry of Labor & Social Issues.
- As in most studies in the area of women's political and civic participation not sufficient attention has been paid to civic participation, studies focusing exclusively on that issue can be recommended.
- In the GBV thematic area, it can be recommended to conduct studies on non-intimate partner VAW and to conduct a comprehensive study on GBV every five years to ascertain whether the situation has changed, and if yes how and to what extent, due to policy interventions and other measures.
- More studies and surveys are needed on health issues (in all 3 sub-areas, including SRHR and HIV/AIDS), especially from the perspective of formulating well-informed policies and planning better-targeted and effective interventions.
- There is a clear need of comprehensive studies devoted specifically to human rights of women that would also address issues of substantive equality and equality of opportunity.
- To bridge the gap in thematic area of empowerment, a comprehensive study could be recommended that would be conducted on a regular basis and should focus on issues other than elections and their outcomes.
- At least several studies are needed to explore various gender issues in education system, including public perceptions of those issues, and the situation with gender education (with a particular focus on mainstreaming gender into the school and university curricula) so as to lay the groundwork for State policies and strategies in this field.
- Comprehensive studies are needed of the women's movement, its emergence, evolution and consolidation against the background of global developments.
- Much work needs to be done with regard to feminism to dispel harmful myths and eliminate negative stereotypes and to remove misunderstandings and misinterpretations.
- Studies of rural women's issues should be conducted on a larger scale, in a systematic fashion and address all key aspects.

- Further studies are needed for mainstreaming gender into curricula, development programs and plans in most sectors in conjunction with gender impact assessment methodology to ensure more productive efforts and better results.
- Media monitoring should be conducted on a regular basis, at least bi-annually. The findings can help devise effective projects targeting media with a view of raising their awareness and making them more gender-sensitive.
- In the women and armed conflicts thematic area, it is advisable to increase the number and scope of studies combining qualitative and quantitative methodologies and to give preference to comprehensive studies.
- As regards the national machinery for gender equality, it is advisable to follow up with the RoA Government so as to make sure that the machinery is established and then, some time later, to conduct an impact assessment study to examine the effectiveness of operation of the machinery.
- Various studies (including benchmark and baseline ones) using different methodologies are required to get some basic first-hand information about hard-to-reach target groups of trafficking victims and of FSWs.
- Studies of various aspects of masculinity should be initiated and encouraged.

5. LIST OF STUDIES AND SURVEYS FOCUSING ON GENDER AND/OR WOMEN’S ISSUES OR THAT HAVE A GENDER COMPONENT

Table 1

##	Title / name	Funded by	Implemented by	Experts involved	Year	Languages	Objectives of Study /Survey	Brief summary / description/	Link (if posted)	Published or not	Thematic area
1	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 1	ASOGHIK LTD	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Sofia Babayan, Armine Mkhitarian, Yelena Zdravomyslova et. al.	2001	Armenian	To present to the Armenian research and NGO community with theory and methodology of gender studies	Collection of articles by Armenian, Russian and foreign scholars on theory and methodology of gender studies		Published	Gender theory & methodology
2	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 2	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	AAWUE	Olga Voronina, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Arusyak Sahakyan, Anahit Harutyunyan, Nadezhda Azhgikhina et al.	2001	Armenian	To present to the Armenian research and academic community, NGO leaders and general public the history and theory of women's movement with a view to assisting in designing strategies and tactics of the civic movements in transition societies.	Collection of articles by Armenian and Russian scholars on theory and history of women's movements in the West, Russia and Armenia. The focus is not only on the movement <i>per se</i> as a constituent part of civil society but also on the philosophical underpinnings of the movements.		Published	Theory, history & philosophy of women's movements

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3	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 3	OSCE Yerevan Office	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Sofia Babayan, Yelena Zdravomyslova, Anna Temkina, Susanna Tumanyan et al.	2001	Armenian	To make a gender analysis of some societal and cultural issues and to address some relevant aspects of contemporary feminism	Collection of articles by Armenian and Russian scholars presenting <i>issues</i> of women's civic and political participation in Armenia, <i>findings</i> of the analysis of a gender dynamic in the present-day society, and <i>representation</i> of women in the Armenian mythological-symbolic system, relevance of Western feminist tradition for post-Soviet societies.		Published	Women's political participation, culture studies, theory & practice of feminism
4	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 4	OSCE Yerevan Office	AAWUE	Judith Lorber, Candice West, Don Zimmermani, Siranush Khachkalian, Vladimir Osipov, Yelena Vardanyan, Lilit Zakaryan et al.	2001	Armenian	To present to the Armenian research and academic community, and NGO leaders some theoretical gender approaches in sociology and philosophy as well as the analysis of some practical issues in gender aspects of civic and political participation	Collection of articles by Armenian and foreign scholars focusing on gender studies in philosophy and sociology, history, psychology and psychoanalysis as well as on gender analysis of participatory democracy, gendered images in Armenian literature of early 20th century		Published	Theory, history and philosophy of gender studies; women's political participation

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5	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 5	OSCE Yerevan Office	AAWUE	Yelena Kochkina, Galina Sillaste, R.D. Erenberg & R.S. Smith, Naomi Wolf, Vladimir Osipov and Arthur Nikoghosyan	2001	Armenian	To present to the Armenian research and academic community, and NGO leaders some theoretical gender approaches in sociology, political science and economics as well as the findings of gender analysis of some gender aspects of the State gender policies and gender issues of society in transformation	Collection of articles by Armenian and foreign scholars focusing on theories of market discrimination, feminist political science framework, gender asymmetry in education, gender mainstreaming, and gender and tolerance in a transforming society		Published	Theory, history and philosophy of gender studies
6	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 6	OSCE Yerevan Office	AAWUE	Olga Voronina, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Arusyak Sahakyan, Anahit Harutyunyan, Nadezhda Azhgikhina et al.	2001	Armenian	To present to the Armenian research and academic community, and NGO leaders some gender issues in the history of the Armenian political-legal thought, gender analysis of media and Russian and Western women's studies	Collection of articles by Armenian and Russian scholars focusing on issues of gender culture in the history of the Armenian political-legal thought, on gender stereotypes in mass media and on analysis of women's and gender studies in the West and in Russia		Published	Theory, history and philosophy of gender studies; culture studies

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7	<i>GENDER STUDIES SERIES, VOL. 7</i>	OSCE Yerevan Office	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Sofia Babayan, Armine Mkhitarian, Yelena Vardanyan, Siranush Khachkalyan, Grigor Aghanyan, Tadevos Tadevosyan, I. Kostikova, et al.	2001	Armenian	To present to the Armenian research and academic community, and NGO leaders some issues related to gender education	Collection of articles by Armenian and Russian scholars focusing on theory, teaching methodology, realities and prospects of gender education as a new paradigm in higher education both in Armenia and Russia		Published	Gender education
8	<i>GENDER LEGAL EQUALITY IN THE HUMAN RIGHTS SYSTEM (GENDER STUDIES SERIES, VOL. 8)</i>	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Meline Harutyunyan	2002	Armenian	To address some key issues of gender legal equality within the human rights framework. The publication is intended primarily for university and PhD students	The monograph addresses some issues of gender legal equality in the present-day society, including gender aspects of main trends in societal development and democratization processes. Special attention is paid to the dynamic of gender relations in the society in transformation.		Published	Legal aspects of gender equality

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9	ETHNO-CULTURAL ASPECTS OF GENDER (<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 9)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Karine Bazeyan	2002	Armenian	To address some key gender issues in ethnic cultures. The publication is intended primarily for university and PhD students	The monograph addresses some ethno-cultural aspects of differences existing in public perceptions of social roles, statuses, rights and responsibilities of women and men. Special attention is paid to ethnographic specifics of the Armenian society and to identification of main factors that impact gender socialization		Published	Gender aspects of ethnic culture
10	INTRODUCTION TO GENDER STUDIES (<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 10)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Yelena Vardanyan	2002	Russian (there is a separate Armenian edition)	To provide a general, comprehensive overview of key theoretical and practical aspects of gender studies. The publication is intended primarily for university professors and students	The monograph presents general theoretical and methodological interpretation of gender as a most innovative approach to researching social roles of men and women from a historical perspective and in the present-day context. Its special focus is on philosophical, sociological, economic, historical, legal and political aspects of gender studies		Published	Theory and methodology of gender studies

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11	GENDER AND DISCRIMINATION (<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 11)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Sofia Babayan	2002	Russian (there is a separate Armenian edition)	To provide a comprehensive overview of how the key issue of gender-based discrimination is addressed in theory and practice. The publication is intended for academics, researchers and NGO activists.	The monograph presents some gender theories, addresses issues of gender economics, gender-based discrimination and segregation in the employment sector and in the labor market. Women's rights are discussed within the context of human rights. Also addressed are main stages and 'content' of the international women's movement		Published	General , cross-cutting
12	INTRODUCTION TO GENDER THEORY (<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 12)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Armine Mkhitarian	2002	Armenian	To provide a general overview of gender theory. The publication is intended primarily for university and PhD students and professors interested in innovative gender disciplines	The monograph presents philosophical underpinnings of the gender theory and discusses feminism as a political theory. It also addresses issues of gender roles and gender identity, and gender stereotypes in the society.		Published	Gender theory

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13	GENDER AND ECONOMY: LEGAL ASPECTS (<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 13)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Armenuhie Kyureghyan	2002	Armenian	To provide a general overview of legal aspects of some gender issues in economy. The publication is intended primarily for university and PhD students	The monograph discusses some gender equality issues in transition economies. It focuses on public and private spheres as subjects of economic inquiry and on international and domestic standards in socioeconomic sector.		Published	Women's economic rights and empowerment
14	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 14	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Anahit Telunts, Siranush Khachkalyan, Natalya Mufel, Yevgenya Ivanova, Arthur Nikoghosyan, Sofia Babayan et al.	2002	Armenian	To present findings of studies conducted from a gender perspective in political and social philosophy, on issues of gender culture and education in the contemporary society, on women's rights and women's political participation and on women's movement as part of civil society.	Collection of articles by Armenian and Russian scholars focusing on gender culture of the present-day society, on feminism as philosophy and practice, on equal rights and opportunities as <i>sine qua non</i> for parity democracy and on gender-based discrimination in employment, health sector and in the social system.		Published	General, cross-cutting (including culture, employment, health issues, etc.)

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15	GENDER DISCOURSE OF HISTORY (<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 15)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Arthur Nikoghosyan	2003	Armenian	To look at the world history from a gender perspective. The publication is intended primarily for university and PhD students	The monograph discusses evolution of gender relations and transformation of gender structures against the background of socioeconomic, political, ethnic, religious and cultural systems of various societies. It also focuses on the specifics of a gendered perception of history and contains an analysis of traditional as well as present-day gender theories.		Published	Gender analysis of history
16	FUNDAMENTALS OF GENDER KNOWLEDGE (<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 16)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Lilit Zakaryan	2003	Armenian	To present philosophical and historical antecedents of the emergence of gender knowledge. The publication is intended primarily for university and PhD students and instructors	The monograph discusses <i>feminism</i> as philosophy and political practice, the <i>concepts</i> of gender and gender roles, gender norms and gender identity as well as gender stereotypes in the society. Also discussed some gender aspects of history, economy, psychology and law. Special attention is paid to the factors that gave rise to the "women's question" in the		Published	General

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								Armenian society and to gender aspects of political participation in Armenia.			
17	GENDER EDUCATION AS A NEW SOCIO-CULTURAL PARADIGM (<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 17 AND 18)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Sofia Babayan, Anahit Telunts et al.	2003	Russian (vol. 17) Armenian (vol. 18)	To discuss issues of gender education within the context of Armenian higher education reform. The publication is intended primarily for researchers of gender issues and for those academics who teach gender subjects	The publication discusses issues of <i>gender education</i> with a focus on the role and place of gender subjects in the civic education system, in developing democratic culture in the Armenian society and in raising gender awareness and sensitivity of young people, and of innovative methods for teaching gender disciplines.		Published	Gender education
18	GENDER AND ECONOMICS (<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 19)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Gyulnara Hovhanisyan	2004	Armenian	To present theoretical and methodological foundations of gender mainstreaming in economy and several key gender issues in Armenian economy	The monograph addresses gender mainstreaming in economy, focuses on gender discrimination that occurs and gender segregation policies pursued in the Armenian labor market as well as on gender aspects of employment and unemployment.		Published	Women's economic empowerment; Gender mainstreaming (in economy)

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19	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 20	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Arthur Nikoghosyan, Siranush Khachkalyan, Karine Bazeyan, Armine Nersisyan et al.	2004	Armenian	To discuss some key issues in gender education and culture, in gender theory and practice. The publication is intended primarily for researchers of gender issues and for those academics who teach gender subjects	Collection of articles by Armenian scholars focusing on historical perception of the idea of gender equality, on gender approaches in present-day societies, on national specifics of gender culture and on elimination of gender stereotypes. The publication also contains a gender analysis of Armenian legislation and of gender mainstreaming in State policies.		Published	Gender education and culture; Gender analysis of legislation; Gender mainstreaming
20	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES, VOL. 21	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Vladimir Osipov, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Armen Harutyunyan, Anahit Telunts, Gyulnara Hovhanisyan et al.	2005	Armenian	To present findings of research in gender culture and education and in gender issues on the labor market. The publication is intended primarily for academics and for undergraduate and graduate students	Collection of articles by Armenian scholars focusing on European approaches to and national specifics in gender culture, on gender education as a prerequisite for democratization of society and on gender discrimination and segregation in the labor market.		Published	Gender education and culture; gender analysis of labor market

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21	GENDER EDUCATION AS A FACTOR IN SHAPING CIVIC-MINDEDNESS) (GENDER STUDIES SERIES, VOL. 22)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Yelena Vardanyan, Anahit Telunts, Siranush Khachkalyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Arthur Nikoghosyan, Meline Harutyunyan, Vladimir Osipov, Sofia Babayan, Karine Bazeyan et al.	2005	(Individual articles are) in Armenian or Russian	To present research- and experience-based innovative methods for teaching gender subjects in universities and high schools. The publication is intended primarily for researchers of gender issues and for those academics who teach gender subjects	Collection of articles by Armenian scholars and practitioners focusing on ways of raising effectiveness of teaching gender disciplines, particularly in terms of enhancing civic education, developing egalitarian gender culture and democratic civic values.		Published	Gender education
22	GENDER TRANSFORMATIONS IN THE ARMENIAN HISTORY (GENDER STUDIES SERIES, VOL. 24)	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Athur Nikoghosyan	2005	Armenian	To examine some key issues in the transformation of gender relations and gender roles in the Armenian history	The monograph analyzes the dynamic of gender transformations that have taken place in the course of historical evolution of the Armenian society and their socioeconomic, political and ethno-cultural causes. The attention is focused primarily on gender socialization, identification of typical and specific features in the formation and evolution of a gender system and on elucidation of the		Published	Gender analysis of history

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								impact that ethno-cultural phenomena had on gender ideas and perceptions as well as on gender relations.			
23	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES: SPECIAL ISSUE	OSCE Yerevan Office	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Anahit Telunts, Sofia Babayan, Tadevos Tadevosyan, Vladimir Osipov, Yelena Vardanyan, Irina Arakelyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Yelena Vardanyan et al.	2001	Russian	To present to researchers and academics in CIS and other countries with findings of gender research and studies conducted by Armenian scholars	Collection of articles by Armenian scholars focusing on gender studies in philosophy and culture, on gender mainstreaming, on gender aspects of economy, on civic and political participation and on institutionalization of gender education and studies in Armenia		Published	Institutionalization of gender education and research; civic and political participation; gender aspects in economy; gender mainstreaming
24	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES: SPECIAL ISSUE	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Sofia Babayan, Vladimir Osipov, Anahit Harutyunyan, Gayane Armaghanova, Anahit Telunts et al.	2003	English	To present to the global academic and research communities some of the findings of gender research conducted by Armenian scholars	Collection of articles by Armenian scholars focusing on a gender perspective in political and social philosophy, on the role of gender education and culture in present-day Armenia and on women's political participation and women's movement as a component of civil society.		Published	Women's political and civic participation; gender culture and education; gender analysis of socio-economic issues; women's movement

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25	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES: SPECIAL ISSUE	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Sofia Babayan, Anahit Telunts, Siranush Khachkalyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Arthur Nikoghosyan, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Tamara Hovnatanyan et al.	2005	English	To present findings of recent research by the AAWUE Center for Gender Studies to researchers, academics in the fields of gender studies and gender education in other countries	This collection of articles by Armenian scholars focuses on gender education as a factor for a democratic change, on historical discourse of on gender culture of the Armenian society, on pioneering work in engendering State budget through gender analysis and on effective ways for dissemination of gender knowledge to key actors and stakeholders in academia.		Published	Gender education; gender culture; gender analysis of State budget
26	<i>GENDER STUDIES</i> SERIES: SPECIAL ISSUE	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Sofia Babayan, Vladimir Osipov, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Irina Gulinyan, Gyulnara Hovhanisyan, Armine Mkhitaryan et al.	2005	Russian	To present findings of recent research by the AAWUE Center for Gender Studies to researchers, academics in the fields of gender studies and gender education in other countries	Collection of articles by Armenian scholars on issues of democratization of Armenia's gender system, gender equality in the history of Armenian political-legal thought, gender education as a component of civic education, and electoral preferences of men and women. The publication also contains articles by young researchers on		Published	Gender stereotypes ; gender education; gender and globalization, labor market and migration; voting behavior

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								feminism as theory and political practice, on women's political participation and on gender aspects of migration and labor market			
27	WOMAN AND SOCIETY. GENDER EQUALITY IN THE PERSPECTIVE OF THE DEMOCRATIC DEVELOPMENT	Global Fund for Women	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Karine Danielyan, Mher Shahgeldyan, Sofia Babayan, Vladimir Khojabekyan et al.	1999	(Individual articles are) in Russian or Armenian)	To review and analyze the gender equality issue in the present day society from the democratization perspective	The proceedings of the international conference which was held by AAWUE and which focused exclusively on various aspects of gender equality in the society on the eve of the third millennium. The participants explored such issues as feminism, state policies concerning women, gender realities, women's rights issues, UN and women's rights protection, violence against women, gender and culture, the role of women's NGOs in democracy building and in civil society formation in transition societies, women's citizen participation, women's movement, gender imbalance, etc.		Published	Cross-cutting

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28	WOMEN IN DEVELOPMENT : GENDER ISSUES OF THE PRESENT-DAY SOCIETY	John and Catherine MacArthur Foundation	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Irina Arakelyan, Vladimir Osipov, Sofia Babayan, Yelena Vardanyan, Gayane rmaghanova, Artur Mkrtychyan, Armine Mkhitarian, Geghetsik Grigoryan et al.	1999	(Individual articles) in Russian or Armenian)	To find out the situation of intellectual women in the present-day society in transformation, a degree of their involvement in processes of democratic changes, their views on current reforms, the motives for their behavior as well as the women's and men's social expectations and their assessment of the operation of various authorities and non-governmental organizations	The study was based on 3 sociological surveys conducted in Yerevan and in 8 regions of the country. The sample size in each survey was 800 respondents. The target groups in two surveys "Women's Status" and "Women's Activism" was intellectual women, while in the third survey "Social Expectations" alongside women there were also male respondents. 13 experts use the surveys' data to analyze a number of gender issues of the present-day Armenian society, including gender dynamic, women's political and economic empowerment, women's movement, gender issues in health and education sectors and in the family; gender and migration, etc.		Published	

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29	THE SOCIETY'S CHOICE IS PEACE FOR DEVELOPMENT	John and Catherine MacArthur Foundation	AAWUE	Arthur Mkrтчian, Yelena Vardanian, Tamara Hovnatanian, Naira Manucharova	2000	Russian	To probe public attitudes to issues of war and peace	The quantitative study is based on a survey of 500 women and men civic activists with university education. The respondents were selected in the capital city and in several regions of the country. The study has a strong gender component. Not only experts analyze issues of regional peace, the role of civil society organizations in promoting tolerance and in combating negative stereotypes in perception of the "other", the development of the culture of peace, lasting peace as the only choice, etc. from the women's and men's perspectives but also focus specifically on some gender aspects of those issues.		Published	

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30	GENDER ANALYSIS OF THE POVERTY REDUCTION STRATEGY PAPER OF THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	UNIFEM	AAWUE	Harutiun Marzpanian, Jemma Hasratian, Gohar Jerbashian, Ashot Kakossian	2006	Armenian	To analyze the RoA PRSP from a gender perspective	4 experts made a gender analysis of the RoA PRSP, explored how gender issues are presented in the document, discussed gender issues in the PRSP social sphere, identified the necessity of mainstreaming gender into the document and gave recommendations as to how to accomplish that		Published	Gender analysis; gender mainstreaming
31	GENDER ANALYSIS OF LEGISLATION	USAID/ARMENIA LEGISLATIVE STRENGTHENING PROGRAM	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratian, Gyulnara Hovhanisyan, Vladimir Osipov	2004	Armenian	To present the methodology of a gender analysis of legislation	The publication provides philosophy and methodology of a gender analysis of legislation. It describes a European background that expedited the introduction of gender analysis and spells out 8 major steps in its implementation.		Published	Gender analysis

