

Table 5.1.1 Prevalence and frequency of physical violence since the age of 15 years by non-partners, among all interviewed women, Fiji 2011

	Physical violence by non-partner since age 15				Number of women interviewed (N)
	Ever happened at least once since age 15 (%)	Frequency			
		By any person once or twice* (%)	By any person few times* (%)	By any person many times* (%)	
Total	26.9	8.4	11.5	7.0	3193
Urban- Rural					
Urban	23.3	6.6	10.5	6.1	1496
Rural	30.2	9.9	12.4	7.7	1697
Division					
Central	27.3	8.0	11.2	7.9	1321
Eastern	37.9	14.7	12.7	10.5	314
Northern	27.4	8.3	13.6	5.5	566
Western	22.8	7.0	10.4	5.4	992
Religion					
Methodist	31.5	10.6	11.7	9.3	1167
Catholic	35.6	9.3	17.8	7.8	281
SDA	37.5	13.9	11.8	11.8	144
AOG	29.6	8.2	14.8	6.1	196
Hindu	14.0	3.4	7.9	2.7	850
Muslim	19.3	4.7	10.4	4.2	192
Other+No religion	34.2	11.9	13.5	8.8	363
Education of respondent					
Primary	23.8	5.9	9.2	8.8	273
Secondary	26.8	8.6	11.5	6.6	2355
Tertiary	29.0	8.7	12.9	7.4	565
Ethnic group					
Fijian (iTaukei)	32.9	11.0	12.9	8.8	2001
Indo-Fijian	15.7	3.4	8.7	3.7	1015
Other	24.3	6.8	11.9	5.1	177
Age group of respondent					
18-24	38.4	15.0	15.5	8.0	401
25-29	32.6	8.6	13.3	10.7	384
30-34	30.0	10.0	12.1	8.0	440
35-39	27.1	7.9	13.2	6.1	380
40-44	25.3	6.5	12.1	6.5	415
45-49	22.3	7.9	8.9	5.5	417
50-54	18.0	4.6	7.4	5.9	323
55-64	20.7	5.8	9.3	5.1	431
Socio-economic cluster					
Lower	35.6	13.2	12.9	9.4	745
Medium	25.3	7.5	11.2	6.4	902
Higher	23.8	6.5	11.1	6.1	1545

* In case of multiple perpetrators, only the perpetrator with the highest frequency is counted.



Table 5.1.2. Prevalence and frequency of forced sexual intercourse since age 15 years, among all interviewed women, Fiji 2011

	Forced sexual intercourse by non-partner since age 15				Number of women interviewed (N)
	Ever happened at least once since age 15 (%)	Frequency			
		By any person once or twice*	By any person few times*	By any person many times*	
Total	3.4	2.4	0.8	0.3	3193
Urban- Rural					
Urban	2.7	1.7	0.7	0.3	1496
Rural	4.0	3.0	0.8	0.2	1697
Division					
Central	3.4	2.2	0.7	0.5	1321
Eastern	5.7	5.1	0.6	0.0	314
Northern	4.2	3.0	0.9	0.4	566
Western	2.2	1.4	0.8	0.0	992
Religion					
Methodist	3.9	3.1	0.7	0.2	1167
Catholic	5.3	5.0	0.4	0.0	281
SDA	6.3	2.8	2.8	0.7	144
AOG	7.7	4.6	1.5	1.5	196
Hindu	0.5	0.2	0.2	0.0	850
Muslim	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.5	192
Other+No religion	5.2	3.0	1.7	0.6	363
Education of respondent					
Primary	2.9	1.8	0.7	0.4	273
Secondary	3.7	2.6	0.9	0.3	2355
Tertiary	2.5	1.8	0.4	0.4	56
Ethnic group					
Fijian (iTaukei)	4.8	3.6	1.0	0.3	2001
Indo-Fijian	0.7	0.2	0.3	0.2	1015
Other	3.4	1.7	1.1	0.6	177
Age group of respondent					
18-24	5.0	3.2	1.0	0.8	401
25-29	4.4	3.1	1.3	0.0	384
30-34	2.5	1.6	0.7	0.2	440
35-39	5.3	3.2	1.3	0.8	380
40-44	2.4	1.7	0.5	0.2	415
45-49	2.2	1.7	0.2	0.2	417
50-54	3.4	3.1	0.3	0.0	323
55-64	2.6	1.9	0.7	0.0	431
Socio-economic cluster					
Lower	4.7	4.0	0.4	0.3	745
Medium	4.1	2.4	1.6	0.1	902
Higher	2.4	1.6	0.5	0.4	1545