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32	CONCEPTUAL FOUNDATIONS OF STATE POLICIES IN THE FIELD OF GENDER EDUCATION		AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Vladimir Osipov, Yelena Vardanyan, Sofia Babayan, Anahit Telunts, Harutyun Marzpanyan, Meline Harutyunyan, Arthur Vagharshyan, Alisa Gevorgyan and Armine Mkhitarian	2004	Armenian	To examine and review some key issues of institutionalization of gender education against the background of a higher education reform in Armenian society in transition and in integration processes	The study concluded that since gender education is an important factor of civic education and of enhancing citizen participation and responsibility a wide-scale introduction of gender education in Armenian institutions of higher learning will contribute to shaping students' active civic stand and consolidating democratic culture in the Armenian society. Those issues are also addressed from the perspective of globalization and integration processes. The publication also contains the draft State Educational Standard "Fundamentals of Gender Education" as well as the standard and syllabus of the inter-disciplinary academic course "Introduction to Gender Theory"		Published	Theory and methodology of gender education

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33	GENDER EDUCATION IN INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING (DRAFT STATE EDUCATIONAL STANDARDS)	OSI - Assistance to Armenia Foundation	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Sofia Babayan, Vladimir Osipov, Yelena Vardanyan, Siranush Khachkalyan, Ruzanna Mardoyan, Phruzne Ghazaryan, Nina Hovhanisyan, Hrant Avanesov, Karine Bazeyan, Yury Mkrtumyan et al.	2005	Separate Armenian - and Russian-language editions	To design a number of standards of gender courses for higher education institutions	The publication contains <i>philosophy</i> and <i>methodology</i> of designing educational standards for general and specialized gender courses as well as draft first-, second- and third-tier educational standards (including syllabi) for a number of disciplines (general introductory gender course, gender components for specializations "Culture studies" and "Psychology," for subjects "Pedagogy," "History of pedagogy" and "Armenian ethnography" and for special courses "Gender and Economics" (for bachelor and master degree level), "Gender discourse in history of Armenia," and "Gender and human rights."		Published	Theory, philosophy and methodology of gender education

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34	GENDER SITUATION IN ARMENIA: CONSEQUENCES OF THE TRANSFORMATION PROCESSES AND WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT WITHIN THE CONTEXT OF THE MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Gyulnara Hovhanisyan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Gayane Armaghanova	2005	Armenian, Russian	To evaluate a gender situation in Armenia, to analyze manifestations of gender inequality, to identify causes of a gender imbalance in socioeconomic and socio-political life.	4 experts made a detailed analysis of gender aspects of demographic indices, gender issues of the socioeconomic situation (including labor market, (un)employment, entrepreneurship, discrimination in labor remuneration, rural women, pension system, etc.), gender aspects of external and internal migration, gender-based violence, and gender issues in health and education sectors. They also looked into the role of NGOs in promoting women's civic activism and discussed some issues of implementation of Armenia' international obligations	http://aawue.am/grakanutyun	Published	Economic empowerment of women; GBV; cross-cutting

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35	MONITORING OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE UN CONVENTION ON ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN (CEDAW), BEIJING PLATFORM FOR ACTION (BPFA), AND MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS (MDGS) IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	UNIFEM	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies	Jemma Hasratyan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Marietta Sahakyan, Alvard Zatikian, Geghetsik Gevorgyan, Gayaneh Meroyan, Vladimir Osipov, Jina Sargizova, Natalya Martirosyan et al.	2006	Armenian, Russian	To assess implementation in Armenia of the recommendations of the 3 international documents on achievement of gender equality	In this qualitative study 15 experts examined 7 groups of issues: gender representation in power and decision-making, gender dimension of economy sector, women's rights in the human rights context, gender issues of education and training, gender issues in health sector, women and armed conflicts and institutional mechanisms for gender equality	http://www.aawue.am/Monitoring_rus.pdf	Published	Cross-cutting
36	WOMEN'S POLITICAL PARTICIPATION IN THE 2007 PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA: ANALYTICAL REVIEW	OSCE Yerevan Office	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Gayane Armaghanova	2007	Separate Armenian -, English- and Russian-language editions	To examine women's political participation before, during and after the 2007 parliamentary elections in Armenia, to make a quantitative and qualitative analysis of women candidates' participation in the elections and to	This qualitative study used methods of focus group and round-table discussions, in-depth interviews with women from political parties, examination of media coverage of women's participation in the elections and desk review of relevant documents and other materials as well as statistical data.	http://aawue.am/grakanutyun	Published	Women's Political Participation

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							identify negative practices and stereotypical views that impede more active women's political participation	The study was conducted in Yerevan and in 5 cities and towns in 5 regions of the country. The study examined the "scenarios" and motives of women's entry into politics, the role of quotas, gender aspects of the operation of political parties and the role of women's NGOs in election processes and in supporting women's political participation. The study also looked at the coverage of women's political participation by Armenian print and electronic media and analyzed barriers to women's political participation before and after elections.			

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37	IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONVENTION ON ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN (CEDAW) IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA IN 2002-2007	ODIHR/OSCE	AAWUE	Jermma Hasratyan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Lilit Zakaryan	2007	Separate Armenian - and English-language editions	To make an independent assessment of the country's implementation of the CEDAW in a number of key sectors and of the fulfillment of the obligations; to identify the problems that impede the implementation of the Convention in Armenia and to propose possible solutions for the Government	Proceeding from the reporting, procedural and format guidelines of the CEDAW Committee, the authors selected the methodology that combines 3 components, viz. assessment of the situation, article-by-article analysis and thematic approach with a focus on the issues most significant for the country. While analyzing 9 groups of issues, the authors addressed in greater detail 2 core issues of national machinery for the advancement of women and women's political participation	http://tbinter.net.ohchr.org/Treaties/CEDAW/Shared%20Documents/ARM/INTERN_CEDAW_NGO_ARM_43_8004_E.pdf	Published	Cross-cutting

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38	GENDER CULTURE OF THE PRESENT-DAY ARMENIAN SOCIETY: TRADITIONS & INNOVATIONS	OSCE Yerevan Office	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies		2001	Individual articles in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on gender issues written by undergraduates young college instructors and researchers	Proceedings of the First Nationwide Conference of undergraduates, young college instructors and researchers. The papers focus on the analysis of the current gender situation in the Armenian society, issues of women's civic and political participation, gender stereotypes, legal protection for women, women's role in power and decision-making, gender relations in families, violence against women and feminism as a civic movement.		Published	Cross-cutting

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39	GENDER EQUALITY AS A PRECONDITION OF PARITY DEMOCRACY	OSCE ODIHR	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies		2002	Individual articles in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on gender issues written by undergraduates young college instructors and researchers	Proceedings of the Second Nationwide Conference of undergraduates, young college instructors and researchers. The papers focus on gender equality, gender socialization and stereotypes, gender discrimination and violence, women's political participation and on developing a democratic gender culture.		Published	Cross-cutting
40	GENDER EQUALITY AS A PREREQUISITE TO DEMOCRACY: RIGHTS AND IMPLEMENTATION OPPORTUNITIES	OSCE ODIHR	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies		2003	Individual articles in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on gender issues written by undergraduates and young college instructors	Proceedings of the Third Nationwide Conference of undergraduates and young college instructors. The papers focus on various aspects of gender equality (in the context of democracy, human rights and civil society), gender quotas, international and domestic mechanisms for protection of women's rights, personal inviolability, on the policy of equal rights		Published	Women's political participation; gender equality, GBV, GBD, gender education; gender culture; gender stereotypes; gender quotas; parity democracy; feminism

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								and equal opportunities for women and men as an important factor in building the rule-of-law State, on gender discrimination, on public perception of gender roles as well as on gender education and gender socialization, on gender-based violence, on gender roles in family, on gender aspects of ethnic culture, on media portrayal of women's issues and on feminism			
41	GENDER EQUALITY AS AN IMPERATIVE OF MODERNITY	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies	2005	Individual articles in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on gender issues written by undergraduates and young college instructors	Proceedings of the Fourth Nationwide Conference of undergraduates and young college instructors. The papers focus on the policy of equal rights and equal opportunities for men and women as a prerequisite for building parity democracy and a rule-of-law State, on public perceptions of women's political participation and		Published	Cross-cutting; gender equality

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								gender roles in the society, on issues of gender socialization and ways for eliminating gender stereotypes. Also addressed were gender-related employment issues, gender roles traditions in families, manifestations of violence against women and feminism as philosophy and political practice.			
42	GENDER HARMONY, DEMOCRACY AND PROGRESS	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies		2006	Individual articles in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on gender issues written by undergraduates and young college instructors	2-volume proceedings of the Fifth Nationwide Conference of undergraduates and young college instructors (Books 1 & 2). The papers focus on gender aspects of economic preconditions for sustainable development and for the formation of democratic values, on balanced representation of women and men in power and decision-making as a prerequisite for quality		Published	Cross-cutting

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								<p>democracy, on gender culture of the present-day society and consequences of the transformation processes in the discourse of empowerment within the context of the Millennium Development Goals. They also address causes of gender-based discrimination in political and economic spheres and examine issues of equal rights and equal opportunities, economic independence as a guarantee for gender equality, and issues of gender stereotypes.</p>			

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43	GENDER EQUALITY AS AN IMPERATIVE OF MODERNITY	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies		2007	Individual articles in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on gender issues written by undergraduates and young college instructors	Proceedings of the Sixth Nationwide Conference of undergraduates and young college instructors. The papers focus on gender specifics of Armenia in transition period, on issues of harmonization of the gender system of the Armenian society under democratization, and on legal foundations of gender equality, political participation strategies and advancement of the role of women in the society.		Published	Cross-cutting
44	GENDER EQUALITY IN THE SOCIETY AND IN THE FAMILY: HARMONY AND TOLERANCE	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies		2008	Individual articles in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on gender issues written by undergraduates and young college instructors	Proceedings of the Seventh Nationwide Conference of undergraduates and young college instructors. The papers focus on gender stereotypes in the public mind and on the analysis of gender aspects of socioeconomic and political transformations in a transition society.		Published	Cross-cutting

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								Also discussed are balanced participation of women and men in power and decision-making, efforts to combat violence against women, women's political participation, transformation of culture of the present-day Armenian society, gender stereotypes in mass media and discrimination and segregation on the labor market.			
45	WOMEN OF ARMENIA – YEAR 2000. REVIEW OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE BEIJING PLATFORM FOR ACTION – REALITY & PROSPECTS (RESULTS OF THE MONITORING)	OSI - Assistance to Armenia Foundation	AAWUE	Tamara Hovhatanyan	2000	Russian	Monitoring of the Implementation of the Beijing Platform for Action (BPfA)	Review of the Implementation of the Beijing Platform for Action in the framework of the Beijing +5 processes		Published	4 areas of concern of the BPfA

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46	GENDER ASPECTS OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN TAVUSH, VAYOTS DZOR, GEGHARKUNIK , SYUNIK AND ARARAT REGIONS	GIZ	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Harutyun Marzpanyan, Garik Siroyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Gayane Meroyan, Gayane Armaghanova, Armen Martirosyan	2011	Armenian and English	To study a gender situation and gender aspects of community and economic development in 5 regions of Armenia and to provide recommendations based on the findings of the study with a view to assisting with formulation of the strategy to eliminate gender-based discrimination in community and economic development in the country's regions	The study focused particularly on existing and/or proposed strategies for poverty reduction, private sector development, accessibility of community services and women's involvement in local decision-making. The study methodology included <i>desk review</i> of relevant international and domestic documents, other materials and statistical data, a <i>gender analysis</i> of the 4-year development programs of the regions and communities in question, examination of various documents and programs of regional employment centers and activities of Employment Forums in order to gender mainstream them. The methodology also included interviews with regional leadership as well as		Published	Women's economic participation; gender equality; women in decision-making

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								questionnaire-based interviews with heads and other officials of urban and rural communities, focus groups with entrepreneurs and NGOs as well as round table discussions with staff members of regional administrations and local self-government bodies			
47	ELECTIONS AND DEMOCRACY: CIVIL SOCIETY FACTOR	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Irina Arakelyan	2003	Russian	To examine a number of important aspects of the pre-election situation in Armenia and factors that make an impact on it	The quantitative study, which is based on a survey of 500 women and men with an active civic stand and university education in 3 largest cities of Armenia a few months before the presidential elections, had a strong gender component. Not only a comparative analysis of women's and men's responses was made but also a number of gender issues were examined and addressed.		Published	Gender and democratic processes

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48	ELECTORAL DEMOCRACY: IS THERE AN ALTERNATIVE TO IT IN ARMENIA?	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan,Irina Arakelyan,Vladimir Osipov, Yelena Vardanyan, Sofia Babayan,Arthur Mkrtychyan	2003	Separate Armenian and Russian editions	To examine a number of important aspects of the dynamic of social and political situation in Armenia in the period between the presidential and parliamentary elections	The quantitative study, which is based on a survey of 500 women and men with an active civic stand and university education, was conducted in 3 largest cities of Armenia in several months between the presidential and parliamentary elections, had a strong gender component. A wide range of gender issues, including gender stereotypes, public perceptions of the men's and women's roles in democratization processes, gender-based differences of assessments of electoral processes, political participation, engagement in power and decision-making, are addressed in the study.		Published	Gender and democratic processes

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49	DEMOCRATIZATION OF THE ARMENIAN SOCIETY: GENDER PERSPECTIVE	National Endowment for Democracy (NED) & OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Vladimir Osipov, Sofia Babayan, Yelena Vardanyan, Irina Arakelyan	2004	Separate Armenian and Russian editions	To examine a number of crucial aspects of democratization from a gender perspective	The quantitative study, which is based on a survey of 1,000 respondents (50% of them were women and 50% were men) with an active civic stand and university education, was conducted in 3 largest cities of Armenia in a post-election period. Based on the findings of the survey, the authors examine from a gender perspective the new tendencies in democratic changes, issues of political and civil rights, legitimacy of major democratic institutions and public trust in them under the conditions of social transformation, the dynamic of gender relations, economic foundations for democratic changes and obstacles faced by democratization of the Armenian society in the post-election period.		Published	Cross-cutting

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50	POLITICAL PARTICIPATION IN THE TRANSITION SOCIETY: A GENDER EQUALITY DIMENSION	OSCE ODIHR (Warsaw) & National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Irina Arakelyan, Sofia Babayan, Siranush Khachkalyan, Lilit Zakaryan	2006	Separate English, Armenian, and Russian editions	To examine the gender equality dimension of participation of women and men in political processes in the transition society against the background of the democratic transformation and economic development trends in the dynamic of several years and to make a comparative analysis using data of similar surveys conducted in previous years.	The quantitative study, which is based on a survey of 1,000 respondents (50% of them were women and 50% were men) with an active civic stand and university education, was conducted in 3 largest cities and in several other urban areas of Armenia. The authors make an analysis of a gender discourse of political participation and of public perceptions of a women's role in politics. They identify factors that impede the realization of the gender-balanced participation in socio-political life. Also addressed are the role of political parties and NGOs in broadening women's political participation and in achieving a gender balance in the Armenian society as a precondition for viable civil society and parity democracy.		Published	Gender equality; women's political participation; gender dimension of democratization

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51	PARITY DEMOCRACY: WOMEN'S CIVIC INITIATIVES IN EXTREMELY HARSH CONDITIONS	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	AAWUE	Yelena Vardanyan, Hovhannes Hovhannisyan, Hamlet Petrosyan, Anahit Harutyunyan, Susanna Tumanyan, Sofia Babayan, Armineh Mkhitarian, Narineh Davtyan et al.	1999	Armenian	To explore the ways how women's civic initiatives and emerging women's movement can contribute to building parity democracy	Scholars, researchers and practitioners from a wide range of academic disciplines present their research findings about the role of women in conflict resolution, building a more equitable society, measures to be taken to sustain a nascent women's movement, relevant feminist theories, transformation of a fledgling transition democracy into parity democracy, etc.		Published	Women's movement; feminism; parity democracy
52	GENDER DYNAMICS OF PRESENT-DAY SOCIETY: WOMEN IN ARMENIA IN THE 21 ST CENTURY	Global Fund for Women	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Sofia Babayan, Lilit Zakaryan, Anahit Telunts, Geghetsi k Grigoryan, Armineh Mkhitarian, Arthur Nikoghosyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Narineh Davtyan, Hovhannes Hovhannisyan et al.	2000	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers dealing with various aspects of the gender dynamic of the Armenian society at the turn of the century	Proceedings of a nationwide conference organized by AAWUE. The scholars from various social sciences and humanities present their research findings. Their focus is primarily on the following issues: political and civic participation as a factor in achieving gender equality, gender monitoring of the BPfA, women's political participation, economic		Published	Cross-cutting

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								empowerment of women, women in power and decision-making, women's rights, gender mainstreaming, institutional mechanisms for the advancement of women, etc.			
53	CULTURE OF PEACE: DEMOCRACY AND DIALOGUE OF CULTURES	John and Catherine MacArthur Foundation	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Yelena Vardayan, Silva Oganasyan, Arthur Mkrtychyan, Anahit Telunts, Maya Buchukuri, Geghtsik Grigoryan et al.	1999	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To discuss various aspects, including a gender dimension, of the culture of peace, democracy and the dialogue of cultures	The proceedings of the international conference which was held by AAWUE and which contained a significant gender component. A large number of participants focused on such issues as women's role in conflict prevention and peace building, gender tolerance, gender and culture, the role of women in the Armenian society, gender aspects of democratization, violence against women, women's movement.		Published	Cross-cutting

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54	DIALOGUE AMONG CIVILIZATIONS : DEMOCRACY & PEACE	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Sofia Babayan, Gayaneh Novikova, Eduard Markaryan, Anahit Telunts, Aghasi Tadevosyan, Siranush Khachkalyan et al.	2002	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on various aspects of globalization	Proceedings of an international conference organized by AAWUE. While the overall topic of the conference was globalization and its major focus was on the dynamic of various aspects of that phenomenon, it also had a significant gender component. Several participants addressed such important issues as gender aspects of education in globalization, global women's issues, women in power, economic rights of women, discrimination of women in the labor market, etc.		Published	Cross-cutting

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55	WOMEN'S MOVEMENT IN ARMENIA: PRIORITIES AND DEVELOPMENT PROSPECTS	Global Fund for Women	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Jina Sargizova, Narineh Davtyan, Melineh Harutyunyan et al.	2002	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To examine various aspects of the emergence and consolidation of the women's movement in Armenia	Proceedings of an international conference organized by AAWUE. The scholars from various social sciences and humanities present their research findings. Their focus is primarily on the following issues: women's movement as a factor in consolidation of democracy and in a transformation dynamic of the Armenian civil society, stages in evolution of the women's movement, women's movement as an instrument for protection of collective rights, women's movement's priorities and strategies, women's electoral behavior, etc.		Published	Cross-cutting; women's movement

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56	CONSOLIDATION OF DEMOCRACY: CIVIL SOCIETY IN THE GLOBALIZATION PERSPECTIVE	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Anahit Telunts, Vladimir Osipov, Galina Petriashvili, Karine Danielyan, Harutyun Marzpanyan, Nadezhda Shvedova et al.	2003	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To examine various aspects of consolidation of democracy in the globalization context	Proceedings of an international conference organized by AAWUE. The focus of some scholars from Armenia and several other countries is on gender aspects of consolidation of democracy. They address such issues as women in globalization processes, women and peace-building, gender strategies as a factor in sustainable development, gender issues of the labor market, women's entrepreneurship, gender aspects of labor migration, etc.		Published	Cross-cutting

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57	PARTICIPATORY DEMOCRACY: CIVIC INITIATIVES AND RESPONSIBILITY	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Vladimir Osipov, Yelena Vardanyan, Valery Tkatchouk, Svetlana Ayvazova, Tamara Kiknadzeh, Stepan Danielyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Lela Gaprindashvili, Hranush akobyan, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Gyulnara Hovhannisyan et al.	2004	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To examine various aspects of participatory democracy	Proceedings of an international conference organized by AAWUE. It included a significant gender component. A number of presentations were devoted to women's movement as a factor in consolidation of democracy, the role of a gender balance in democratization, motivation behind women's citizen participation, gender issues and balance in political parties, gender equality as a principle of in-party democracy, the status and prospects for women's movement, gender assessment of legislation, etc.		Published	Cross-cutting

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58	TRANSITION PERIOD: CIVIL SOCIETY & ISSUES OF DEMOCRACY BUILDING	National Endowment for Democracy (NED)	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Nadezhda Shvedova, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Tamara Kiknadzeh, Tatul Manaseryan, Sofia Babayan, Marina Malisheva, Aghasi Tadevosyan, Irina Arakelyan, Valery Tkatchouk, Lilit Zakaryan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Lela Yakobishvili-Piralishvili et al.	2006	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To examine core strategies for civil society to promote democracy during the transition period	Proceedings of an international conference organized by AAWUE. It included a significant gender component. The issues addressed by researchers are gender and democracy in a transition society, prospects for equal opportunities policy in political parties' practices, women's political and civic participation, cooperation between political parties and women's NGOs, women's status in a transition society, patriarchal stereotypes, etc.		Published	Cross-cutting

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59	CIVIC MOVEMENT IN THE PERSPECTIVE OF THE THIRD MILLENNIUM: NEW CHALLENGES, PRIORITIES AND STRATEGIES	OSI - Assistance to Armenia Foundation	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Tatul Manaseryan, Anahit Aghoyan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Sofia Babayan et al.	2009	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To analyze challenges for and priorities of civic movements, in particular women's movement, in present-day Armenia	Proceedings of a Forum organized by AAWUE. Most papers presented at the Forum focused on issues of the women's movement, strategies of women's organizations and coalition-building, gender issues in the MDGs context, gender equality in Armenia, gender-balanced representation in power and decision-making, institutionalization of gender education	http://www.aawue.am/Forum2008.pdf	Published	Cross-cutting
60	PROSPECTS FOR ATTAINING GENDER EQUALITY IN ARMENIA: POLITICAL & LEGAL ASPECTS	UNFPA Project Combating Gender Based Violence in the South Caucasus & OSI Assistance Foundation - Armenia	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Artsvik Minasyan, Vaheh Demirchyan, Svetlana Ayyazova, Vladimir Osipov, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Nadezhda Shvedova, Tatul Manaseryan, Tamara Kiknadzesh, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Yelena	2010	Individual papers in Armenian, Russian or English	To analyze the current situation with and prospects for gender equality in Armenia	Proceedings of an international conference held by AAWUE under the aegis of the RoA National Assembly, UN Office in Armenia and OSCE Yerevan Office. Diplomats, parliamentarians, government officials, top-ranking politicians and scholars discussed ways for achieving gender equality in Armenia against the background of global processes and	http://www.aawue.am/Konf2010.pdf	Published	Cross-cutting

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				Vardanyan, Anahit Aghoyan, Sofia Babayan, Lela Yakobishvili-Piralishvili, Lilit Zakaryan et al.				developments. The issues presented at the conference included horizons of gender policies, the draft RoA law on equal and rights and opportunities of women and men, gender equality in UN strategies, international experience in promoting gender equality, gender discrimination, CEDAW Convention, economic and political aspects of gender equality, gender-balanced representation, etc.			
61	ELIMINATION OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN AS A POLITICAL ISSUE AND AS A PREREQUISITE FOR THE FORMATION OF A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY	OSI - Assistance to Armenia Foundation	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Vladimir Osipov, Lilit Zakaryan, Hermineh Naghdalyan, Tamara Hovnatanyan	2010	Individual papers, presentations and materials in Armenian, Russian or English	To examine gender-based discrimination in the context of the CEDAW Committee's final observations regarding Armenia	Materials of the Forum organized by AAWUE. Speakers presented their research findings concerning implementation of the CEDAW Convention in Armenia.	http://www.aawue.am/Forum_2010.pdf	Published	Gender-based discrimination

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62	HUMAN RIGHTS AS A GLOBAL HUMAN AND MORAL VALUE	UNFPA Project Combating Gender Based Violence in the South Caucasus	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Zahidul Huque, Maria Dotsenko, Lilit Zakaryan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Armenuhie Kyureghyan, Geghetsik Grigoryan et al.	2011	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To examine the situation with human rights, particularly with women's rights, in Armenia	Materials of the Forum organized by AAWUE. Speakers presented findings of their research concerning women's rights in the context of human rights, media and gender equality, gender equality policies in Armenia, role of women's NGOs in promoting gender equality, gender quotas, etc.	http://www.aawue.am/Forum_2011.pdf	Published	Gender equality; quotas; women's rights

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63	CIVIC MOVEMENT IN PRESENT-DAY ARMENIA: NEW CHALLENGES AND PROSPECTS	OSCE Yerevan Office, Embassy of the Kingdom of Netherlands in Georgia	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Vladimir Osipov, Lilit Zakaryan, Hovhannes Hovhannisyanyan, Gayaneh Armaghanyan, Anahit Aghoyan, Marianna Abovian, Tatul Manaseryan, Alvard Zatikyan, Harutyun Marzpanyan, Lilit Asoyan, Sofia Babayan et al.	2014	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To examine the role of civil society organizations, including women's NGOs, in promoting democracy and sustainable development in Armenia, with a particular focus on gender issues	Proceedings of a nationwide conference organized by AAWUE.		Published	Women's political participation

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64	WOMEN'S POLITICAL PARTICIPATION IN THE 2012 PARLIAMENTARY ELECTIONS IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA: ANALYTICAL REVIEW	OSCE Yerevan Office & the Netherlands Embassy in Tbilisi	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Gayane Armaghanova	2012	Separate Armenian -, English- and Russian-language editions	To conduct monitoring for a review and assessment of gender situation in Armenia in the pre-election period and of women's participation in the 2012 parliamentary elections in Armenia	This qualitative study used methods of focus group and round-table discussions, in-depth interviews with women from political parties, examination of media coverage of women's participation in the elections and desk review of relevant documents and other materials as well as statistical data. The study was conducted in Yerevan and in 11 cities and towns in 9 regions of the country. The monitoring-based study focused on women's participation in politics and in political agenda of parties, on women in election processes, on women's NGOs in election processes and on their support to women's political participation. It also analyzed the outcome of the 2012 parliamentary elections in Armenia from the perspective of women's political	http://www.osce.org/yerevan/116089?download=true	Published	Women's political participation

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65	WOMEN'S PARTICIPATION IN THE 2012-2013 ELECTIONS OF LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT BODIES IN ARMENIA: ANALYTICAL REVIEW	OSCE Yerevan Office & the Netherlands Embassy in Tbilisi	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Lilit Zakaryan, Gayane Armaghanova, Gayane Meroyan, Armine Mkhitarian, Narine Davtyan, Tamara Hovnatanyan	2013	Armenian	To examine and assess women's participation in 2012 local elections; to identify opportunities for enhancing women's role and representation in local governments, to identify the causes and factors impeding women's political participation in local governments and to make recommendations for energizing women's political activism in local communities	The study used the following methods: desk review, focus groups and round table discussions and interviews. The study was conducted in 8 regions of the country and in the city of Yerevan. Focus groups were held with community heads, local council members, staff of regional and local governments, representatives of political parties and NGO leaders and activists (the total of 182 participants). The study also focused on gender aspects of political parties' policies regarding local governments and of the role and involvement of NGOs in local self-government and elections	http://aawue.am/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/tim-yuntrutyun.pdf	Published	Women's political participation

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66	WOMEN IN POLITICS AND ABOUT POLITICS	OSCE Yerevan Office & the Netherlands Embassy in Tbilisi	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies		2013	Armenian	To study views and attitudes of active women from political parties and civil society organizations regarding political processes and women's involvement in them	This interview-based qualitative study was conducted immediately before and then in the aftermath of the 2012 parliamentary elections in Armenia. Interviewed were 25 women, including 9 women from 4 major political parties who were eventually elected to the Parliament, 7 women who had been nominated by political parties but were not elected to the Parliament (including 4 former MPs) and 9 women who are actively engaged in political processes, women's movement and/or relevant research. The publication presents those women's views and assessments of general and current political processes with a focus on the 2012 parliamentary elections.		Published	Women's Political Participation

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67	PARTICIPATORY DEMOCRACY IN LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT	UNDP and EU	AAWUE		2013	Armenian	To assist bodies of local self-government, civil servants, political party and NGO activists in strengthening and consolidating participatory democracy	This manual is based on the research conducted by AAWUE in the country region. The study had a significant gender component reflected in Chapter 4 of the publication ("Parity Democracy: Equal participation of women and men in local self-government as a prerequisite for sustainable development").		Published	Women's political participation and Women in decision-making
68	MONITORING OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE BEIJING PLATFORM FOR ACTION, THE MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS AND THE UN CONVENTION ON THE POLITICAL RIGHTS OF WOMEN IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	OSF_Armenia	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Gayane Armaghanova, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Gayane Meroyan	2014	Armenian, English	To review and assess the implementation of the recommendations of the 3 fundamental international documents aimed at achieving gender equality in all spheres of public and political life	The publication contains a review and assessment of the progress achieved by Armenia in achieving the goals and objectives set in the BPfA, MDGs and CEDAW. The review focuses on 8 major areas, viz. "Human rights of women," "Women in power and decision-making," "Education & training of women," "Women and the economy," "Women and health," "Violence against women," "Institutional	http://aawue.am/grakanutyun	Published	Women in power & decision-making; institutional mechanisms for the advancement of women; VAW; human rights of women; gender and: health, education, economy and media.

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								mechanisms for the advancement of women" and "Women and the media."			
69	ALTERNATIVE REPORT ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA IN 2009-2012	OSF_Armenia	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Gayane Armaghanova, Harutyun Marzpanyan	2014	Armenian, English	To make an independent assessment of the country's implementation of the CEDAW in a number of key sectors and of the fulfillment of the obligations; to identify the problems that impede the implementation of the Convention in Armenia and to propose possible solutions for the Government	The authors analyze the situation in key areas covered by the CEDAW Convention		Published	Cross-cutting

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70	THE EMERGENCE AND CONSOLIDATION OF GENDER: THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S PERSPECTIVE	OSI - Assistance to Armenia Foundation	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies at Pedagogical Institute in Vanadzor		2000	Individual articles in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on gender issues written by undergraduates	Proceedings of the Conference at Vanadzor Pedagogical Institute. The papers analyze various feminist theories, origins of gender inequality, representation of women in mass media, gender roles in the family, women's movements in various countries, and empowerment of women. The publication also contains an analytical review of present-day philosophical, sociological and political perspectives on gender.		Published	Feminism; women's movement; gender equality and empowerment of women; women and media
71	GENDER CULTURE OF THE SOCIETY: REALITIES AND PROSPECTS	OSI - Assistance to Armenia Foundation	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies at Pedagogical Institute in		2000	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers on gender issues written by academics and NGO activists	Proceedings of the Conference organized by Vanadzor Center for Gender Studies. The papers address issues of gender culture, gender issues		Published	Gender stereotypes , economic empowerment; reproductive rights; media and

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			Vanadzor					in economy, gender stereotypes and the role of women in the solution of environmental problems in Armenia. The publication also contains papers that focus on women's reproductive health and rights, on gender dimension of armed conflicts, on women's rights in the human rights context, linguistic aspects of gender and literature studies, psychological and philosophical perspectives on gender			gender aspects of communication
72	GENDER, ETHNICITY, NATIONALITY, SOCIETY	OSI - Assistance to Armenia Foundation	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies at Pedagogical Institute in Vanadzor	Sofia Babayan	2007	Armenian	To analyze and present a number of core gender issues	The monograph addresses issues of gender socialization and gender culture, models of a gender setup of the society, gendered division of labor, gender theories, typology of gender policies, gender and citizenship and ethnicity		Published	Gender socialization; gender culture; gender division of labor; gender policies

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73	DYNAMIC OF GENDER SITUATION IN GYUMRI: FINDINGS OF THE SOCIOLOGICAL SURVEY	OSI	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies at State Pedagogical Institute in Gyumri	Yelena Vardanyan, Vladimir Osipov, Siranush Khachkalyan, Hovik Melkonyan, Irina Arakelyan and Grigor Aghanyan	2001	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	The survey aimed to find out how gender approaches and issues of gender equality and gender culture are perceived in the specific situation of Gyumri, whether there are appropriate conditions for molding positive public opinion about gender equality as well as the gender culture adequate to democratic civil society, and whether the prospects for improving women's status in the society and for better enjoyment of their rights are realistic	A simple random sample of 300 respondents, who have higher education and are in intellectual professions (150 women and 150 men), was used for the survey. The survey focused on the share of intellectual and professional activities in the time budget of men and women, on their civic and political participation, on specifics of the existing gender culture, gender aspects of the economic situation, on root causes of gender discrimination, on the position of government agencies, political parties, businesses and media on gender issues, and on women's expectations.		Published	Gender equality; gender discrimination, values orientations; political and civic participation

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74	GENDER ISSUES OF THE SOCIETY IN EXTREME SITUATION IN GYUMRI	OSI	AAWUE Center for Gender Studies at State Pedagogical Institute in Gyumri	Yelena Vardanyan, Siranush Khachkalyan, Arthur Nikoghosyan, Nina Hovhanissyan, Artashes Boyajyan, Armen Petrosyan et al.	2001	Individual papers in Armenian or Russian	To present research papers written by academics and other researchers	Research papers written for and presented at a 2-day conference and at a number of seminars held at State Pedagogical Institute in Gyumri. The papers focused on gender issues of the society in the extreme situation, on gender education in high schools and universities as well as on overall gender issues of society in transformation, including gender mainstreaming, women's movement, women's political participation and gender analysis of economic institutions		Published	Gender culture; gender education; gender mainstreaming; gender and demographics; women's movement; women's political participation; gender aspects of economy
75	GENDER AND POLITICS		AAWUE Center for Gender Studies	Yelena Vardanyan	2009	Armenian	To analyze a historical experience of the emergence and solution of gender problems and their ideological underpinnings and to present a gender policies dynamic in conjunction with evolution of democratization	This manual, which is intended for undergraduates and university instructors, analyzes the concepts of 'gender' and 'politics' in the context of present-day societal relations, the ideological and theoretical root causes for emerging gender studies, explores		Published	Women's civic and political participation; gender culture; women's movement

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							processes, with civic and political participation and with the gender equality idea taking root. The goals also include the analysis of the essence of gender equality as an inseparable component of political and civil rights and of various gender relations, roles and statuses	political factors shaping gender relations, discusses women's movement as a driving force for gender equality and gender criteria of political participation, and addresses some key issues of gender culture			
76	BEIJING IN MY LIFE 10 YEARS LATER	UNIFEM	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Naira Aghabekyan, Susanna Martirossian et al.	2005	Armenian	To interview Armenian participants of the Beijing Conference with a view to assessing the progress attained in the ensuing years	The publication contains interviews with 8 members of the Government delegation and 14 participants from the NGO sector. The interviewed women discuss women's and gender issues in Armenia, assess progress achieved in the implementation of the BPfA and address the problems that have yet to be solved		Published	Cross-cutting

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77	ARMENIAN WOMEN IN A CHANGING WORLD		Armenian International Women's Association (AIWA)	Lucia Ter Petrossian, Mary Bbateson, Emma Aghayan, Lily Balian, Odette Bazil, Heranush Hagopian, Narine Sahakian, Kohar Yenokian, Rita Balian, nancy Sweezy et al.	1995	English	To present and discuss multiple problems and challenges faced by Armenian women in Armenia and Diaspora	Papers presented at the 1st International Conference of the AIWA. The presenters focused on women's gaining power and influence in government and business, on women's entrepreneurship and joint ventures, on collaborative programs, on women's changing social and political roles, on Armenian women's rights movement, on rethinking Armenian culture, on political, cultural and social effects of independence on women, etc.		Published	Changing social roles; women's movement; women's entrepreneurship; cross-cutting
78	THE COUNTRY GENDER ASSESSMENT (ARMENIA)	Asian Development Bank (ADB)/	Asian Development Bank (ADB)/	Elisabeth Duban, International Consultant, ADB	2013	English	To support the ADB Country Partnership Strategy for 2014-2018	The Country Gender Assessment provided entry points and opportunities for gender mainstreaming into ADB activities relevant to the sectors where ADB anticipates projects under the Country Partnership Strategy for 2014-2018.		To be published	Gender assessment

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79	NO PRIDE IN SILENCE, COUNTERING VIOLENCE IN THE FAMILY IN ARMENIA	Amnesty International	Amnesty International		2008	Armenian, English	To provide recommendations (based on the study findings) to the Armenian Government as to how combat VAW more effectively The research further reveals the predominance of social attitudes in Armenia accepting, and even vindicating, violence against women.	Addresses multiple forms of gender-based violence, including the violence against women perpetrated by husbands, other intimate partners or other family members (domestic violence), sexual violence perpetrated within the family context and the sexual harassment of women in the workplace. A study based on interviews with Armenian NGOs, academics, media outlets, government officials, police, legal specialists and medical workers. Fieldwork was conducted in Yerevan, Gyumri and Martuni (Gegharkunik region)	http://www.amnesty.org/en/news-and-updates/report/no-pride-silence-domestic-sexualviolence-against-women-armenia-20081113	Published	GBV
80	PREVALENCE OF TOLERANCE AMONG ARMENIAN YOUTH (ANALYSIS OF SOCIOLOGICAL SURVEY DATA)		AREG (Youth Association for Science & Culture) NGO		2006	Armenian, English	To identify an extent to which the youth in Armenia is tolerant and to examine various aspects of the issue	Quantitative study. The survey was conducted in Yerevan and in three regions (Aragatsotn, Lori and Syunik). The sample was composed of 400 young men and women aged 16-30 (women constituted 52% and men 48% of		Not published	Gender tolerance

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								the respondents). The study has a gender component (“gender tolerance”).			
81	RAPID ASSESSMENT AND RESPONSE ANALYSIS “POLICY AND SERVICES SUPPORTING WOMEN ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT IN LORIMARZ (12 COMMUNITIES)”	European Union	Armenian Young Women’s Association (AYWA) NGO		2014	Armenian, English	To identify the factors preventing women’s social and economic empowerment	The research was conducted in 12 communities of Lori region (in 8 urban (Vanadzor, Spitak, Stepanavan, Tashir, Alaverdi, Akhtala, Shamlugh, Tumanyan) and 4 rural (Mestavan, Odzun, Akori, Shnogh) communities) through rapid assessment methodology and addressed to identify means of contributing to women economic empowerment and social economic development inclusion.		To be published	Social and economic empowerment of women

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82	“WOMEN ENGAGEMENT IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN ARMENIA: ASSESSING CURRENT TRENDS AND ELABORATING STRATEGIES”	UNDP	Caucasus Institute		2011	English	To identify and analyze past and current trends, the particular types of individuals who are more likely to engage, and the situations that make women’s engagement in local communities	N/A	N/A	Not published	Political participation
83	WOMEN IN LOCAL ADMINISTRATION IN ARMENIA	UNDP	Caucasus Institute	Hrant Mikaelyan	2011	English	The aim of the study was to assess the extent of women’s involvement in local administration, to identify existing incentives and obstacles, and to understand public perceptions of the role of women in governance.	A database of local elections that took place in Armenia since 2005 was established. Field work in the rural communities consisted of over 90 semi-structured interviews and 10 focus-groups. Also a desk research, analyzing data from other countries and other studies was conducted.	http://ci.am/wp-content/uploads/2012-Women-in-local-administration_eng.pdf	Not published	Political participation
84	A GENDER ANALYSIS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION DEVELOPMENTAL AID FOR ARMENIA	European Union	Center for the development of civil society(CDCS) NGO		2008	English	N/A	N/A	N/A	Published	General

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85	WOMEN IN ARMENIA: PEACE, SECURITY AND DEMOCRACY FROM A WOMEN'S RIGHTS PERSPECTIVE	European Union, the Austrian Development Agency	CARE International in Caucasus and CARE Austria.	Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Human Rights/ Sabine Mandl	2011	English	The aim of this desk research is to underpin the advocacy work of the "Strengthening Women's Capacity for Peace-building in the South Caucasus Region"	It provides an analysis of women's role in conflict situations, their participation in peace-building activities and the focus on the situation of women in the newly established political system of Armenia. Special attention is also put on "domestic violence" as an expression of severe women's rights violation and strong oppression by men against women.	http://bim.lbg.ac.at/sites/files/bim/Women%20in%20Armenia_Peace_Security_Democracy_0.pdf	Not published	Peace building
86	AWARENESS OF AND ATTITUDES TOWARDS WOMEN'S POLITICAL PARTICIPATION AND WOMEN'S RIGHTS	CARE	HCA-Armenia	Artak Ayunts, sociologist	2012	Armenian, English	To reveal men's perception on strengthening women's capacity for peacebuilding in four war affected communities in Armenia	In order to convey the base line survey on the attitudes of men towards empowerment and participation of women in Goris, Kornidzor, Khachik and Sisian communities aimed at peacebuilding two research tools will be applied: focus-group discussions with groups of men (10-12 persons in each) and standardized questionnaire filled in by focus group respondents		Not published	Peace building