* In case of multiple perpetrators, only the perpetrator with the highest frequency is counted

Table 5.1.3. Prevalence and frequency of attempted rape and other sexual abuse since age 15 years, among all interviewed women, Fiji 2011

	Attempted rape and other sexual abuse by non-partner since age 15				Number of women interviewed (N)
	Ever happened at least once since age 15 (%)	Frequency			
		By any person once or twice*	By any person few times*	By any person many times*	
Total	6.8	4.3	1.6	0.8	3193
Urban- Rural					
Urban	6.0	3.5	1.5	0.9	1496
Rural	7.5	5.1	1.7	0.7	1697
Division					
Central	6.5	3.7	1.6	1.2	1321
Eastern	15.6	10.5	3.8	1.3	314
Northern	6.2	3.9	1.6	0.7	566
Western	4.6	3.4	1.0	0.2	992
Religion					
Methodist	7.5	4.9	1.8	0.9	1167
Catholic	11.0	8.2	1.8	1.1	281
SDA	14.6	8.3	4.2	2.1	144
AOG	10.7	6.1	3.1	1.5	196
Hindu	0.9	0.6	0.4	0.0	850
Muslim	2.1	1.6	0.5	0.0	192
Other+No religion	11.9	7.2	2.8	1.9	363
Education of respondent					
Primary	6.2	3.7	1.8	0.7	273
Secondary	6.7	4.3	1.7	0.8	2355
Tertiary	7.3	5.0	1.4	0.9	565
Ethnic group					
Fijian (iTaukei)	9.3	6.2	2.1	1.0	2001
Indo-Fijian	1.4	0.7	0.5	0.2	1015
Other	9.6	4.5	2.8	2.3	177
Age group of respondent					
18-24	11.0	6.2	2.7	2.0	401
25-29	8.6	5.2	2.1	1.3	384
30-34	5.7	4.1	1.1	0.5	440
35-39	7.1	4.5	2.1	0.5	380
40-44	4.8	2.4	1.2	1.2	415
45-49	6.5	3.8	1.9	0.7	417
50-54	5.0	4.3	0.6	0.0	323
55-64	5.6	4.2	1.2	0.2	431
Socio-economic cluster					
Lower	10.7	8.1	2.2	0.5	745
Medium	6.1	3.1	1.6	1.4	902
Higher	5.2	3.2	1.4	0.6	1545

* In case of multiple perpetrators, only the perpetrator with the highest frequency is counted.



Table 5.1.4. Prevalence and frequency of sexual abuse before age 15 years as reported in face to face interview, among all interviewed women, Fiji 2011