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								individually after the discussions.			
87	GENDER RELATION IN CONFLICT AFFECTED COMMUNITIES IN ARMENIA	CARE	HCA-Armenia	Brigitta Bode,Anthony Foreman, KhatunaMaduras hvili, Natalia Martirosyan, Khatoun Atikyan, Armen Ohanyan, Armen Mkrtchayn	2011	English	To identify gender-specific local development needs;	The participatory research carried out in Goris and Kornidzor communities consisted of several dimensions: economic, political and social. The research teams conducted analysis around socio-economic differentiation, engaged various state and non-state actors in discussions around governance, and explored changes in gender norms and trends over time. Each exercise was designed, planned and practiced with the researchers from CARE HCA-Armenia and women activists from the communities.		Not published	Women and Peace-building

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88	WOMEN'S ECONOMIC RIGHTS AND OPPORTUNITIES IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	CARE	HCA-Armenia	Jina Sargizova	2012	Armenian, English	To present and describe current situation in the terms of opportunities and obstacles for economic improvement of women in Armenia	Desk research on the key areas of legislation, policy or national action plans that have an influence on the problems identified; mapped out national-level processes that could influence these policy areas		Not published	SERW
89	INVESTIGATING HIV-PROTECTIVE BEHAVIORS AMONG ARMENIAN FEMALE SEX WORKERS: CONSISTENT REFUSAL OF UNPROTECTED SEX	Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Karine Markosyan, Delia L. Lang, Ralph J. DiClemente	2012	English	to understand the potential risks of a future HIV epidemic in the country.	This cross-sectional study assessed the prevalence and correlates of consistent refusal of unprotected sex among female sex workers (FSWs) in Armenia. One hundred and eighteen street-based FSWs between the ages of 20 and 52 completed a questionnaire assessing FSWs' demographic, psychosocial and behavioral characteristics.	http://www.crrc.am/hosting/file/statistic_content/fellows/fellowship12/Final%20Paper_Karine%20Markosyan.pdf	Not published	Health

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90	DETERMINING FACTORS INFLUENCING THE FEMALE LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION IN THE SOUTH CAUCASUS	Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Tatevik Zohrabyan	2012	English	To provide an empirical evidence of the socioeconomic determinants influencing the female labor force participation in Armenia, Azerbaijan, and Georgia.	The objective is accomplished by estimating a binary logit model (i.e., logit model) using data collected by the regional offices of the Caucasus Research Resource Center (CRRC) within the framework of the Caucasus Barometer program for 2010 (CRRC, 2010).	http://www.crrc.am/hosting/file/statistic_content/fellows/fellowship12/Final%20Paper%201_Tatevik%20Zohrabyan.pdf	Not published	Economic Empowerment
91	EXAMINING FACTORS IMPACTING FEMALE ATTITUDES TOWARD HAVING A JOB IN THE SOUTH CAUCASUS	Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Tatevik Zohrabyan	2012	English	The study deals with female perception regarding the right to a job when jobs are scarce in Armenia, Azerbaijan, and Georgia. It attempts to answer the following research question: “What are the socio-economic factors impacting female perception that men should have more right to a job when there is job scarcity in Armenia, Azerbaijan, and Georgia?”	The objective is accomplished by estimating a binary logit model (i.e., logit model) using data collected by the regional offices of the Caucasus Research Resource Center (CRRC) within the framework of the Caucasus Barometer program for 2010 (CRRC, 2010).	http://www.crrc.am/hosting/file/statistic_content/fellows/fellowship12/Final%20Paper%202_Tatevik%20Zohrabyan.pdf	Not published	Economic Empowerment

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92	KILLER SEAT BELTS, FEMININE DRIVERS AND TINTED WINDOWS: PITFALLS ON THE WAY OF ENFORCEMENT OF SEAT BELT RULES IN ARMENIA	Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Tigran Matosyan	2009	English	to reveal dominant societal attitudes toward the practice of wearing seat belt		http://www.crrc.am/hosting/file/ static_content/fellows/fellowship08/Killer%20Seat%20Belts%2C%20Feminine%20Drivers%20and%20Tinted%20Windows%20Pitfalls%20on%20the%20Way%20of%20Enforcement%20of%20Seat%20Belt%20Rules%20in%20Armenia.pdf	Not published	stereotypes
93	LACK OF ADULT MALE ROLE MODELS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS OF ARMENIA AND ITS IMPACT ON ARMENIAN MALE TEENAGERS' CONCEPTUALIZATIONS OF MASCULINITIE	Eurasia Foundtaion/ Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Mariam Martirosyan	2008	English	To provide evidence that the combined influence of male absence at school and at home results in misconstructions of male gender values and wrong behavior in male adolescents.	This project addresses the probable influence of adult male under-representation in secondary schools of the Republic of Armenia with reference to its possible effects on the development of male teenagers' perceptions on gender roles and associated values,	http://www.crrc.am/hosting/file/ static_content/fellowship07/M%20Martirosyan/finalpaper_Mariam.pdf	Not published	Masculinity

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94	GENDER INDICATORS OF ARMENIAN LOCAL GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONS (LGIS)	Eurasia Foundtaion/ Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Armine Mkhitarian, Lilit Zakaryan	2006	Armenian	The goal was to design gender indicators for bodies of local self-government (LGs). Objectives were to ascertain a degree of women's involvement in LGs, to clarify motives for candidates to be nominated, to study public expectations from the operation of LGs as well as attitudes towards women's political participation, to describe electoral preferences of men and women and to draw comparisons between urban and rural areas, between the capital city and between regions (the study covered Yerevan and regions of Gegharkunik, Armavir, Tavush and Kotayk) and to submit recommendations to all parties concerned.	The study focused on the analysis of issues of equal representation of both sexes in LGs as entities of primary democracy. The study includes analysis of domestic and international legislation, interviews with women nominated or elected to LGs , results of focus groups of women and men in rural communities and analysis of statistical data as well as recommendations for eliminating gender inequality.	http://www.crcc.am/hosting/file/ statistic_content/fellows/fellowship06/A%20MkhitarianAnalytical Report Armine Mkhitarian June%2008%2C%202008.doc	Not published	Political Participation

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95	GENDER ISSUES OF THE PENSION SYSTEM OF THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	Eurasia Foundtaion/ Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Gyulnara Hovhannisyanyan, Narineh Mkhitarian, Narineh Davtyan	2007	Armenian	To make an analysis and to give recommendations regarding gender aspects of the upcoming pension reform in the Republic of Armenia .	A study was conducted and recommendations were formulated regarding gender aspects of the upcoming pension reform in the Republic of Armenia	http://www.crrc.am/hosting/file/_static_content/fellows/fellowship06/G%20Hovhannisyanyan/Final%20Report_9_07.pdf	The study findings were published in Gyulnara Hovhannisyanyan's book "Gender Issues of the RoA Pension System "	Social
96	THE CHALLENGES OF WOMEN IN ARMENIA'S EMPLOYMENT SECTOR	Eurasia Foundtaion/ Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Anahit Mkrtchyan	2006	Armenian	to analyze the situation and to make recommendations to appropriate structures to overcome the problem of women unemployment and to promote political activity	quantitative analyses	http://www.crrc.am/hosting/file/_static_content/fellows/fellowship05/A%20Mkrtchyan/Article.pdf	Not published	Economic empowerment
97	GENDER ISSUES OF CONTEMPORARY ARMENIA	Eurasia Foundtaion/ Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Gohar Shahnazaryan	2005	Armenian	To analyze women participation in different social institutes and to implement gender analyses of political, socio-economic and cuotural processes in contemporary Armenia.		http://www.crrc.am/hosting/file/_static_content/fellows/fellowship05/G%20Shahnazaryan/Gender%20Issues%20in%20Contemporary%20Armenia.pdf	Not published	General

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98	ARMENIAN FAMILIES IN TRANSITION: ANTHROPOLOGICAL AND CULTURAL PERSPECTIVES	Eurasia Foundtaion	CRRC	Dr. Mkhitar Gabrielyan	2005	Armenian	the study is dedicated to the analyses of the changes and developments observable in the Armenian families in transition	a wide range if ethnographical materials collected in all regions of Armenia served as a basis for unveiling the political, economic , social and cultural factors important for the changes inside the Armenian family.	http://www.crrc.am/hosting/file/ static_content/fellows/fellowship05/M%20Gabrielyan/Armenian%20Family%20in%20Transition.pdf	Published	???
99	THE INFLUENCE OF ARMENIAN SOAP OPERAS (TV SERIALS) ON THE FORMATION OF THE SOCIAL ATTITUDES OF TEENAGERS	Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Anahit Menemshan, Zaruhi Sargsyan	2012	Armenian	to find out the positive and negative influence of Armenian Soap Operas on the teenagers' social behavior.	the data provided by the National Statistical Service of the Republic of Armenia as well as the data collected from surveys carried out among the teenagers all over the republic was used for the study . The authors have studied the most popular TV series with different thematic focus, such as army, family, school etc, trying to reveal the messages they conveyed and attitudes of these soap opera fans towards different aspects of social life. The results of the study indicate that unlike the widespread belief of western	n/a	Not published	???

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								scholars that media product embodies values of society, in Armenia it was found that negative values represented in the TV series don't form negative social attitude.			
100	PERCEIVED ROLE OF ARMENIAN WOMEN IN SOCIETY: ATTITUDES TOWARDS THEIR POLITICAL PARTICIPATION	Carnegie Corporation of New York	CRRC	Anahit Poghosyan	2012	???	the Study aimed at discovering the obstacles towards the promotion of democracy and equal opportunities in Armenia.	main findings show that the respondents generally believe that women should have equal opportunities of political participation. At the same time the findings reveal the general sentiments on Armenian women's traditional role within the family.	N/A	Not published	general
101	WOMEN IN LABOUR MARKET IN ARMENIA	World Bank	CRRC		2013	English	Qualitative Three thematic areas are addressed: 1. barriers to labor markets and entrepreneurship opportunities, 2. skills mismatch, 3. impacts of labor market and social assistance policies	Final report (coming soon).	http://www.crcc.am/research-and-surveys/completed-projects/missing-girls-in-South-Caucasus?lang=en	Not published	Economic empowerment

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102	MISSING WOMEN IN THE SOUTH CAUCASUS	World Bank	CRRC		2014	English	to explore the son preference and sex selective abortions in Armenia	Final report (coming soon).	http://www.crrc.am/research-and-surveys/completed-projects/missing-girls-in-South-Caucasus?lang=en	Not published	Health
103	MISSING GIRLS IN THE SOUTH CAUCASUS	World Bank	CRRC		2013	English	Literature review and desk study aimed at deep analysis on gender imbalances in the region.	Final report (coming soon).	http://www.crrc.am/research-and-surveys/completed-projects/missing-girls-in-South-Caucasus?lang=en	Not published	Health
104	GENDER DIVERSITY IN ARMENIAN FINANCIAL COMPANIES		CRRC/ Corporate Management Center.		2014	Armenian	To study gender diversity in the Armenian private sector and financial sphere.	The research findings came to prove that having women in senior positions is not common for most of the companies, whereas women who were interviewed reported of a “glass ceiling” stereotype for their advancement.	PP presentation http://www.crrc.am/search/?module=article&utility=show_article&id_article=420	Not published	Economic empowerment

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105	STUDY ON GENDER PROFILES OF THE EASTERN PARTNERSHIP COUNTRIES: ARMENIA	European Commission	AETS/apave	Gohar Shahnazaryan, Iskui Mkrtychyan	2013	English	To analyze the situation on the sectors of public administration, justice reform, and the development of private sector	base on the desk review and feedback from the field, some recommendations for the government, international and CSOs have been developed.	no	Not published	general
106	MAINSTREAMING GENDER IN THE EU ASSISTANCE AND SUPPORT TO GENDER AP IN ARMENIA. GENDER MAINSTREAMING TOOLKIT.	European Union Delegation to Armenia	IBF/ Belgium, TH Consult/ GB	Jina Sargizova, Tamara Hovnatanyan	2014	English	The study provided a comprehensive understanding of what gender mainstreaming is and a detailed guidance on how gender can be mainstreamed into EU assistance in Armenia and reflected in the Gender AP.	The study provided a toolkit for gender mainstreaming to better integrate a gender perspective into all areas of EU assistance as well as policy and decision-making. The toolkit contain Sector Briefs that are designed to highlight the main issues and links between gender and a specific policy area (as prioritized by the SSF).	Delegation of the European Union to Armenia	Not published	Gender mainstreaming in Politics/Public Administration, Justice/Rule of Law, Private Sector Development, Migration
107	GENDER RELATIONS AND FOOD SECURITY	CS BSC	HCA-Armenia	Natalia Martirosyan	2014	Armenian, English	To identify the socio-economic opportunities of women throughout food security dimensions	Desk Research and Literature Review of national/international legislation and domestic policies, quantitative data analysis related with gender issues and		Not published	SERW

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								food security			
108	CURRENT FORMAT OF NEGOTIATIONS OVER NAGORNO-KARABAKH CONFLICT: PERSPECTIVES FROM ARMENIA AND NAGORNO-KARABAKH		HCA-Armenia	Artak Ayunts, sociologist	2013	English	To gather information on public perceptions and expectations towards the settlement of Nagorno-Karabakh conflict based on Madrid Principles	In order to achieve the goal and objectives of the research several groups of beneficiaries among representatives of different social groups of Armenian and NK societies and civil society experts were identified. Focus group discussions were carried out with five different interest groups in Armenia and Nagorno-Karabakh: refugees, people living in border region, NGO leaders, journalists, youth (including students), and women.		Not published	PB,1325
109	GENDER RELATION IN RURAL HOUSEHOLDS		HCA-Armenia	Sisian Women Initiative Group: Naira Hayrapetyan, Lilit Enokyan, Argine Saakyan	2013	Armenian, Russian	To identify the main problems, opportunities and obstacles for economic improvement of rural women	Face to face meetings/non formal talks/interviews conducted with 16 women in 4 selected rural communities (Tolors, Akhlatyan, Torunik and Ishkhanasar) on the gender issues at household level, particularly on		Not published	SERW

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								decision making process, sharing responsibilities, family budget structure as well as barriers for personal growth and development.			
110	AWARENESS OF AND ATTITUDES TOWARDS WOMEN'S POLITICAL PARTICIPATION AND WOMEN'S RIGHTS.		HCA-Armenia	Natalia Martirosyan and Khatoun Atikyan, local activists: Anna Alexanyan, Svetlana Karapetyan, Naira Hayrapetyan, Srбуhi Sagsyan	2010	Armenian, English, Russian	To promote women participation in conflict resolution and peacebuilding in South Caucasus.	To mark the 10th anniversary of UN Security Council Resolution 1325, CARE in the Caucasus together with NGO partners across the South Caucasus (HCA in Armenia) polled 394 people in 24 communities. In Armenia polling covered 78 men and women of different ages and educational background in Yerevan, Goris, Sisian, Kornidzor and Khachik		Not published	Women and Peacebuilding
111	"ICPD BEYOND 2014"SEE ALSO "COUNTRY IMPLEMENTATION PROFILE"	UNFPA	ICHD		2013	English	To evaluate progress in the implementation of the ICPD Program of Action	Consultative and focus group meetings with competent State bodies, CSO and private companies were held and a desk review of regulatory and conceptual documents was conducted. The survey focused on population	http://ichd.org/?laid=1&com=module&module=menu&id=8 ; http://icpdbeyond2014.org/documents/download.php?file=FIN	Published	Cross-cutting

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								and sustainable development, population growth and structure, reproductive health and reproductive rights, gender equality and empowerment of women	AL_Armenia.pdf#sthash.GuAsQCfy.dpu_f		
112	WOMEN'S STATUS AND ROLE IN THE ARMENIAN SOCIETY	German Government	ICHD		2000	Armenian	To examine the current status and roles of women in the Armenian society	Quantitative study based on a survey of 500 women in Gyumri probing their attitudes to women's issues, changing roles of women, discrimination against women, the main problems faced by them, their value orientations, willingness to obtain new qualifications, expectations for the future, etc.	http://ichd.org/?laid=1&com=module&module=menu&id=8&page=7&dateDay=&dateMonth=&dateYear=	Published	Women's roles; discrimination against women; women's rights
113	WOMEN DISPLACED FROM SYRIASEEKING SAFE HAVEN IN ARMENIA:A SNAPSHOT OF THEIR SITUATION AND THE PROTECTION CHALLENGES	UNHCR	ICHD	Artak Saghatelyan	2013	English	To identify root causes of sexual and GBV in the displaced Syrian community; to reveal sexual and GBV experiences of displaced women from Syria and to identify their perceptions of and attitudes towards	The quantitative study findings were obtained through standard questionnaire-based face-to-face interviews of 200 female respondents aged 18 and above. Qualitative study findings were obtained through 4 focus group discussions were held	http://ichd.org/?laid=1&com=module&module=static&id=945	Published	GBV and DV

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	FACED						sexual and GBV, etc.	with 48 girls/women from Syrian refugee community. The focus of the qualitative and quantitative studies was primarily on prevalence of sexual and GBV (including DV) and respondents attitudes towards manifestations of GBV and DV.			
114	GENDER EQUALITY IN THE FRONLINE OF CHALLENGES FOR SOVEREIGNTY OF THE PEOPLE OF ARMENIA	UNFPA	ICHD		2013	English	To discuss why gender equality ideas came under attack	ICHD Policy Brief contends that gender equality came under attack as a part of a strategy of political manipulations aimed at diverting the Armenian society from the European direction	http://ichd.org/?laid=1&com=module&module=static&id=924	Published	Anti-gender campaign
115	EXPANDING OPPORTUNITIES FOR WOMEN TO SERVE IN DEFENSE SECTOR	UNFPA	ICHD		2014	English	To discuss opportunities for women's service in defense service in Armenia	ICHD Policy Brief discusses the demand in the defense sector for diversity of skills and competencies and women's potential for and opportunities in that sector	http://ichd.org/?laid=1&com=module&module=static&id=1044	Published	Women in armed forces
116	PERCEPTIONS ABOUT MILITARY SERVICE OF WOMEN IN ARMENIA	UNFPA	ICHD		2014	English	To probe the female military personnel's, high school students' and their parents' perceptions related	ICHD Policy Brief presents findings of in-depth interviews with the said 3 groups and their diverse views on the prospects	http://ichd.org/?laid=1&com=module&module=static&id=1043	Published	Women in armed forces

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							to military service of women in Armenia	for and , desirability of women's military service and the factors that have an impact.			
117	POLICY ISSUES REGARDING THE MILITARY SERVICE OF WOMEN IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	BSPN	ICHD		2014	English	To discuss some policy issues regarding military service of women in Armenia	ICHD Policy Brief regards those issues in the international context, looks at the regulatory framework and addresses what it believes to be the most important issues in a mid-term perspective	http://ichd.org/?laid=1&com=module&module=static&id=1026	Published	Women in armed forces
118	REPORT ON HOUSEHOLD SURVEY ON MIGRATION IN ARMENIA	IOM	NSS/ Russian-Armenian (Slavonic) University (RAU).		2014	Armenian, English	The survey addresses not only internal and external movements, scopes of immigration and emigration and return, but also the migrants' savings and remittances and migration's development effect on population and households.	This survey is the most comprehensive specialized survey on migration in Armenia. It captures 7,890 households, providing data on the national level and at the level of administrative units of Armenia.	http://publications.iom.int/bookstore/index.php?main_page=product_info&cPath=41_7&products_id=1400(1401Armenian)	Published	Cross cutting

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119	TRAFFICKING OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN FROM THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA: A STUDY	Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands, UNICEF and OSCE	IOM		2001	English	To contribute to the prevention of trafficking in migrants from and via Armenia by offering reliable information on the nature and incidence of the problem.	The research was conducted through structured interviews with returning trafficked women, in-depth case studies of victims and traffickers, observations, and semi-structured interviews with key informants. In addition, the research made use of a literature review of secondary sources and analysis of existing legislation. The study looks at the nature and incidence of the problem in Armenia, describes and analyses the legislation in place, and provides recommendations relating to awareness-raising, prosecution of traffickers, protection and assistance to victims, further research and economic development.	http://publications.iom.int/bookstore/index.php?main_page=product_info&cPath=41_7&products_id=1235	Not published	Trafficking

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120	LABOUR MARKET TRANSITIONS OF YOUNG WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA	ILO	ILO	Nicolas Serrière	2014	English	With a view to designing effective policy and programme initiatives to conduct a survey to get detailed information on: • what young people expect in terms of transition paths and quality of work; • what employers expect in terms of young applicants; • what issues prevent the two sides – supply and demand – from matching; and • what policies and programmes can have a real impact	School-to work transition survey (Quantitative research) The SWTS sample framework was divided into 48 strata, including 12 communities of the city of Yerevan. The final sample size totalled 3,216 young people, (aged 15-29).	http://www.un.am/up/library/Labor%20Market_Armenia_eng.pdf	Published	Economic rights
121	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IN ARMENIA		Minnesota Advocates for Human Rights	B. Cooper, E. Duban & R. Phillips	2000	English	To identify the scope and scale of DV in Armenia	Desk Review, Interviews with legal community, medical community, NGOs, government and other officials.	Info about the publication on the WRC website http://www.wrcorg.am/en/publications.htm	Published	GBV

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122	SERVICES PROVIDED TO FEMALE VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	USAID	National Institute of Labor & Social Researches SNTO		2013	Armenian, English	To contribute to the improvement and strengthening of services provided to female victims of violence; To contribute to the most effective organization of service provision to women subjected to gender-based violence	The study included desk review of relevant international and domestic legal instruments, analysis of the State policies and programs aimed to prevent domestic violence and of the available resources, interviews with experts and mapping of services that are provided to victims		Published	VAW
123	NECESSITY AND MAIN AREAS OF GENDER MAINSTREAMING OF THE ROA POVERTY REDUCTION STRATEGIC PROGRAM	UNDP	National Institute of Labor & Social Researches SNTO		2008	Armenian	Propose additional gender indices for the PRSP monitoring	Situation analysis of health, education, social assistance, employment & labor market, and pension system sectors, sustainable economic and social development, public administration and judicial system reform, culture and youth policies		Published	General , cross-cutting
124	GENDER ANALYSIS OF MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT CHALLENGES	UNDP	National Institute of Labor & Social Researches SNTO		2008	Armenian	Analysis of gender situation in the RoA and specifics of Armenia taking into consideration the attainment of MDGs	Gender analysis of labor market and employment sector issues (economic activity, unemployment, rural women, wages, time use), education sector (including access to education and	http://www.nilsr.am/files/lib/Hayeren_grak.pdf	Published	General , cross-cutting

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								opportunities for women's engagement in education system administration, economic inequality and poverty, health sector, violence, gender equality and empowerment of women			
125	GENDER ANALYSIS OF THE NSS "WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA" 2008" STATISTICAL BOOKLET	UNDP	National Institute of Labor & Social Researches SNTO		2008	Armenian, English	Gender analysis of the NSS "Women and Men in Armenia" 2008" publication	To conduct a gender analysis of the statistical data in the NSS "Women and Men in Armenia 2008" pertaining to population, health, social security and social protection, family and household, education and science, culture and sport, employment and unemployment, time use, criminal offences, governance and influence sectors	http://www.nilsr.am/files/lib/Hayeren_grak.pdf	Published	Gender statistics
126	GENDER BUDGET IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	UNDP	National Institute of Labor & Social Researches SNTO		2008	Armenian	To design methodology for gender analysis of State budget	Methodology was designed for gender analysis of State budget. The methodology was then used as a basis for the 2008-2009 Ministry of Labor & Social Issues budget planning process. For the first		Published	General , cross-cutting

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								time the impact of the Ministry budget on individual social groups and sexes was presented			
127	GENDER-SENSITIVE AND SEX-DISAGGREGATED INDICATORS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM MONITORING	World Bank	National Institute of Labor & Social Researches SNTO		2011	Armenian, English	To design gender-sensitive and sex-disaggregated indicators for the National Statistical Service to use in collection of statistical data	Gender-sensitive and sex-disaggregated indicators were designed for economy, labor and social sectors, education and science, health and agriculture.		Published	General , cross-cutting
128	STUDY OF CAUSES OF UNDER-REPRESENTATION OF WOMEN IN DECISION-MAKING	UNDP	National Institute of Labor & Social Researches SNTO		2008	Armenian	To identify root causes of women's underrepresentation in decision-making in the RoA legislative, executive and judicial branches of government and in bodies of local self-government, to examine factors impeding women's advancement, to give recommendations promoting gender balance in decision-making	Quantitative survey - nationwide - 1,300 respondents To assess opportunities for professional and political advancement of women, analysis of obstacles to women's participation in political decision-making, public perception of discrimination against women, analysis of gender stereotypes in political mythology and in women's behavioral models. Recommendations were made concerning	http://www.nilsr.am/files/lib/Hayeren_grak.pdf	Published	women in decision-making

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								mechanisms for eliminating obstacles to women's participation in decision-making			
129	ARMENIA DEMOGRAPHIC AND HEALTH SURVEY	DHS	DHS/NSS Armenia	N/A	2000	Armenian, English	The Armenia Demographic and Health Survey (ADHS) was a nationally representative sample survey designed to provide information on population and health issues in Armenia. The primary goal of the survey was to develop a single integrated set of demographic and health data, the first such data set pertaining to the population of the Republic of Armenia. In addition to integrating measures of reproductive, child,	The target sample size of 6,500 completed interviews with women age 15-49 was allocated as follows: 1,500 to Yerevan and 500 to each of the ten marzes. Within each marz, the sample was allocated between urban and rural areas in proportion to the population size. This gave a target sample of approximately 2,300 completed interviews for urban areas exclusive of Yerevan and 2,700 completed interviews for the rural sector. Interviews were completed with 6,430 women. Men age 15-54 were interviewed in every third household; this yielded 1,719	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=9&id=454	Published	Cross cutting

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							and adult health, another feature of the DHS survey is that the majority of data are presented at the marz level.	completed interviews.			
130	ARMENIA DEMOGRAPHIC AND HEALTH SURVEY	DHS	DHS/NSS Armenia	N/A	2005	Armenian, English	The Armenia Demographic and Health Survey (ADHS) was a nationally representative sample survey designed to provide information on population and health issues in Armenia. The primary goal of the survey was to develop a single integrated set of demographic and health data, the first such data set pertaining to the population of the Republic of Armenia. In addition to	The target sample size of 6,500 completed interviews with women age 15-49 was allocated as follows: 1,500 to Yerevan and 500 to each of the ten marzes. Within each marz, the sample was allocated between urban and rural areas in proportion to the population size. This gave a target sample of approximately 2,300 completed interviews for urban areas exclusive of Yerevan and 2,700 completed interviews for the rural sector. Interviews were completed with 6,430 women. Men age 15-	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publications&mid=9&id=288	Published	Cross cutting

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							integrating measures of reproductive, child, and adult health, another feature of the DHS survey is that the majority of data are presented at the marz level.	54 were interviewed in every third household; this yielded 1,719 completed interviews.			
131	ARMENIA DEMOGRAPHIC AND HEALTH SURVEY	DHS	DHS/NSS Armenia	N/A	2010	Armenian, English	The Armenia Demographic and Health Survey (ADHS) was a nationally representative sample survey designed to provide information on population and health issues in Armenia. The primary goal of the survey was to develop a single integrated set of demographic and health data, the first such data set pertaining to the population of the Republic of Armenia. In addition to	The target sample size of 6,500 completed interviews with women age 15-49 was allocated as follows: 1,500 to Yerevan and 500 to each of the ten marzes. Within each marz, the sample was allocated between urban and rural areas in proportion to the population size. This gave a target sample of approximately 2,300 completed interviews for urban areas exclusive of Yerevan and 2,700 completed interviews for the rural sector. Interviews were completed with 6,430 women. Men age 15-	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publications&mid=9&id=1338	Published	Cross cutting

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							integrating measures of reproductive, child, and adult health, another feature of the DHS survey is that the majority of data are presented at the marz level.	54 were interviewed in every third household; this yielded 1,719 completed interviews.			
132	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet		NSS Armenia	N/A	1999	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publications&mid=6&id=82	Published	General
133	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	UNDP	NSS Armenia	N/A	2004	Armenian	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publications&mid=6&id=311	Published	General

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134	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	UNDP	NSS Armenia	N/A	2006	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=6&id=235	Published	General
135	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	GoA	NSS Armenia	N/A	2007	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=6&id=619	Published	General
136	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	GoA	NSS Armenia	N/A	2008	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=6&id=800	Published	General

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137	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	GoA	NSS Armenia	N/A	2009	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=6&id=1094	Published	General
138	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	GoA	NSS Armenia	N/A	2010	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=6&id=1188	Published	General
139	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	GoA	NSS Armenia	N/A	2011	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=6&id=1273	Published	General

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140	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	GoA	NSS Armenia	N/A	2012	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=6&id=1380	Published	General
141	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	GoA	NSS Armenia	N/A	2013	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=6&id=1487	Published	General
142	WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA,Statistical booklet	GoA	NSS Armenia	N/A	2014	Armenian, English	to collect statistics disaggregated by sex	Areas covered are:Demography, Health, Social Security and Social Protection, Family and Household, Education and Science, Culture, Sport, Work and Governance and InfluenceUnemployment,Time Use, Crime	http://www.armstat.am/en/?module=publication&mid=6&id=1601	Published	General

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143	WOMAN'S IMAGE IN ADVERTISING IN ARMENIA	OSF	OSF	Lilit Grigoryan, Maneh Adamyan, Arevik Ghulumyan	2012	Armenian	To study how gender relations (and, in particular, women) are portrayed in advertisement in Armenia, whether the trends are in line with the international ones that researchers focus on, and what local specifics there is in portrayal of women	The research team studied and analyzed advertisements on present-day Armenian TV and in magazines	http://www.osf.am/wp-content/uploads/2013/12/Advertising_research.pdf	Published	Gender roles
144	GENDER ROLES IN THE ROA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEXTBOOKS	OSF	OSF	Ruzanna Tsaturyan	2013	Armenian	To identify the female and male social roles and qualities in the RoA elementary school textbooks and to present the specifics of and main ways for transferring those images and qualities	The study focuses primarily on gender roles presented in the Republic of Armenia elementary school textbooks (grades 1-4)	http://www.osf.am/wp-content/uploads/2014/01/Gender_roles_in_primary_school_textbooks-2012.pdf	Published	Gender roles
145	GENDER DISCOURSE AND PROSPECTS FOR GENDER POLICIES IN ARMENIA	OSF	OSF	Alina Poghosyan	2012	Armenian	To formulate recommendations concerning the gender policy discourse context in Armenia	The analysis is grounded in the study of the main gender discourses existing in Armenia and of the opportunities that they propose for solving the problems. The study findings are drawn from a desk	http://www.osf.am/wp-content/uploads/2013/12/Policy-Paper_alina-Poghosyan.pdf	Published	Gender policy

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								review of relevant documents, 8 focus groups conducted in Yerevan and Gyumri and 20 in-depth interviews with experts. The author discusses in detail the Conservative, Nationalist, Western and Equality discourses as well as the likely prospects for the policies dealing with the gender discourse field in Armenia			
146	GENDER ISSUES IN THE ENVIRONMENT OF UNIVERSITY INSTRUCTORS, SCHOOL TEACHERS AND FUTURE EDUCATORS	OSF	OSF	Ruzanna Tsaturyan	2013	Armenian	To identify, explore and analyze gender perceptions of educational services providers and of university students (future educators) and of the likely impact on them of the educational environment	The study is based on the findings of the analysis of the gender dimensions of the educational environment	http://www.osf.am/wp-content/uploads/2014/01/Policy_paper_Ruzanna_Tsaturyan.pdf	Published	Gender roles
147	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN IN ARMAVIR REGION (REPORT ON	OSF	Development Center of Armavir NGO		2010	Armenian	To get a real picture of the scale of domestic violence against women in the Region of Armavir	Quantitative study - 302 women (in 18-70 age groups) were surveyed in the town of Armavir and 10 rural communities. The survey sought to		Published	DV

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	SURVEY RESULTS)							identify perceptions of DV, understanding of motives for DV, attitudes towards DV, incidents of DV, ways to decrease DV.			
148	THE ART OF BEING (RHYTHMS OF THE 20 TH CENTURY). VOL. 1	OSF	OSF	Hasmik Gevorgyan	2003	Armenian, Russian	To explore and present women's personal experiences of living through historical events and developments	Oral histories of 100 women		Published	Gender theory (?)
149	THE MOSAICS OF GENDER RELATIONS (STUDIES OF GENDER SOCIALIZATION; GENDER TOLERANCE AND GENDER IDENTITY)	OSF	OSF	Hasmik Gevorgyan	2011	Armenian	To explore some core gender issues, including gender socialization; gender tolerance and gender identity	Analysis of the data of 3 sociological studies: (a) "Specifics of gender socialization in Yerevan schools" (100 school teachers from 7 communities in Yerevan) - to study teachers' gender attitudes and stereotypes; (b) "Gender tolerance and gender division of roles in the Armenian society" (300 respondents from Yerevan, with equal number of men and women) - the study focused on the gender division of roles in the family and in workplace and its dynamic, and on		Published	Gender socialization; gender roles; gender tolerance

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								gender fears; (c) “Gender and ethnic identity” (300 respondents from Yerevan) with a focus on values, personality traits, etc.			
150	THE MOSAICS OF GENDER RELATIONS (STUDIES OF GENDER STIGMATIZATION AND OF GENDER BEHAVIORAL PATTERNS)	OSF	OSF	Hasmik Gevorgyan	2012	Armenian	To study gender stigmatization and gender behavioral patterns in present-day Armenia	Analysis of the data of the qualitative sociological study “Study of gender stigmatization and of gender behavioral patterns in the Armenian context”.		Published	Gender socialization; gender identity; gender stigmatization
151	GENDER ISSUES: PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS (METHODOLOGY FOR GENDER EDUCATION)	OSF	OSF	Hasmik Gevorgyan	2014	Armenian	To present core gender issues, perspectives, changing perceptions in Armenia	The book presents methodology of gender education and addresses a number of key gender issues, perspectives and perceptions		Published	Gender education
152	THE AGE OF NOTABLE WOMEN (PUBLIC ACTIVITIES OF ARMENIAN WOMEN IN THE 19TH C. AND IN THE EARLY 20TH C.)	OSF	OSF	Anahit Harutiunian	2005	Separate Armenian -, English- and Russian-language editions	To study civic activism of Armenian women in the 19 th -early 20 th centuries	Presentation of activities of individual women and of women's organizations in Western and Eastern Armenia that engaged in charity, education, women's rights and a number of other issues		Published	Women's movement; women's civic participation

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153	EXPLORING WOMEN'S RIGHTS AND FEMINIST MOVEMENT BUILDING IN ARMENIA: LEARNING FROM THE PAST AND STRATEGIZING FOR THE FUTURE	OSF	OSF	Alexandra Pittman	2012	English	To identify the current state of gender equality, women's rights, and feminist movement building in Armenia	Qualitative study based on desk reviews, site visits, 56 interviews and 3 focus groups (21 participants). The focus of the study is on tensions affecting civil society and feminist movement building, on landscape of women's rights and gender equality funding, on legal frameworks, GBV, women's economic power and political participation and on SRHR		Not published	Women's rights; women's movement
154	SOCIOLOGICAL STUDY ON GENDER ATTITUDES AND STEREOTYPES IN ARMENIA	OSF	Women's Support Center:	Maro Matosian, Perchuhy Kazhoyan, Gayane Harutyunyan	2013	English	To identify prevalent gender attitudes and beliefs as well as stereotypes	The findings of the survey, which was based on a standard questionnaire administered to 1,504 respondents (52% women and 48% men) from 6 cities and towns, focus primarily on gender perceptions, perceptions of DV, gender responsibilities, gender stereotypes and role models.		Published	Gender stereotypes ' gender attitudes

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155	COUNTRY VISIT: ARMENIA REPORT OF THE SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE OSCE CHAIRPERSON-IN-OFFICE ON GENDER ISSUES JUNE ZEITLIN SEPTEMBER 29 - OCTOBER 2, 2013	OSCE	OSCE	Chairperson-in-Office on Gender Issues June Zeitlin	2013	English	To examine and raise issues related to gender equality.	Analytical Brief, with focus on women's political participation, non-discrimination, violence against women, and women, peace and security.	http://www.osce.org/cio/110334?download=true	Published	Women's political participation, non-discrimination, VAW
156	WOMEN EMPOWERMENT AND COOPERATION IN ARMENIA WITH A FOCUS ON THE SYUNIK REGION	OSCE	OSCE	Birgitta Wistrand with the assistance of Armine Mkhitarian	2007	Armenian, English	To explore the issues of women in politics, nemployed women and womenin business.	This Assessment Report prepared for the OSCE Office in Yerevan is based on 40 interviews with MPs, NGO representatives and officials in Yerevan and in Syunik, desk review and focus groups. These activities aimed to formulate recommendations for future OSCE projects	http://www.osce.org/yerevan/29605	Published	Empowerment of women

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								to be able to more effectively support democracy-building and sustainable economic development in Armenia, with a focus on women empowerment and cooperation, especially in the Syunik region, by involving and increasing the number of women in the political and democratic decision-making process in general and as elected politicians and as active business women in particular			
157	WOMEN'S OPINION IN MASS-MEDIA. MONITORING OF NATIONAL NEWSPAPERS IN THE COUNTRIES OF SOUTH CAUCASUS AND CENTRAL ASIA/	OSCE ODIHR	Gender Media Caucasus (Georgia)	Galina Petriashvili, Tamara Hovnatanyan , Lilit Zakaryan, etc.	2005	English, Russian	Representation of female expert opinions in mass media. Overcoming stereotype-based approaches towards gender equality in the field of journalism;	Methods of research consisted of the monitoring of press with the content analysis of certain materials, interesting in terms of reproducing gender stereotypes, or conversely, rejecting universally accepted practices and clichés.	http://www.gmc.ge/images/02-03monitoring.html	Published	Gender journalism

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158	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SURVEY IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	OSCE Office in Yerevan	Proactive Society Human Rights NGO	Principal investigator Anna Margaryan	2011	Armenian, English	To evaluate prevalence of DV and the actual scale of the victimized population; to identify patterns of DV; to identify public perceptions of effectiveness of the police work in DV prevention; to identify trigger factors for DV; to provide recommendations for DV prevention	Quantitative study based on a survey of 2,695 respondents from Yerevan and 4 regions (with women constituting 58.3% and men 41.7% of the respondents).The questionnaire-based surveyed found what respondents thought was DV and its prevalence and dynamic, whether they were victims of DV, who the perpetrator was, whether the victim left home after DV, etc.	http://www.osce.org/yerevan/88229	Published	DV
159	ANALYSIS OF THE GENDER SITUATION IN KAPAN REGION OF ARMENIA	Oxfam /HOVIB	Kapan Farmers Union	Jina Sargizova	2008	Armenian, English	To assess the gender situation and perceptions of women's role in Kapan region	Qualitative survey, more than 100 respondents/participants of focus groups and in-depth interviews	n/a	Not published	general
160	GENDER MAINSTREAMING OF KAPAN SMALL FARMERS ASSOCIATION (KSFA)'S STRATEGIC PLAN FOR 2008-2013	Oxfam	Kapan Farmers Union	Jina Sargizova,	2008	Armenian, English	To assess the 2008-2013 KSFA 's Strategic plan from the gender perspective and to mainstream gender approach	desk review, recommendation on mainstreaming of Strategic goal and objectives, preparation of logical framework		Not published	Gender analysis and gender mainstreaming

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161	ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT OF WOMEN IN ARMENIA	OXFAM	OXFAM-Armenia	Jina Sargizova,	2011	English	compilation/desk review on the barriers of economic empowerment of women in Armenia with the main focus on rural population.	The major challenge of the country in the field of economic empowerment of women are that having legally guaranteed equal basic rights and high levels of competence, women cannot fully utilize them.	http://www.cspn.am/english/resources/oxfam-research-wep	Not published	Economic Empowerment
162	HOUSEHOLD NEGOTIATION AND THE CARE ECONOMY	OXFAM	OXFAM-Armenia	Natalia Martirosyan (Commissioned by OXFAM-Armenia)	2013	Armenian, English	To contribute to the transformational change in gender power relations at household level with the specific aim of promoting gender balanced household budget negotiations and to reveal problems related to Care Economy	Field research implemented through interview with 30 OXFAM-Armenia project female beneficiaries from 6 villages in Tavush (Sev Qar,) and Vayots Dzor(Zedea, Gomq and) marzes.		Not published	SERW

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163	PARTICIPATION FOR CHANGES	OXFAM	Caucasus Center for Sociological Studies	Hovhanness Hovhannesian, Tamara Hovnatanyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Karen Karapetyan	2012	Armenian, English	The study implemented within the framework of the Oxfam's <i>Vote for Change</i> campaign project aimed at advocating for the increase in the number of women deputies in the RoA National Assembly of the fifth convocation (2012-2017), at developing recommendations to improve gender policies in terms of formation and reinforcement of mechanisms promoting improvement in women's participation indicators and an increase in women's representation in political governance structures.	This qualitative study promoted a message on the importance of women's significant representation in Parliament and called upon the parties to promote women's political participation and to rule out the practice of giving up mandates after elections for different reasons and without any reasons. Also it studied and analyzed domestic and international legal documents on the issue, characteristics and influences of the social environment. The capacities and characteristics of the intra-institutional environment of political parties and non-governmental organizations were analyzed in terms of their impact on advancing and constraining women's political career.	N/A	Published	Women's political participation