	Sexual abuse before age 15				Number of women interviewed (N)
	Ever happened at least once since age 15 (%)	Frequency			
		By any person once or twice* (%)	By any person few times* (%)	By any person many times* (%)	
Total	4.2	2.4	1.0	0.7	3177
Urban- Rural					
Urban	4.5	2.3	1.3	0.9	1493
Rural	3.9	2.4	0.7	0.5	1684
Division					
Central	4.7	2.4	1.4	0.7	1317
Eastern	6.8	5.2	0.3	1.0	308
Northern	3.9	2.1	0.9	0.5	563
Western	2.8	1.5	0.7	0.6	989
Religion					
Methodist	4.7	2.9	1.0	0.6	1158
Catholic	6.5	4.7	1.1	0.4	278
SDA	8.3	3.5	2.8	2.1	144
AOG	8.2	4.6	1.0	2.1	195
Hindu	1.3	0.6	0.4	0.2	849
Muslim	1.6	1.0	0.5	0.0	192
Other+No religion	5.0	1.9	1.9	1.1	361
Education of respondent					
Primary	3.3	1.8	0.7	0.7	273
Secondary	4.4	2.5	1.1	0.6	2343
Tertiary	3.7	2.1	0.7	0.7	561
Ethnic group					
Fijian (iTaukei)	5.2	3.2	1.2	0.6	1988
Indo-Fijian	1.5	0.6	0.5	0.3	1013
Other	8.5	2.8	1.7	3.4	176
Age group of respondent					
18-24	5.3	3.3	1.5	0.3	397
25-29	7.3	4.5	1.1	1.6	382
30-34	3.2	1.4	1.1	0.7	440
35-39	4.2	1.8	1.6	0.8	380
40-44	3.1	1.5	0.7	0.7	413
45-49	5.1	2.9	1.2	0.7	413
50-54	2.2	1.9	0.3	0.0	322
55-64	3.0	1.9	0.5	0.5	428
Socio-economic cluster					
Lower	4.1	2.7	0.8	0.1	737
Medium	5.2	3.3	0.7	1.1	898
Higher	3.6	1.6	1.3	0.7	1541

* In case of multiple perpetrators, only the perpetrator with the highest frequency is counted.

Note: Five women who reported child sexual assault missed answering the frequency questions thus percentages do not add up.

Table 5.2. Overview of prevalence of sexual abuse by non-partners, since the age of 15 years and before the age of 15 years, as reported by all interviewed women, Fiji 2011

	Sexual violence since age 15				Sexual abuse before age 15					
	Forced intercourse (rape) %	Other sexual abuse %	All sexual violence combined %	Total women responded	Face to face interview		Card		Interview and/or card	
					%	Total	%	Total	%	Total
Total	3.4	6.8	8.5	3193	4.2	3182	14.0	3153	15.6	3150
Urban- Rural										
Urban	2.7	5.9	7.4	1496	4.5	1493	12.6	1465	14.2	1463
Rural	4.0	7.5	9.5	1697	3.9	1689	15.2	1688	16.7	1687
Division										
Central	3.4	6.5	8.1	1321	4.7	1319	13.8	1289	15.6	1290
Eastern	5.7	15.6	17.8	314	6.8	309	19.7	314	22.2	311
Northern	4.2	6.2	9.2	566	3.9	565	14.8	561	15.8	562
Western	2.2	4.6	5.6	992	2.8	989	11.9	989	13.3	987
Religion										
Methodist	3.9	7.5	9.8	1167	4.7	1160	16.1	1154	17.9	1152
Catholic	5.3	11.0	13.9	281	6.5	279	20.1	279	21.9	279
SDA	6.3	14.6	16.7	144	8.3	144	21.7	143	25.2	143
AOG	7.7	10.7	14.3	196	8.2	196	21.9	192	24.9	193
Hindu	0.5	0.9	1.2	850	1.3	850	6.3	836	6.9	836
Muslim	0.5	2.1	2.6	192	1.6	192	6.3	189	7.4	189
Other+No religion	5.2	11.8	14.0	363	5.0	361	16.9	360	18.7	358
Education of respondent										
Primary	2.9	6.2	7.3	273	3.3	273	15.2	269	15.2	269
Secondary	3.7	6.7	8.6	2355	4.4	2347	14.6	2325	16.4	2324
Tertiary	2.5	7.3	8.7	565	3.7	562	10.7	559	12.0	557
Ethnic group										
Fijian (iTaukei)	4.8	9.2	11.7	2001	5.2	1991	17.2	1978	19.1	1975
Indo-Fijian	0.7	1.4	1.6	1015	1.5	1014	6.8	998	7.5	998
Other	3.4	9.6	11.9	177	8.5	177	18.6	177	20.9	177
Age group of respondent										
18-24	5.0	11.0	13.5	401	5.3	398	13.9	396	16.5	395
25-29	4.4	8.6	10.9	384	7.3	383	18.6	381	21.5	381
30-34	2.5	5.7	6.6	440	3.2	440	10.8	437	12.3	438
35-39	5.3	7.1	10.3	380	4.2	380	16.5	376	17.0	376
40-44	2.4	4.8	5.8	415	3.1	414	11.9	411	13.1	411
45-49	2.2	6.5	7.4	417	5.1	414	15.4	409	17.4	407
50-54	3.4	5.0	6.8	323	2.2	322	12.2	320	12.5	320
55-64	2.6	5.6	7.0	431	3.0	429	12.8	421	14.0	420
Socio-economic cluster										
Lower	4.7	10.7	13.0	745	4.1	740	19.4	743	20.6	741
Medium	4.1	6.1	8.3	902	5.2	899	15.0	894	17.0	894
Higher	2.4	5.2	6.4	1545	3.6	1542	10.8	1515	12.2	1514