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164	KEY FACTORS INFLUENCING YOUNG PEOPLE'S HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENT	OXFAM	For Family and Health Association IPPF-EN Armenia Affiliate Pan-Armenian		2013	Armenian, English	To identify key factors influencing young people's (including girls) health and development, as well as preparedness to respond to their reproductive health needs in emergency situations.	The general goal of this research (undertaken within the framework of the Oxfam's project on Youth Participation in Promotion of Sexual and Reproductive Health Rights and Emergency Preparedness is to identify barriers for promotion of sexual and reproductive rights and health of young people, both females and males living in the Shirak and Vayots Dzor Provinces of Armenia, especially barriers for access to reliable information, sexuality education, and highest possible quality of SRH services and emergency medical care. It identified key cross-community factors and emerging population issues, which have negative impact on sexual and reproductive health of young people. Some of the factors might have long-term	n/a	Published	SRH

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								consequences on the future generations.			
165	STUDY ON GENDER RELATIONS AND FOOD SECURITY IN ARMENIA	OXFAM	Competitive Society NGO, "BSC" Business Support Center		2014	English	To research, analyze and compare existing gender legislation, and particularly on gender equality and socio-economic rights of women. Gender indexes and relation between gender and food security.	The study (implemented within the framework of the Oxfam and EU-funded project titled "Improving Regional Food Security in South Caucasus through National Strategies and Smallholder production") identifies and describes obstacles for women in Armenia as food producers, as waged workers both on and off farms, as beneficiaries of social protection measures and as primary care	http://fs.ge/nutrition-in-armenia-an-issue-that-is-starting-to-change/	Published	Food Security

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								givers. It also examined socio-economic opportunities for women throughout food security dimension.			
166	BASELINE STUDY ON THE ROLE AND POTENTIAL OF RURAL WOMEN IN AGRICULTURAL VALUE CHAIN	OXFAM/Austrian Development Agency	Business Support Center, ProMedia -Gender NGO		2013	Armenian, English	To conduct a household level assessment in the targeted region to identify and evaluate the role and potential of women in agricultural production. To analyze the cycles of agriculture value chain, from the gender perspective and to reveal the level of women participation in those cycles and the manifestation of gender injustice.	The survey also includes questions related to socio-cultural norms, particularly about public attitude towards women farmers, women participation in decision Generally speaking the results of the research conducted helped to evaluate the demonstrations of gender injustice in the studied communities, simultaneously revealing the role and still unrealized potential of women in agriculture development and organization of community life. It creates big room for implementation of informational and educational programs	n/a	Published	Agriculture

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								as well as advocacy of stimulating women economic activity.making both in family and community life, discrimination against women and the double workload of women.			
167	FIELD RESEARCH ON HOUSEHOLD NEGOTIATION AND THE CARE ECONOMY	OXFAM	OXFAM-Armenia		N/A	English	To contribute to the transformational change in gender power relations at household level as a precondition for major changes at national and community levels, with the specific aim to promoting gender balanced household budget negotiations and to reveal problems related to Care Economy	Face-to face meetings/non formal talks/interviews were conducted with 30 women in six selected rural communities in Vayots Dzor and Tavush regions on the gender issues at household level, particularly on decision making process, responsibilities sharing, including child care, family budget structure as well as barriers for personal growth and development.	n/a	Not published	Gender dimension of care economy

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168	ACCESS TO EDUCATION IN ARMENIA: GENDER ISSUES (PILOT STUDY)	BSC and Oxfam-Armenia	ProMedia -Gender NGO	Tamara Hovnatanyan, Lilit Zakaryan	2014	Armenian	To explore gender issues in access to education in the RoA regions, to recommend measures that are likely to secure the right of equal access to education	The report summarizes the major findings of the study, with a focus on relevant indicators. Statistical data were reviewed, in-depth interviews were conducted and reflection of access to education and its gender issues by the RoA legislation was examined as were Armenia's obligations under international legal instruments, and publications in the media	n/a	Not published	Education
169	GENDER MAINSTREAMING OF THE ROA RURAL AND AGRICULTURAL SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY FOR 2015-2025	OXFAM	ProMedia -Gender NGO	Tamara Hovnatanyan, Jina Sargizova, Lilit Zakaryan	2014	Armenian	To mainstream gender into the RoA Rural and Agricultural Sustainable Development Strategy for 2015-2025	Review of background information ; Review of and analysis of existing situation; Integration of the gender component into the Armenian version of RA Rural and Agricultural Sustainable Development Strategy for 2015-2025.	Oxfam Armenia office	Not published	Gender mainstreaming in Agricultural politics

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170	GENDER MAINSTREAMING OF THE 2012-2015 ROA TAVUSH PROVINCE SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM	OXFAM	ProMedia -Gender NGO	Tamara Hovnatanyan, Jina Sargizova, Lilit Zakaryan	2014	Armenian, English	To assess the 2012-2015 RoA Tavush Province Socio-Economic Development Program from the gender mainstreaming perspective and to increase gender sensitivity of the Program	As a result of the study of issues in the area of ensuring gender equality in Tavush Marz, meetings with representatives of various structures and institutions, as well as the gender expert review of the 2012-2015 RoA Tavush Marz Socio-Economic Development Program and accompanying documents (annual program implementation work plans and logical frameworks for annual activities), a number of issues have been revealed which, despite the already taken steps, impede and reduce the effectiveness of the Government's and other stakeholders' efforts to achieve legal gender equality in the Republic of Armenia. The Policy brief part provides relevant recommendations.		Published	Gender analysis and gender mainstreaming

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171	STUDY ON GENDER EQUALITY IN ARMENIAN HIGH SCHOOLS	UN Trust Fund to End Violence against Women	Society without Violence NGO	Annika Andersson	2013	English	To find out if the high school environment is gender equal, whether students are being discriminated or facing different treatment because of their sex and whether the teachers actively work towards gender equality in school	This study on gender equality and discrimination in high schools was based on a survey of 283 students and 50 teachers from 3 schools in Yerevan. The findings give grounds to discuss such issues as stereotypical thinking and power relations, sex categorization in a social relational context, different treatment and inequality, discrimination based on sex, and teachers' role in breaking traditional stereotypes	http://www.swv.am/index.php/en/publications/353-research-on-gender-inequality-in-armenian-high-schools#.VPjnpvyUeSo	Published	Gender equality; gender-based discrimination
172	THE ATTITUDE OF PUPILS IN THE 10-12 GRADES OF PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS OF RA LORI AND TAVUSH REGIONS TOWARDS GENDER ISSUES	UN Trust Fund to End Violence against Women	Society without Violence NGO		2014	Armenian, English	To undertake baseline data collection and analysis with a view to highlighting teenagers' perceptions, opinions and existing stereotypes on women's rights issues and gender equality, to finding out whether /or what kind of/	The study was based on a combination of quantitative (survey) and qualitative (focus group) methods. The questionnaire-based survey as well as focus group identified perceptions, opinions and existing stereotypes of teenagers on women's rights issues, gender equality and gender based violence.		Published	Attitudes to gender equality; GBV

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							information on Gender and GBV issues female pupils receive in school and to identifying the existing level of basic knowledge and understanding of violence against women and girls and services that can be accessed by survivors of gender based violence before such information is taught in schools.				
173	INTEGRATION OF GENDER COMPONENT INTO SOCIAL SCIENCE SUBJECT	Swedish fund “Kvinna till Kvinna”	Society without Violence NGO	Armine Ivanyan,Anna Nikoghosyan	2014	Armenian, English	To study, analyze and review the content and educational methods of Social Science textbooks from the gender perspective and promote new themes and innovative educational approaches regarding gender education.	The study was conducted in 3 phases: (i) The first involved an analysis of the content of Social Science textbooks from a gender perspective, (ii) the second phase involved round tables (in 5 regions and in Yerevan) with Social Science teachers, school principals, government officials, researchers and NGOs; (iii) The third phase involved production of the	http://www.swv.am/index.php/en/publications/447-integration-of-gender-component-into-social-science-subject#.VPjtUfyUeSo	Published	Gender mainstreaming in education

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								Recommendation package			
174	KEEP ME AWAY FROM YOUR STEREOTYPES (SOCIOLOGICAL SURVEY ANALYSIS)	Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs	Society without Violence NGO	Anna Nikoghosyan, Armine Asatryan	2011	Armenian, English	To understand which gender-based stereotypes within our environment exist and how to get rid of those	The study is based on a survey of 550 residents from Yerevan and the regions. The survey probed the opinions of women and men on whether they encountered gender inequality and if yes, in what spheres, have they had come across violence and what they saw as violence, what impediments they encountered in personal life, how social norms affect personal relationships and limit their personal freedom, what attitudes they had to DV, etc.	http://www.swv.am/index.php/en/publications/160-keep-me-away-from-your-stereotypes#.VPICx_yUeS	Published	Gender stereotypes ; gender attitudes

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175	ARMENIA. MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS. STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION	Office of the UN Resident Coordinator/Armenia	UNCT/Human Development Experts Club	Human Development Experts Club	2001	English	To examine the progress achieved in the implementation of the Millennium Development Goals and to produce a Progress Report	The Progress Report describes the current status of the 8 goals, opportunities for the country to reach its goals, factors impeding and fostering the achievement of the goals, expectations from the international community, the UN System's activities and issues of specific concern for Armenia	http://www.undp.org/content/dam/undp/library/MDG/english/MDG%20Country%20Reports/Armenia/2001-Armenia_MDG_Report_-_Millenium_Development_Goal.pdf	Published	Gender equality and empowerment of women; education and reproductive health of girls and young women;
176	MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS: NATIONALIZATION AND PROGRESS	Office of the UN Resident Coordinator/Armenia	UNCT/PRSP secretariat		2005	Armenian, English	to increase the level of awareness on MDG and level of their achievement , create national consensus around these goals and reaffirm the political will of the government and development agencies towards fulfilling MDG in Armenia.	first progress report : it is based on the national targets and indicators. It helps to better focus on Armenia's development prospects and contributes to better alignment of priority setting, policy review, budget discussions, and donor assistance.	http://www.un.am/res/UN%20RC%20Annual%20Reports,%20UNDAFs,%20MDGs/MDG%201st%20Report_eng.pdf	Published	General, cross cutting

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177	MILLENNIUM DEVELOPMENT GOALS / NATIONAL PROGRESS REPORT 2005-2009	Office of the UN Resident Coordinator/Armenia	UNCT/ "AVAG Solutions"		2010	Armenian, English	The report remarks on the main challenges in achieving the MDGs in the country and gives special attention to the impact of the current economic downturn on the further progress towards achieving the MDGs in the country.		http://www.un.am/en/virtual-library#sthash.sscfOWwb.dpuf	Published	General, cross cutting
178	NATIONAL REPORT ON THE CONDITIONS OF WOMEN	UNDP	UNDP: National Committee in Preparation for the World Conference on Women	Hranoush Hakobian, Gevorg Poghosian, Mary Khachikian, Gagik Yeghanian, Lilit Melikian, Gayane Haroutunian, Norik Petrossian	1995	English	To do a review and appraisal of the status of women in Armenia	The National Report provides a historical overview and sets a context. It discusses inequality in participation in power and decision-making, the lack of mechanisms for the advancement of women, lack of awareness of and commitment to women's rights, economic inequality, inequality in access to education, health, and employment		Published	Cross-cutting

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179	“WOMEN STATUS REPORT: IMPACT OF TRANSITION, ARMENIA	UNDP	UNDP	Vardan Gevorgyan, Vladimir Osipov, Sofia Babayan, Anahit Harutyunian , Jemma Hasratian, Narine Davtian, Lucig Danielian, Albert Nalchajian, Armine Mkhitarian et al.	1999	Armenian, English	To examine the impact of transition on women in Armenia	Over 30 authors explore a number of crucial issues, including gender and development, gender equality as a democratization's sine qua non, women's movement, women in politics, violence against women, gender analysis of legislation, gender issues in employment, in education and health sectors, rural women, etc.		Published	Cross-cutting
180	REPORT ON POST-BEIJING ACTIVITIES OF WOMEN'S NGOS OF THE ROA	UNDP	UNDP		2005	Armenian	Awareness raising	Information on some activities of some of Armenian NGOs gathered.	http://www.un.am/en/virtual-library#sthash.j4HHN8j.dpuf	Published	General, civil society
181	GENDER MAINSTREAMING OF COMMUNITIES ASSOCIATION OF ARMENIA (CAA) NGO'S STRATEGIC PLAN”	UNDP	UNDP/Gender and Politics in the South Caucasus project	Jina Sargizova,	2007	Armenian, English	To assess the 2005-2010 CAA 's Strategic plan from the gender perspective and to mainstream gender approach	desk review, recommendation on mainstreaming of Strategic goal and objectives, preparation of logical framework	n/a	Not published	Gender analysis and gender mainstreaming

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182	POLICY PAPER ON ADVANCEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL MECHANISMS ON GENDER EQUALITY IN ARMENIA	UNDP	UNDP/Gender and Politics in the South Caucasus project	Jina Sargizova, Marina Blagoevich	2007	English	To assess the situation and functionality of Armenian Institutional mechanisms on gender equality and provide recommendations.	The recommendations were submitted to UNDP /Armenia and provided a basis for further programming on the issue	n/a	Not published	Gender analysis and gender mainstreaming
183	GENDER EXPERT ASSESSMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA LEGISLATION	UNDP	UNDP/Gender and Politics in the South Caucasus project	Geghetsik Grigoryan, Ashot Esayan, Karen Zadoyan, Christineh Ghalechyan	2007	Armenian	To make a gender analysis of the RoA legislation	An analysis of the RoA normative legal Acts was undertaken legal experts		Not published	Gender analysis of legislation
184	THE CONCEPT OF GENDER AND ITS USE BY THE UNITED NATIONS AND EUROPEAN ENTITIES	UNDP	UNDP	Vladimir Osipov	2014	Armenian	To describe the meaning of the concept and how the latter is used by the UN and European entities	The Policy Brief discusses how the concept is used in relevant laws in the CIS countries and in documents and practice of the UN agencies as well as of the Council of Europe, European Union and OSCE		Published	Concept of Gender; Gender equality laws
185	THE STATUS OF WOMEN AND WOMEN'S MOVEMENT IN THE POST-SOVIET WORLD	UNESCO	RoA National Commission for UNESCO		1995	French	To explore the status of women in and the role of women's movements in CIS countries	Participants of the international seminars explored a socioeconomic dimension of processes unfolding in transforming societies and the situation of		Published	Women's movement; women as agents of change; cross-cutting

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								women in post-Soviet societies, a socio-psychological dimension and conflict of roles, women as agents of change; women's movement, women and media			
186	CULTURALLY APPROPRIATE HIV BEHAVIOUR CHANGE COMMUNICATION IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	UNESCO	Positive People Armenian Network NGO	Harutyunyan, Anahit and Zhaneta Petrosyan	2010	English	To help develop culturally appropriate instruments on the basis of the UNESCO's Strategy for Responding to HIV and AIDS" for HIV Behavior Change Communication (BCC) programming and thus to facilitate the design of more efficient BCC	The study contains a strong gender component. It tackles a number of important and sensitive issues related to HIV / AIDS and gender, sex education, behavior change and role of mass media	http://unesdoc.unesco.org/images/0018/001877/187747e.pdf	Published	Gender and health
187	A SITUATION ANALYSIS OF CHILDREN AND WOMEN IN ARMENIA - 1998	Government of Armenia, UNICEF, Save the Children	Government of Armenia, UNICEF, Save the Children		1999					Not published	
188	"2002 UPDATE OF UNICEF'S SITUATION ANALYSIS OF CHILDREN AND WOMEN IN	UNICEF Armenia	AUA Turpanjian Center for Policy Analysis		2002				http://tcpa.ua.am/reports-and-publications/#sthash.p7as09u5.dpuf	Not published	

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	ARMENIA 1998.”										
189	ANNUAL REPORT 2012 FOR ARMENIA, CEE/CIS	UNICEF Armenia	UNICEF Armenia		2012	English	To increase the capacity of the Armenian social protection system to reach the most vulnerable and marginalised groups of the population, and to enable it to effectively respond to their needs.	By addressing the unequal distribution of social services, shortfalls in applying effective and efficient approaches as well as capacity gaps, UNICEF will sustain the efforts of the Government of Armenia to protect and promote the rights of children, with particular attention paid to those most vulnerable and marginalized.	http://www.unicef.org/about/annual-report/files/Armenia_COAR_2012.pdf	Not published	cross cutting
190	NATIONAL MACHINERY AND INSTITUTIONAL MECHANISMS FOR GENDER EQUALITY	UNICEF Armenia	AAWUE	Jemma Hasratyan, Jina Sargizova, Vladimir Osipov & Gayane Meroyan	2014	Armenian, English	To discuss the issue of the national machinery for GE and to provide recommendations for its establishment in Armenia	This Policy Brief discusses legal basis for the establishment and operation of the national machinery for GE, provides historical overview of the issue, describes the experience of the European countries (including CIS countries) in the establishment of a		Not published	National machinery and institutional mechanisms for GE

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								national machinery, focuses on the Armenian situation assessing effectiveness of operation of the existing institutional mechanisms and describe 4 models for the establishment of a national machinery in Armenia			
191	REPORT ON SOME ASPECTS OF COMMERCIAL SEX WORK IN ARMENIA (2001	UNFPA	Hope and Help NGO		2001	Armenian, English	to shed a light on socioeconomic, legal, public health , and moral/cultural aspects of the rapidly growing sex “business” in Armenia, focusing on the largest, and relatively “easy-to-access” group of the commercial sex workers – “street” prostitutes.	The analysis of the official statistical data and the results of the survey aim at further opening this topic for discussion from different perspectives.	http://hopehelp.am/publications/Report%20of%20CSWs%20eng%20book.pdf	Not published	HIV/AIDS
192	ADVANCING EQUAL RIGHTS FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS(THE STATUS OF CEDAW LEGISLATIVE COMPLIANCE IN EASTERN EUROPE AND CENTRAL	UNFPA	UNFPA	Rangita de Silva de Alwis and 18 country experts	2009	English	To review the compliance of Eastern European and Central Asia countries with the CEDAW Convention	The review addresses both the existing laws and their implementation. The focus is on anti-discrimination/equal protection, de jure and de facto discrimination, emerging trends in gender equality lawmaking, political		Published	CEDAW; cross-cutting

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	ASIA)							participation, labor laws, sexual harassment lawmaking, violence against women, rural women, reproductive health, etc. The review contains sections on Armenia.			
193	SURVEY ON "FAMILY" AS AN INSTITUTION	UNFPA	NSS/MLSI	NSS/MLSI	2006	Armenian, English	To collect detailed statistical and demographic data on the Armenian Family, its structure and composition, as well as to support the Government Decree (draft) on State Policy Concept towards Family and its Principles.	Survey results revealed the complex nature of the problems existing in the Armenian family. This means that the demographic crisis and changes in the demographic behavior discussed in the corresponding sections of the report are directly related to not only economic, but also social, political, cultural and psychological factors.	http://www.unfpa.am/sites/default/files/Survey%20Report%20-%20ENG_FINAL.pdf	Published	Cross cutting
194	REPORT ON AGING SURVEY IN RA	UNFPA	NSS/MLSI	NSS/MLSI	2008	Armenian, English	The purpose of the Survey is to study the family relations between the spouses of 50 years of age and over, their health, living conditions, well-being, employment, pension and	11 Marzes of the Republic of Armenia including Yerevan	http://www.unfpa.am/sites/default/files/ageing_survey_report_eng.pdf	Published	Cross cutting

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							financial security level.				
195	CLINICAL AND EPIDEMIOLOGICAL SURVEY ON ETIOLOGY, PREVALENCE OF INFERTILE MARRIAGES	UNFPA	MOH, Institute of Perinatology, Obstetrics and Gynecology/NSS/AUA		2009	Armenian, English	To analyze the etiology and prevalence of infertile marriages	The survey was conducted in all 10 marzes of Armenia and in Yerevan, among men and women of reproductive age.	http://unfpa.am/sites/default/files/Infertility%20Survey%20Report%20English.pdf	Published	Health
196	SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH OF YOUNG PEOPLE IN ARMENIA	UNFPA/EU	For Family and Health Association IPPF-EN Armenia Affiliate Pan-Armenian		2009	Armenian, English	To evaluate current status, trends and main determinants of Sexual and Reproductive Health (SRH) of young people in Armenia and development of the rational preventive approach. Results of this investigation can be used for scientific purposes and development of the strategies and programs, aimed at promotion of Young People's Health.	It summarizes the findings of population based countrywide survey and case studies on sexual and reproductive health knowledge, attitude, behaviour and practice of young people in Armenia,	http://www.unfpa.am/sites/default/files/Young%20People%20SRH%20survey_eng.pdf	Published	Health, cross cutting

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197	ANALYSIS OF RESULTS OF THE SAMPLE SURVEY ON FERTILITY PREFERENCES OF ARMENIAN POPULATION,	UNFPA	MOH, Institute of Perinatology, Obstetrics and Gynecology		2009	Armenian, English	To study the development of system of family values and reproductive behavior motivations within current social and economic conditions, to identify and analyze main factors conditioning family situation, to present recommendations for overcoming major problems.	State demographic policy should properly respond to the current situation; its efficiency to a great extent depends on the assessment and analysis of the current situation in social surveys, and proposed realistic solutions.	http://unfpa.am/sites/default/files/Fertility%20Survey%20Report_ENG_FINAL.pdf	Published	Health
198	MEDIA CONTENT ANALYSIS ON “COVERAGE OF UNFPA ACTIVITIES AND ISSUES BY ARMENIAN MASS MEDIA”,	UNFPA	ProMedia -Gender NGO	Tamara Hovnatanyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Sona Gevorgyan	2010	Armenian, English	to assess a degree and quality of the publications on UNFPA goals and activities in Armenia	Media Monitoring and content analysis	N/A	Not published	Cross cutting
199	THE ISSUE OF GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE AS PRESENTED BY ARMENIAN MASS MEDIA	UNFPA	ProMedia -Gender NGO	Tamara Hovnatanyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Sona Gevorgyan	2010	Armenian, English	The goal of the Study was to assess a degree and quality of the impact that media outlets have on public opinion regarding gender-based violence and opportunities for	The study reviewed nearly 1,900 issues of 7 periodicals, of which less than 0.4% were devoted to the topic of gender-based violence. Reasons-first: GBV is not reflected by mass media since it remains	N/A	Not published	Mass Media

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							eliminating it.	a “zone of silence” in public opinion, Second: Absence of gender-sensitive policies and prevalence of gender stereotypes in media, which limit opportunities for reporters to take the initiative.			
200	GENDER ANALYSIS OF THE NSS "WOMEN AND MEN IN ARMENIA" STATISTICAL BOOKLET	UNFPA	UNFPA	/Lilit Zakaryan	2010	Armenian	Gender analysis of the NSS "Women and Men in Armenia" statistical booklet	To conduct a gender analysis of the statistical data in the NSS "Women and Men in Armenia" pertaining to population, health, social security and social protection, family and household, education and science, culture and sport, employment and unemployment, time use, criminal offences, governance and influence sectors		Not published	Gender statistics
201	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND DIVORCES	UNFPA	Lisa Foundation	Mariam Ohanyan	2010	Armenian	To identify main factors causing divorces, including DV	A qualitative study. Initially, a pilot survey of 100 respondents (79 women and 21 men in the age bracket of 20-70 years old) was conducted. Then in-depth interviews were conducted with 10	http://www.unfpa.am/dv-and-divorce-survey	Published	GBV

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								women who divorced or still lived with perpetrator. Through the interviews the researchers sought to identify the history and mechanisms of violence and to find out how violence affected women's status and their self-confidence.			
202	NATIONWIDE SURVEY ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN IN ARMENIA	UNFPA	UNFPA	Lead expert: Vladimir Osipov	2011	Armenian, English	To ensure a comprehensive analysis of accurate data on gender-based violence, in particular on Domestic Violence Against Women	The survey findings provide valuable information on <i>prevalence and incidence of major forms of violence against women</i> , including intimate partner and non-partner violence, on <i>effects of gender-based violence</i> on women's physical, mental and reproductive health, on <i>women's coping strategies and mechanisms</i> , on <i>attitudes</i> towards violence against women, on <i>childhood sexual abuse</i> as well as on the relationship between women's <i>socioeconomic status</i> ,	http://unfpa.am/en/dv-survey	Published	GBV

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								<i>financial autonomy and gender-based violence.</i>			
203	GENDER DIMENSION OF CIVIC AND POLITICAL PARTICIPATION IN ARMENIA	UNFPA	Caucasus Center for Sociological Studies	Hovhanness Hovhannisyan, Lilit Zakaryan, Vladimir Osipov	2011	Armenian, English	To contribute to the formulation and implementation of the State gender policies and to the strengthening of mechanisms that enhance women's representation in power and women's participation in decision-making and in socio-political processes.	The analysis of the survey results consists of three parts. Part One is devoted to the analysis of interest in <i>socio-political processes</i> , of general indicators of awareness and participation and of their gender specifics. Part Two contains an analysis of <i>gender aspects of a professional or political career</i> and an assessment of public opinion on those matters. The focus of Part Three is on the analysis of the factors that hinder gender equality, on <i>exploration of the enabling environment</i> for women's political participation and on	http://unfpa.am/en/spp-survey-report	Published	Civic and Political participation

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								the review of manifestations of gender discrimination and of the possibilities for eliminating them			
204	WOMAN'S IMAGE IN ARMENIAN MEDIA	UNFPA	ProMedia -Gender NGO	Tamara Hovnatanyan	2011	Armenian, factsheet in english	To examine woman's image as portrayed by the Armenian media, in respect with overcoming stereotypes regarding the role and place of a woman in Armenian society.	Monitoring of media coverage of Women issue in the period of March – June 2011	http://unfpa.am/en/publications-women-image-in-media	Published	Mass Media
205	PREVALENCE OF AND REASONS FOR SEX SELECTIVE ABORTIONS IN ARMENIA	UNFPA	MoH the Institute of Reproductive Health, Perinatology, Obstetrics and Gynecology/ NSS		2012	Armenian, English	To reveal the prevalence of sex selective abortions in Armenia, as well as the main reasons and public perception of it.	There are not particular problems related to a differentiated approach to daughters and sons in the families and that the problem is the prospect for women's subsequent self-realization and women's more vulnerable status in	http://unfpa.am/sites/default/files/Sex-selective-abortions-report_Eng.pdf	Published	Health, cross cutting

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								society			
206	INTERNATIONAL BEST PRACTICES FOR THE PREVENTION OF PRENATAL SEX SELECTION RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ACTION FOR ARMENIA	UNFPA	UNFPA	Laura Rahm, Independent Researcher, Garik Hayrapetyan	2012	English	To identify best practices for the prevention of prenatal sex selection by examining previously successful instruments and campaigns internationally and then giving concrete recommendations for action in Armenia.	based on three sources: 1)Interviews stakeholders 2) Scientific papers;3)Online research on international best practices	http://unfpa.am/sites/default/files/Laura_Rahm-Best-Practices-Prevention-of-Prenatal-Sex-Selection.pdf	Not published	Health, Cross cutting
207	SEX IMBALANCES AT BIRTH IN ARMENIA: DEMOGRAPHIC EVIDENCE AND ANALYSIS REPORT	UNFPA	UNFPA	Christophe Z. Guilmoto, (IRD, Research Institute for Development)	2013	Armenian, English	To conduct an in-depth analysis of sex-at-birth (SRB) imbalances in Armenia and provide projections of the possible consequences of the skewed sex ratio for the country.	Confirmed that prenatal sex selection occurs in Armenia as part of Armenian families prevent girls from being born for the sake of having a son.	http://unfpa.am/sites/default/files/Sex_Imbalance_report_Eng_final-with%20cover-final.pdf	Published	Health

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208	RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NATIONAL REFERRAL MECHANISM FOR SURVIVORS OF GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA	UNFPA	UNFPA	Vladimir Osipov	2011	Armenian, English	To propose an integrated model of a national referral mechanism (NRM) for survivors of GBV	Provision of a definition of NRM, integrated model of the NRM, including underlying principles and philosophy of the NRF, its functions, structure and performance monitoring and 7 main phases in the referral and protection process.		Published	GBV
209	ASSESSMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA LEGISLATION FROM GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE PERSPECTIVE	UNFPA	UNFPA	A.Yesayan G.Grigoryan, M.Dokmanovic, S.Iskandaryan	2009	Armenian, English	The purpose of the legal analysis is to assess whether, how and to what extent the national laws of the Republic of Armenia (RA) comply with international legislation, legal norms and standards pertaining to gender-based violence prevention, and to produce a package of recommendations concerning the necessary amendments and	This report presents the accumulated results of legal analysis, of the following legal documents: 1. The Constitution of the Republic of Armenia; 2. The Civil Code; 3. The Family Law; The Labour Law; 5. The Criminal Code and the Criminal Procedure Code; 6. The legal acts on Social Security sector; and 7. The legal acts on Health-Care sector. implemented by the group of local and international experts, as well as input from a focus group meeting	n/a	Published	GBV

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							changes to national laws.	held in June 2009 with the participation of major government stakeholders, civil society representatives, as well as the international community working to prevent gender-based violence in Armenia.			
210	GENDER ASSESSMENT USAID/ARMENIA	USAID	DevTech Systems, Incorporated	Elisabeth Duban, Team Leader, with assistance from Hasmik Gevorgyan	2010	English	To examine the overall situation of men and women in the Republic of Armenia	“Recent developments suggest that gender equality is entering the policy agenda of the Armenian Government, and USAID can capitalize on movement in this area. In program planning it will be useful to keep in mind several overarching issues that will lead to more effective gender integration.”	http://pdf.usaid.gov/pdf/docs/PDACR978.pdf	Published	general

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211	GENDER DISCRIMINATION IN LABOR		WRC	Susanna Vardanyan, Geghetsik Grigoryan, Mariam Ohanyan, Armine Mikayelyan	2000	Armenian, English, Russian	To analyze issues of GBD in Employment & Labor Market	Desk Review of domestic and foreign / international legislation; analysis of data from mass media, State institutions, NGOs and trade unions; survey of 289 women from Yerevan and Gyumri		Published	GBD
212	VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN IN ARMENIA (THE RESULTS OF A SOCIOLOGICAL SURVEY)	USAID	Sociometrical Center /WRC	A. Adibekyan	2001	Armenian, English, Russian	To find out incidence and prevalence of some forms of GBV	The survey "State of an Armenian woman in the changing social and economic conditions" was conducted among 1,200 women from the cities of Yerevan, Gyumri, Vanadzor, Eghegnadzor, Noyemberyan, Goris, Aparan, Armavir, Gavar and nearby villages of Armenia.	Info about the publication on the WRC website http://www.wrcorg.am/en/publications.htm	Published	GBV
213	THE GENDER ANALYSIS OF THE ROA LEGISLATION ON REPRODUCTIVE AND SEXUAL HEALTH AND RIGHTS		WRC	Narine Aleksanyan	2005	Armenian, English	To analyze relevant Armenian legislation	The study addresses issues of abortion, contraceptive means and methods and the rights of HIV/AIDS-positive persons.	Info about the publication on the WRC website http://www.wrcorg.am/en/publications.htm	Published	General

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214	REPORT ON SURVEY FINDINGS: SEXUAL AND GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE AMONG FEMALE REFUGEES AND ASYLUM SEEKERS IN ARMENIA	UNHCR	WRC/AUA Turpanjian Center for Policy Analysis	Lucig Danielian, Ani Dallakyan, Narine Hakobyan	2008	Armenian, English	To identify sexual and gender-based violence among female refugees and asylum seekers, as well as to understand its forms and prevalence during displacement and after in Armenia.	Survey findings divided into eight sections: refugee experience, sexual and gender-based violence during displacement, post-conflict sexual and gender-based violence in Armenia, extent of domestic violence, attitudes toward domestic violence in Armenia, levels of understanding about causes of gender-based violence, forced experiences of female refugees and asylum seekers, and problems faced by female refugees and asylum seekers in Armenia.	http://tcpa.ua.am/reports-and-publications/#sthash.HWAt0aHs.dpuf	Published	GBV
215	REPORT ON NATIONWIDE SURVEY FINDINGS: DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND ABUSE OF WOMEN IN ARMENIA.	OSI/Armenia, CRS/Armenia, OSCE	AUA Turpanjian Center for Policy Analysis/ WRC		2007	English, Armenian	To determine women's attitudes toward domestic violence against women and understanding about its causes and solutions, and to assess the extent of domestic violence and abuse of women in Armenia. It is also aimed at revealing	A nationwide survey of 1,006 women in 10 regions of the country, and in 12 communities in Yerevan based on a stratified sample and using face-to-face interviews. survey findings are divided into five sections: perceptions about family relationships, levels of understanding about	http://tcpa.ua.am/reports-and-publications/#sthash.p7as09u5.dpuf	Yes	GBV

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							the recent incidents of physical abuse of women at home	causes of domestic violence, attitudes toward domestic violence and public agencies, incidents of domestic violence and abuse in Armenia, and scope of domestic physical abuse in Armenia.			
216	GENDER DIMENSIONS OF THE LABOR MARKET IN ARMENIA	Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs	Women's Resource Center Armenia		2011	English	To study the gender dimensions of employment, salaries and benefits in Armenia	The research used 3 method: quantitative study (survey based on a standardized questionnaire, with 196 women and 154 men in the sample, all in Yerevan); qualitative study (in-depth interviews with 15 women working in the field) and desk review of relevant documents and materials. The study identified main problems experienced by refugee women; Self-perception and interpretation of life events; Stereotypes and prejudices toward refugees in Armenia;	http://www.womenofarmenia.org/en/publications/researches	Not published	economic empowerment

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								Social networks and trust; Perception of the future; Problem Solving Strategies. Multiple manifestations of gender inequality in the labor market still remains.			
217	SOCIO-PSYCHOLOGICAL SPECIFICS OF ADOLESCENT GIRLS IN YEREVAN		Women's Resource Center Armenia	Zaruhi Aznauryan	2013	English	To reveal the socio-psychological specifics adolescent girls, to outline the level of self-esteem among adolescent girls and, the main reasons of parent-child conflicts, to understand the attitudes and perceptions of adolescent girls towards the commonly shared gender stereotypes, towards violence against girls and women and their perceptions about their future.	The study was conducted through a survey based on a standardized self-administered questionnaire. The survey focused on the assessment of adolescent girls' perspectives on life and future, on the influence of gender stereotypes on adolescent girls' life, and on their attitudes towards GBV. The sample consisted of 101 12-17-year-old girls in Yerevan	http://www.womenofarmenia.org/en/publications/researches	Published	Adolescent girls

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218	ECONOMIC AND SOCIO-PSYCHOLOGICAL STATUS OF REFUGEE WOMEN IN ARMENIA	UNHCR	Women's Resource Center Armenia		2012	English	To conduct a needs assessment among refugee women living in Armenia.	Qualitative methods were used in the study: 8 focus groups and 10 in-depth interviews and a telephone survey (230 refugee women)	http://www.womenofarmenia.org/images/WRC_A_Refugee%20Women%20report_No v2012%20 1 %20 5 .pdf	Not published	Refugee, Migration, Economic
219	STATUS OF YOUNG WOMEN IN ARMENIA		Women's Resource Center Armenia		2007	Armenian	To identify young women's interests, value systems and lifestyles as well as attitudes towards gender equality and the social role of women in Armenia and in the region	This quantitative study used a questionnaire-based survey and focused on young women's life plans, views on situation with gender equality, reproductive health and rights in Armenia, gender roles, tolerance, etc.		Not published	Young women
220	LEVEL OF AWARENESS ON THE PART OF YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE COUNTRY'S REGIONS REGARDING HUMAN RIGHTS		Women's Resource Center /"Raising awareness of young people in the country's regions regarding women's rights, ethnic, religious and		N/A (probably some time from 2008 - 2010)	Armenian	To assess awareness of young people in the country's regions regarding women's rights, ethnic, religious and sexual minorities	The survey was conducted in all 10 regions of the country (apart from Yerevan). Its findings also include data on perceptions of and attitudes towards women's participation in politics, NGO sector, decision-making, judiciary, labor market		Not published	Women's rights

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			sexual minorities " project								
221	SEXUAL VIOLENCE IN THE ARMENIAN SOCIETY: PUBLIC ATTITUDES AND MYTHS	GoA/MFA	Women's Resource Center Armenia		2010 - 2011	Armenian	To explore public attitudes towards and prevalent myths about sexual violence in Armenia	The research focused on public knowledge of and attitudes towards forms of violence, especially sexual violence. It also sought to identify the most vulnerable groups and public attitudes towards victims of sexual violence. The research was a combination of a quantitative study and a qualitative study. The quantitative study was based on a survey of 700 respondents (520 in Yerevan and 180 in 3 regions, with 60 respondents in each).		Not published	Women's rights

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								There were 372 women and 328 men in the sample. The qualitative study included 7 focus groups with women of various age and 6 interviews with experts working in this field			
222	YOUNG WOMEN IN THE CONFLICT ZONE: NAGORNO KARABAKH CONFLICT		Women's Resource Center Armenia		2013	Armenian	To study the situation and perceptions of young women in Nagorno Karabakh	The quantitative study was conducted through a survey based on a standardized self-administered questionnaire. The sample consisted of 126 young women and girls in the age group of 18-35-year-olds. The focus was on the respondents' perceptions of gender roles, gender equality, hopes, values and life plans.		Not published	Young women in conflict zone

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223	THE INCLUSION OF GENDER COMPONENT IN ICT DEVELOPMENT POLICY AND INFORMATION SOCIETY BUILDING IN ARMENIA	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	ani Manukyan, Narine Abazyan	2014	English	To monitor the implementation of Gender Policy Concept Paper and Gender Policy Strategic Action Plan 2011-2014, namely by introducing gender criteria in ICT sphere, and by offering special programs and means to overcome gender imbalance and widen women's opportunities in ICT Development and Information Society building.	Studies have shown that as in classic cases of vertical gender segregation is prevailing, with women strongly represented in lower level ICT occupations. Although women are making inroads into technical and senior professions, the study indicated a 'feminization' of lower level jobs.	http://ysu.am/files/Ani%20Manukyan%20and%20Narine%20Abazian.pdf	Published	Economic empowerment
224	ARMENIAN WOMEN IN MILITARY AFFAIRES	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Astghik Osyan Shushan Ghahriyan Tsovinar Babayan	2014	Armenian, English	to identify the image of women in the military affairs, as well as to bring out the features, characteristics and opinions that are typical to those involved in that field.		http://ysu.am/files/Women%20in%20military%20affairs%20eng%20.pdf	Published	Army

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225	WOMEN ROLE PERCEPTIONS IN TRADITIONAL AND NON TRADITIONAL RELIGIOUS COMMUNITIES IN ARMENIA	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Hovhanness Hovhannisyann	2014	Armenian, English	The goal of this research is to reveal perceptions of women role in traditional and nontraditional religious communities of Armenia by the community members, clergy, pastors as well as to find out what kind of leadership roles women have in religious communities.	The research is composed of two parts: the first part of the research analyzes the perceptions of women role in traditional religious communities based on the example of Armenian Apostolic Church as this Church is the majorities' religious organizations and its study shall reveal the basic attitudes and approaches in Armenian society. The second part analyzes the perception of women role in non-traditional religious communities, which are mostly Protestant/Pentecostal (i.e. "Word of Life", "God's People, Baptist Church, Reima Church, Mormon Church, etc.).	http://ysu.am/files/Summary,%20Policy%20Brief%20ENG.pdf	Published	General

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226	WOMEN IN ARMENIAN ARMED FORCES: SELF-PERCEPTION AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE BETTER RECRUITMENT AND ADAPTATION POLICIES	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Arthur Atanesyan	2014	Armenian, English	To study the above mentioned issues concerning reforms of the military sector in Armenia and more effective enrollment of women in military service	Although there is a strong desire among Armenian military leadership to develop Armed Forces in a way to make them more desired and welcoming for female representatives, there are 5 major issues that make the results of the reforms concerning wider involvement of female staff partly uncertain: Lack of motivation among younger; Lack of necessary infrastructure to host female officers; Public gender stereotypes and symbolically contradicting role of women in Armenian society; Female military officers seem to be a marginal group; Mass Media coverage is what should be reformed simultaneously with reforms in the defense field.	http://ysu.am/files/Arthur%20Atanesyan.pdf	Published	General

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227	GENDER FACTOR IN ETHICS OF PUBLIC SERVICE: SURVEY OF ARMENIAN PUBLIC ORGANIZATIONS	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Tatevik Sargsyan	2014	Armenian, English	To reveal and analyze the gendered specifics of administrative ethics in public service system of Republic of Armenia,	According to the results of the research, men can perceive ethical issues in situations, where women do not, and vice versa. So for the continuing development of ethical culture in the system of public service in RA, we need a balanced policy toward key positions, as the respectful integration of the voices of men and women toward ethical issues will benefit not only the system of public service, but the society, in general.	http://ysu.am/files/Final%20Report%20Tatevik%20Sargsyan%20eng.pdf	Published	General
228	POLITICAL PARTICIPATION OF WOMEN IN THE ELECTIONS FOR THE LOCAL TERRITORIAL ADMINISTRATIONS BODIES: PROBLEMS AND PERSPECTIVES	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Hasmik Shapaghatyan, Lusine Poghosyan	2014	Armenian, English	to enlighten some aspects of the problem and find effective ways to empower women participation in political life	The research was a try to understand the inner and real reasons of women's participation in elections as candidates, and thus the reasons of self-withdrawal, the stereotypes that decrease women's political participation in general.	http://ysu.am/files/Hasmik_Shapaghatyan_Final_Report%20eng.pdf	Published	Political Participation