Note: Other sexual abuse refers to attempted rape and other attempted sexual violence.



Table 5.3. Percentage of all interviewed women who reported physical or sexual violence by non-partners, broken down by number and type of perpetrator (N=3193), Fiji 2011

	Physical violence since age 15 years old		Sexual violence since age 15 years old		Fiji questions on attempting on sexual violence since age 15 years old		Sexual abuse before age 15 years old	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Number of perpetrators								
No violence	2333	73.1	3084	96.6	2977	93.2	3049	95.8
One perpetrator	567	17.8	74	2.3	132	4.1	126	4.0
More than one perpetrator	293	9.2	35	1.1	84	2.6	7	0.2
Type of perpetrator (grouped)*								
Male family member(s)	557	64.8	32	29.4	68	31.5	70	52.6
Female family member(s)	238	27.7	6	5.5	6	2.8	5	3.8
Other(s)	369	42.9	74	67.9	151	69.9	61	45.9
Type of perpetrator (detail)								
Father	437		3		1		1	
Stepfather	12		6		6		9	
Other male family member	151		23		61		60	
Female family member	238		6		6		5	
Teacher	261		1		2		1	
Police/ soldier	2		0		2		0	
Male friend of family	14		16		33		17	
Female friend of family	17		1		4		1	
Boyfriend	12		24		28		6	
Stranger	6		9		32		20	
Someone at work	1		2		3		2	
Priest/ religious leader	0		0		1		0	
Female partner	1		0		0		0	
Other	74		23		53		18	
Age of sexual abuse before age 15								
0-4							0	
5-9							2	
10-14							131	

*A victim can have multiple perpetrators in the same category. The numbers reflect the victims and not the perpetrators.

** In case of multiple perpetrators, only the perpetrator with the highest frequency is counted.

Table 5.4. Overlap of non-partner and partner violence among all women (N=3193), Fiji 2011

	Non-partner violence (%)	Partner violence*	Partner or non-partner violence (%)
Physical violence	26.9	58.0	68.5
Sexual violence	8.5	32.3	35.6
Physical and/or sexual violence	30.9	60.9	71.0

* The prevalence rates for partner violence are slightly lower here compared to the tables in chapter 4 because all women and not all ever-partnered women are taken as denominator.

Note: This table does not include child sexual assault; sexual violence covers women over 15 years only.

Table 5.5a. Age of first sexual intercourse, among all interviewed women, Fiji 2011 (percentage in each category)