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229	ANALYSIS OF FACTORS IMPACTING RURAL WOMEN'S LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION IN ARMENIA	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Aramayis Dallakyan, Rafael Bakhtavoryan	2014	Armenian, English	To determine the socio-economic characteristics of rural women impacting their participation in Armenia's labor force.	quantitative	http://ysu.am/files/Aramayis%20Dallakyan%20Eng%20final%20.pdf	Published	Economic Empowerment
230	WOMEN IN RURAL LIVELIHOOD IN ARMENIA: ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES, SOCIAL AND FAMILY STATUS	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Mkhitar Gabrielyan	2014	Armenian, English	The following two main objectives are discussed in the research, encircling a period of over two last decades: Status and functions of women in (1) Public and economic terms; and (2) Family relations, and the accompanying changes in perceptions.	qualitative	http://ysu.am/files/Brief-Mkh.%20Gabrielyan.pdf	Published	Economic Empowerment
231	DECIPHERING WOMEN IN ARMENIAN POLITICAL DISCOURSE	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Ruzanna Tsaturyan	2014	Armenian, English	So study the image and perceptions of women in contemporary political discourse of Armenia, to find out the links between 'words' and 'sounds' (texts and oral speeches), to underline the main narrative of	Desk review: Existing tools on women advancement in the Republic of Armenia are not sufficient	http://ysu.am/files/Summary_deciphering%20women-Ruzanna%20Tsaturyan.pdf	Published	Political participation

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							the discourse on women.				
232	GENDERED POWER IN ARMENIAN SOAP OPERAS:WOMEN, MASCULINITY AND VIOLENCE	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Ani Kojoyan, Anna Gevorgyan	2014	Armenian, English	To find out how the Armenian soap operas demonstrate violence as part of masculinity. It also focuses on perception of that masculine violence by women in society, i.e. the attitude toward the phenomenon by the female audience.	The research aimed to understand the institutional processes that created and introduced those images, characters and scenes. This was done via both in-depth and survey interviews with the screenwriters.	http://ysu.am/files/Summary%20CGLS%20research.%20final.pdf	Published	General
233	INCLUSIVENESS AND ACCESSIBILITY OF REPRODUCTIVE MEDICAL SERVICES FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS WITH DISABILITIES IN ARMENIA	USAID	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies	Zaruhi Batoyan, Armine Khananyan	2014	Armenian, English	To study accessibility of the hospitals and clinics of the RA, reveal the barriers connected with technical enrichment and treatment, make justified suggestions in order to create inclusive and accessible medical services for women and girls with disabilities in the Republic of	One of the main public places where the person with disabilities can visit more often are medical institutions – hospitals, clinics etc. As in many other institutions, here he also faces many problems, which are mainly connected with inaccessibility of the institution, starting from the entrance up to the doctor's room. Other problem is the service and treatment	http://ysu.am/files/Research%20report%20Inclusive%20Medical%20Services%20for%20Women%20with%20Disabilities%20(English).pdf	Published	Disability

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							Armenia.	of the staff.			
234	WOMEN'S POLITICAL PARTICIPATION SPECIFICS IN RA AND MECHANISM OF PROVISION OF WOMEN'S INVOLVEMENT AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES	USAID/OSCE /British Council	YSU Center for Gender and Leadership Studies		2013	Armenian	to analyze obstacles, stereotypes and behavior models for the participation of politically active women	data collected from all political parties represented in the National Assembly; their policies, membership principles, in-depth interviews.	http://ysu.am/files/Research.pdf	Published	Political participation

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235	EXISTING GAPS IN GENDER PROGRAMMING IN ARMENIA	Eurasia Partnership Foundation/(EPF)	Eurasia Partnership Foundation/(EPF)	Hillevi House and Pavlina Ekdahl	2011	English	Identify local and international organizations that have ever implemented gender-related programs/projects in Armenia since early 2000's.	Elaborated a contact list of organizations, their areas of expertise and the level of involvement. Produced a short report on existing gaps in gender programming that Eurasia Partnership Foundation (hereinafter EPF) might focus on in its (future) programming	http://www.epfound.am/files/existing_gaps_in_gender_programming_in_armenia_2011.pdf	Not published	General
236	ARMENIA SURVEY OF WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS	International Foundation for Electoral Systems(IFES)	Applied Research Center (ARC)		December 2012 – March 2013	Engl	The International Foundation for Electoral System's (IFES) conducted a global survey of practitioners in gender equality and women's empowerment in 40 countries where IFES is active.	The survey identifies key issues and challenges affecting women and girls and examines priorities for advocacy on gender issues. The survey also assesses the effectiveness of women's organizations and their capacity-building needs to improve future gender program interventions. This report presents the results from the Armenia survey based on responses from nine Armenian civil society organizations working on women's issues.	http://www.ifes.org/~media/Files/Publications/Survey/2013/Global%20Gender%20Survey%20Armenia_JM_bd_RA_2.pdf	Published	

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237	CAUSALITY ANALYSIS OF RURAL WOMEN'S PARTICIPATION WITHIN THE FEDERATION OF AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATIONS	Agribusiness Research Group of the International Center for Agribusiness Research and Education (ICARE)	Federation of Agricultural Associations (FAA)/	Nune Harutyunyan	2007	English	To identify the factors, which hamper participation of Armenian rural women and find the root causes for their non-participation.	Low rate of personal income and absence of paid employment makes rural women extremely dependent, limits their possibilities for further advancement, vocational training/education and employment: extreme poverty, low incomes coupled with lack of infrastructure significantly hinders women's access to social, health care services and facilities	http://icare.am/publications/gender07.pdf		
238	GENDER RESPONSIVE BUDGET AND GENDER STATE IN ARMENIA	UNIFEM	Economic Development and Research Center (EDRC)		2010	English, Armenian	to assess gender state of Armenia, evaluate gender orientation of public budget's programs, to bring out gender problems and achievements of different fields, to provide prerequisites to gender monitoring of budget programs.	The analysis is based on a) an available statistics of budget programs of RA, b) international commitments undertaken by RA, c) national legislation on regulation of gender relations, d) summary of issues and activities for their solutions which were discussed during the workshop organized by EDRC. The informational basis of analysis were statistical booklet of NSS of RA "Men and	http://www.edrc.am/resources/publications/policy-and-analytical-papers	Published	economic rights, general

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								Women of Armenia” and some points of “National Action Plan on Improving the Status of Women and Enhancing Their Role in Society” and the databases created on 2008 state budget of RA.			
239	ARMENIA: BETWEEN HOPE AND DISTRUST	Norwegian Helsinki Committee	Norwegian Helsinki Committee	Lene Wetteland	2014	English,	to monitor the situation with human rights in Armenia	Despite some promises and reforms in connection with Council of Europe membership	http://nhc.no/filestore/Publikasjoner/Rapporter/2014/Report_1_14_web.pdf	Published	cross cutting/political participation
240	GENDER POLICY IN THE ROA AND WOMEN’S RIGHTS IN BUSINESS		Republic of Armenia (RUEA)		2013	Armenian	To study the situation with women’s rights in the country’s socioeconomic sphere	The study focuses on the legal frameworks and on actual situation with women’s rights in the socioeconomic sphere as well as in a number of other sectors	http://www.employers.am/News.aspx?NewsId=39&lang=arm	Published	Women’s economic rights; women’s economic empowerment
241	IMPLEMENTATION OF THE UN CONVENTION ON ALL FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN FOR THE PERIOD 2002- 2007		Democracy Today /All Armenian Union of Women		2008	English	To assess the extent of women’s participation in public and political life; to identify existing incentives and obstacles, and to understand public perceptions of the role of	It is a National Report submitted within the framework of the joint programme of the Council of Europe and European Union. It presents findings of the study which focuses on women’s political participation	http://tbinternet.ohchr.org/_layouts/reatybodyexternal/Download.aspx?symbolno=INT%2fCEDAW%2fNGO%2fAR	Published	Cross-cutting

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							women in governance	but also addresses issues of traditional perceptions of women's role in the society, on the role of education and mass media in promoting women, gender disparities in employment, domestic violence, etc.	M%2f43%2f8005&Lang=en		
242	PARTICIPATION OF WOMEN IN PUBLIC AND POLITICAL LIFE IN THE REPUBLIC OF ARMENIA		Yerevan School of Political Studies	Jemma Hasratyan,Lilit Zakaryan	2013	English, Russian	To assess the extent of women's participation in public and political life; to identify existing incentives and obstacles, and to understand public perceptions of the role of women in governance	It is a National Report submitted within the framework of the joint programme of the Council of Europe and European Union. It presents findings of the study which focuses on women's political participation but also addresses issues of traditional perceptions of women's role in the society, on the role of education and mass media in promoting women, gender disparities in employment, domestic violence, etc.		Published	Women's political participation; cross-cutting

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243	CEDAW ASSESSMENT TOOL REPORT	USAID	ABA / CEELI		2002	Armenian, English	To assess Armenia's <i>de jure</i> and <i>de facto</i> compliance with the CEDAW Convention	The tool is a mechanism designed to uncover the legal obstacles that frustrate the achievement of greater gender equality. It was used to examine State laws in comparison to CEDAW-protected women's rights and to measure how well those rights are protected in practice. The Report based on the Tool generated a wealth of information on the status of women's rights in Armenia, helped design and prioritize reforms and programs aimed at advancing women's rights, produced important initiatives and facilitated capacity-building efforts among local stakeholders and the broader women's rights community.		Published	Assessment of implementation of CEDAW

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244	SEXUAL HARASSMENT OF WOMEN AT WORKPLACE: SITUATION, PROSPECTS, ISSUES	UNDP	Sociometrical Center (Commissioned by Women's Forum)		2003	Armenian	To get a real picture of the scale and forms of sexual harassment of women at workplace	This report on findings of the quantitative study based on 3 sociological surveys (initial - 160 women in Yerevan and 4 regions - to ascertain the existence of sexual harassment and its psychological impact on victims; interim - 500 women and 100 men from 5 cities and towns - to find prevalence, incidence and forms of sexual harassment; final - 600 women in the same 5 cities and towns - to evaluate the results and conclusions of the study)		Published	Sexual harassment
245	GENDER ISSUES IN MONUMENTS OF THE ARMENIAN LEGAL THOUGHT	MacArthur Foundation		Geghetsik Grigoryan	2003	Armenian	To study and analyze gender issues in monuments of the Armenian legal thought and to use the findings for assessment of the current situation with and prospects for gender equality in the human rights context	The conclusions drawn from the analysis of the heritage of the Armenian legal thought provided the background and framework for comparative analysis of the findings of the survey of experts. 30 female experts (including lawyers, public officials, and leaders of political	-	Published	History of gender issues; women's rights as human rights

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								parties and NGOs) were interviewed using a questionnaire consisting of 3 sections and 16 questions. The overall findings were used then to discuss the current situation and prospects for gender equality in the present-day Armenian society.			
246	GENDER EXAMINATION AS A MEAN TO PROTECT WOMEN'S RIGHTS IN ARMENIA			Geghetsik Grigoryan	2003	Armenian	To examine and analyze the situation of and prospects gender equality within the human rights context through the gender expert assessment of the RoA legislation	During public opinion survey a questionnaire including 3 blocks and 16 questions was used. During the experts' interview 30 women with active civic stance were questioned: lawyers, state women-officials, leaders of NGOs and political parties.	-	Published	GBV
247	RURAL WOMEN'S HEALTH	Mama Cash Foundation	Haytour socioeconomic and cultural NGO		2006	Armenian	To examine rural women's awareness and knowledge of reproductive rights, to raise their awareness of the legal grounds existing in Armenia for women's health protection and of the process of	To accomplish the goals of the study small-scale sociological surveys were conducted in a number of rural communities in Armavir, Gegharkunik and Vayots Dzor regions		The study findings were published in "Woman and Health" booklet	Women's reproductive health and rights

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							introduction of medical insurance, to stimulate the formation of women's most attentive and responsible attitude towards their own health				
248	RAISING WOMEN'S AWARENESS ABOUT THEIR REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AND RIGHTS	Matra KAP Program of the Dutch Government and by UNDP	Haytour socioeconomic and cultural NGO		2007 - 2009	Armenian	To design effective strategies for raising awareness of 18-35-year-old women in the regions of Armenia regarding their reproductive health and rights	To accomplish the goals of the study small-scale sociological surveys on reproductive health issues were conducted in 9 rural communities in Ararat, Vayots Dzor, Lori and Tavush regions		The study findings were published in "Woman and Health" booklet	Women's reproductive health and rights
249	DISCOVERING AN UNTAPPED RESOURCE: PROMOTING RURAL WOMEN'S ENTERPRISES AS MEANS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN ARMENIA	Center for Russian, Central and East European Studies/Rutgers University	Center for Russian, Central and East European Studies/Rutgers University	Armine Ishkhanian, Ann Graham, Gulnara Shahinyan,	2002	English	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Rural women
250	WHO ARE WOMEN PRISONERS? SURVEY RESULTS FROM ARMENIA AND	Penal Reform International			2013	English	A multi-regional research project which aims to fill some of the gaps in knowledge about female offenders	By providing facts and figures, the report seeks to illustrate the need for gender-specific policies that respond	http://www.penalreform.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/09/PRI-		Human rights

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	GEORGIA						and to support the implementation of the international standards set by the Bangkok Rules.	to the needs of women in prison, and to enable countries to identify the key areas which need to be addressed as a matter of priority.	Research-report Armenia-and-Georgia Report-2014 ENG.pdf		
251	KEY FACTORS INFLUENCING CONTRACEPTIVE USE IN EASTERN EUROPE AND CENTRAL ASIA	IPPF EN			2012	English, Russian	To study factors influencing access to, and utilisation of, modern contraception in seven middle income countries in the Eastern Europe and Central Asia region, including Armenia.	This qualitative study identified key cross-country factors influencing contraceptive behavior, demand and access. It includes a separate chapter on Armenia.	http://www.ippfen.org/resources/key-factors-influencing-contraceptive-use-eastern-europe-and-central-asia-0Factsheet: http://www.ippfen.org/sites/default/files/Factsheet.pdf	Published	SRHR
252	PORTRAITS OF ARMENIAN WOMEN		Center for gender studies of Democracy Union NGO		1997	English	To present portraits of famous armenian women	The publication presents findings of the research conducted on the role of notable women in the Armenian history.	n/a	Published	Women Stories
253	BEIJING YEREVAN - TWO YEARS LATER	Eurasia Foundation/U SAID	Nowoe Vremia Daily newspaper		1997	Russian	To examine the impact of the Baiijing conference recommendations	The publication contains an analysis of the work done by women's NGO in	n/a	Published	General

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							on the Armenian Governments policies concerning women	Armenia in the post Beijing period			
254	BEIJING YEREVAN - THREE YEARS LATER	Eurasia Foundation/USAID	Nowoe Vremia Daily newspaper		1998	Russian	To examine the dynamic of the developments in Armenia in post Beijing period with regard to women's issues	The follow up publication not only presents the activities carried out by women' NGOs in Armenia but also contains a series of analytical materials focusing on gender issues.	n/a	Published	General
255	EMPLOYMENT OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES IN ARMENIA: NEEDS AND BARRIERS	USAID/ Austrian Development Cooperation through ITF	Save the Children/ Armenia/ IOM	Vladimir Osipov	2013	English, Armenian	To identify PWD employment needs and barriers to PWD employment with special focus on GE issues	This qualitative study focused on the perspectives of three main stakeholders in the employment field: PWD (50), employers (9) and Employment centers' representatives (6) on PWD employment issues. The study had a very strong gender component. It identified attitudinal, environmental and institutional barriers to PWD employment, priority employment needs and provided recommendations for policy changes and	http://www.life-disability.am/Docs/Report_PWD_Employment_Armenia_Eng.pdf	Published	Employment, Disability

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								analysed their tentative consequences			
256	INITIAL REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE ARMENIAN GOVERNMENT TO THE CEDAW COMMITTEE	Government of Armenia	Governm ent of Armenia		1995	English, Russian, Armenian	To examine the women's status and women's issues from the perspective of the obligatiuons under the CEDAW Convention	This initial report submitted after the ratification of the CEDAW Convention examined and presented the women's status in independent Armenia	http://tbinternet.ohchr.org/_layouts/reatybodyexternal/Download.aspx?symbolno=CEDAW%2fC%2fARM%2f1&Lang=en	Published	Cross-cutting
257	SECOND PERIODIC REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE ARMENIAN GOVERNMENT TO THE CEDAW COMMITTEE	Government of Armenia	Governm ent of Armenia		1997	English, Russian, Armenian	To examine the women's status and women's issues from the perspective of the obligatiuons under the CEDAW Convention	The second periodic report contains information both under individual articles of the Convention and regarding the recommendations made in the Concluding Observations of the CEDAW Committee regarding the country's initial report	http://tbinternet.ohchr.org/_layouts/reatybodyexternal/Download.aspx?symbolno=CEDAW%2fC%2fARM%2f2&Lang=en	Published	Cross-cutting

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258	3RD AND 4TH COMBINED PERIODIC REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE ARMENIAN GOVERNMENT TO THE CEDAW COMMITTEE	Government of Armenia	Governm ent of Armenia		2007	English, Russian, Armenian	To examine the women's status and women's issues from the perspective of the obligatiuons under the CEDAW Convention	The 3rd and 4th periodic report contains information both under individual articles of the Convention and regarding the recommendations made in the Concluding Observations of the CEDAW Committee regarding the country's second report	http://tbinternet.ohchr.org/_layouts/reatybodyexternal/Download.aspx?symbolno=CEDAW%2fC%2fARM%2f4&Lang=en	Published	Cross- cutting
259	5TH AND 6TH COMBINED PERIODIC REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE ARMENIAN GOVERNMENT TO THE CEDAW COMMITTEE	Government of Armenia	Governm ent of Armenia		2015	English, Russian, Armenian	To examine the women's status and women's issues from the perspective of the obligatiuons under the CEDAW Convention	This report will be submitted soon		Not published	Cross- cutting
260	MONITORING OF HUMAN RIGHT VIOLATIONS OF LGBT PEOPLE IN ARMENIA	COC- Netherlands	PINK		2013	English	To collect information about the level of protection of LGBT rights by observing different spheres of life: healthcare, educational, employment, family, army, religion, police and	The quatitative study of 111 persons (13 women and 98 men) identified primarily through a snowball method. Besides providing demographic description of the sampled population, the monitoring study	http://issuu.com/pinkarmenia/docs/lgbtmonitoring#embed	Published	LGBT

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							social life, with a particular focus on the previous 2 years	explored the respondents' employment and education status, level of protection of LGBT persons' rights, the incidents and forms of discrimination that those persons face. Also studied were the treatment they receive in workplace, educational institutions, families, in healthcare institutions, in the military and police. Also addressed are religion and social life-related issues.			
261	PUBLIC OPINION TOWARD LGBT PEOPLE IN YEREVAN, GYUMRI AND VANADZOR CITIES : 2011	Counterpart Armenia and USAID	Socioscope societal research and consultancy center and PINK		2011	English	To accumulate and analyze quantitative data on vulnerable groups in Armenia, knowledge of LGBT persons, attitude/stance regarding LGBT persons	Quantitative sociological study was conducted in 3 largest cities of Armenia. 1,1156 women and men were interviewed.. Public awareness, knowledge and perceptions of and attitudes toward LGBT persons were examined as were the stance and actions as well as public perceptions of State	http://issuu.com/pinkarmenia/docs/lgbtsurveyen/11?e=3748946/2746746	Published	LGBT

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								policy toward LGBT persons. Based on the findings the authors make recommendations to the RoA Government, Human Rights Ombudsman and local and international NGOs			
262	LGBTQ COMMUNITY ISSUE IN ARMENIA: PUBLIC AWARENESS AND DISCRIMINATION ATTITUDES TOWARDS SEXUAL MINORITIES	OSF	OSF	Lusine Karamyan	2010	Armenian	To examine a number of core issues of the LGBT community and discrimination that its members face in present-day Armenia	The paper discusses society's negative attitudes to the LGBT community, its resulting marginalization and stigmatization and assesses potential appropriate strategies that might be employed and concrete policy measures taken to develop a culture of tolerance and non-discrimination.	Brief summary at http://www.osf.am/programs/policy-fellowship-initiative/2010-2/	Not published	LGBT
263	LGBT COMMUNITY ISSUES IN ARMENIA: PUBLIC AWARENESS AND DISCRIMINATIVE ATTITUDES TOWARDS	OSF	OSF	Lusine Karamyan	2013	Armenian	To examine some LGBT community-related issues in a broader context of public awareness and discriminatory attitudes towards	The paper discusses issues of public awareness of and discriminatory attitudes and practices toward sexual minorities in Armenia		Not published	LGBT

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