	Not had sex	<15	15-17	18-21	22+	Refused/ no answer	Number of women interviewed
Total	5.4	1.4	19.2	53.0	20.1	0.9	3192
Urban- Rural							
Urban	7.6	1.3	14.5	52.8	22.3	1.5	1495
Rural	3.4	1.5	23.3	53.3	18.1	0.4	1697
Division							
Central	6.5	1.5	14.5	53.7	22.4	1.4	1320
Eastern	2.2	1.6	25.8	55.4	14.7	0.3	314
Northern	4.1	1.4	29.9	47.9	16.1	0.7	566
Western	5.5	1.3	17.3	54.3	20.9	0.6	992
Religion							
Methodist	5.5	1.5	19.9	53.4	18.9	0.9	1167
Catholic	6.8	1.4	18.5	51.3	21.0	1.1	281
SDA	6.3	4.9	16.7	52.8	18.8	0.7	144
AOG	4.1	3.1	20.4	55.6	16.8	0.0	196
Hindu	4.9	0.5	16.7	54.0	23.1	0.8	850
Muslim	5.8	1.1	27.8	49.2	15.7	0.5	191
Other+No religion	5.0	1.7	19.3	51.8	20.7	1.7	363
Education of respondent							
Primary	1.8	3.3	28.9	49.1	15.8	1.1	273
Secondary	2.8	1.4	21.3	55.6	17.9	1.0	2354
Tertiary	17.7	0.7	5.8	44.4	31.0	0.4	565
Ethnic group							
Fijian (iTaukei)	7.4	2.0	19.6	51.6	18.6	1.0	2000
Indo-Fijian	0.2	0.3	19.2	56.7	23.1	0.6	1015
Other	11.9	2.3	15.3	49.2	19.8	1.7	177
Age group of respondent							
18-24	33.0	0.8	15.5	44.0	6.5	0.3	400
25-29	3.4	2.1	16.4	56.8	21.1	0.3	384
30-34	2.3	1.1	19.1	53.0	24.1	0.5	440
35-39	0.0	2.6	21.6	54.7	20.8	0.3	380
40-44	1.5	0.7	20.7	55.7	20.0	1.5	415
45-49	0.2	2.2	22.3	51.3	22.3	1.7	417
50-54	1.2	1.6	17.3	57.3	20.7	1.9	323
55-64	1.2	0.7	20.2	52.4	24.4	1.2	431
Socio-economic cluster							
Lower	2.6	1.7	28.5	50.3	16.4	0.5	745
Medium	4.4	2.6	19.3	55.7	16.9	1.1	901
Higher	7.3	0.7	14.7	52.8	23.6	1.0	1545



Table 5.5b. Age of first sexual intercourse, among interviewed women who said they ever had sex, Fiji 2011 (%)

	<15	15-17	18-21	22+	Number of interviewed women who ever had sex
Total	1.5	20.5	56.6	21.4	2992
Urban- Rural					
Urban	1.5	16.0	58.1	24.5	1359
Rural	1.6	24.3	55.4	18.8	1633
Division					
Central	1.6	15.7	58.3	24.3	1216
Eastern	1.6	26.5	56.9	15.0	306
Northern	1.5	31.4	50.3	16.9	539
Western	1.4	18.5	57.9	22.2	931
Religion					
Methodist	1.6	21.3	57.1	20.2	1092
Catholic	1.5	20.1	55.6	22.8	259
SDA	5.2	17.9	56.7	20.2	134
AOG	3.2	21.3	58.0	17.6	188
Hindu	0.5	17.7	57.3	24.5	801
Muslim	1.1	29.6	52.5	16.8	179
Other+No religion	1.8	20.7	55.5	22.1	339
Education of respondent					
Primary	3.4	29.8	50.6	16.2	265
Secondary	1.5	22.1	57.8	18.6	2264
Tertiary	0.9	7.1	54.2	37.8	463
Ethnic group					
Fijian (iTaukei)	2.1	21.3	56.3	20.3	1832
Indo-Fijian	0.3	19.4	57.1	23.2	1007
Other	2.6	17.7	56.9	22.9	153
Age group of respondent					
18-24	1.1	23.2	65.9	9.7	267
25-29	2.2	17.0	58.9	21.9	370
30-34	1.2	19.6	54.4	24.8	428
35-39	2.6	21.6	54.9	20.8	379
40-44	0.7	21.3	57.3	20.6	403
45-49	2.2	22.7	52.3	22.7	409
50-54	1.6	17.9	59.1	21.4	313
55-64	0.7	20.7	53.7	24.9	421
Socio-economic cluster					
Lower	1.8	29.4	51.9	16.9	722
Medium	2.7	20.5	59.0	17.9	851
Higher	0.7	16.0	57.6	25.7	1418

Table 5.6a. Nature of first sexual experience, among women who ever had sex, Fiji 2011 (% in each category)

	Wanted to have sex	Did not want but had sex	Forced to have sex	Number of interviewed women who ever had sex
Total	70.9	24.3	4.8	2961
Urban- Rural				
Urban	70.7	25.1	4.2	1340
Rural	70.9	23.8	5.3	1621
Division				
Central	71.1	24.4	4.5	1199
Eastern	71.5	19.3	9.2	305
Northern	70.7	23.4	6.0	535
Western	70.4	26.6	3.0	922
Religion				
Methodist	75.5	18.7	5.8	1081
Catholic	72.2	23.5	4.3	255
SDA	75.2	19.5	5.3	133
AOG	72.6	21.5	5.9	186
Hindu	64.9	32.4	2.7	792
Muslim	62.6	34.6	2.8	179
Other+No religion	70.7	22.1	7.2	335
Education of respondent				
Primary	63.6	29.9	6.4	264
Secondary	71	23.9	5.0	2238
Tertiary	74.1	23.3	2.6	459
Ethnic group				
Fijian (iTaukei)	74.3	19.6	6.1	1816
Indo-Fijian	64.1	33.2	2.7	996
Other	73.8	22.8	3.4	149
Age group of respondent				
18-24	67.5	23	9.4	265
25-29	64.3	29.4	6.3	367
30-34	74.4	21.4	4.2	425
35-39	70.7	25.8	3.5	376
40-44	74	23.3	2.8	400
45-49	67.1	26.5	6.4	404
50-54	69.2	25.6	5.2	308
55-64	77.1	20.5	2.4	414
Socio-economic cluster				
Lower	72.4	21.1	6.5	721
Medium	71.6	23.2	5.2	842
Higher	69.6	26.8	3.7	1397

Table 5.6b. Nature of first sexual experience by age of first sexual intercourse, among women who ever had sex, Fiji 2011

Age of first sexual intercourse	Wanted to have sex	Did not want but had sex	Forced to have sex	Number of women interviewed
Total	70.9	24.4	4.8	2961
<15	34.8	19.6	45.7	46
15-17	61.5	29.8	8.4	609
18-21	71.4	24.1	3.4	1672
22+	78.1	19.1	1.9	634



Table 6.1. Attitudes to gender power relations. Proportion of interviewed women who said they agree with the following statements (N=3186*), Fiji 2011

	<i>Percentage of women who agreed with the following:</i>				
	<i>"A good wife obeys her husband even if she disagrees" (%)</i>	<i>"A man should show he is the boss" (%)</i>	<i>"A woman should be able to choose her own friends even if her husband disapproves" (%)</i>	<i>"Wife is obliged to have sex with husband" (%)</i>	<i>"If a man mistreats his wife, others outside of the family should intervene" (%)</i>
Total	59.8	55.0	47.1	33.1	41.6
Urban- Rural					
Urban	60.3	48.4	50.2	30.1	41.2
Rural	59.4	60.9	44.4	35.7	42.0
Division					
Central	58.7	50.5	50.9	30.5	39.9
Eastern	57.5	62.0	45.0	37.4	47.0
Northern	53.8	54.7	47.3	28.3	38.8
Western	65.5	59.0	42.6	37.8	43.8
Religion					
Methodist	58.2	62.6	49.1	32.1	44.6
Catholic	57.5	56.1	49.3	27.9	39.3
SDA	46.5	51.4	56.3	16.7	45.5
AOG	57.0	57.5	54.2	32.1	42.0
Hindu	65.3	46.8	40.8	39.7	37.5
Muslim	64.6	42.2	42.2	45.3	41.1
Other+No religio	57.6	55.6	49.3	25.3	41.7
Education of respondent					
Primary	69.5	68.4	42.3	52.6	45.6
Secondary	61.1	59.0	45.6	34.2	41.9
Tertiary	49.8	31.9	55.8	18.8	38.5
Ethnic group					
Fijian (iTaukei)	56.8	60.8	48.6	28.9	43.5
Indo-Fijian	66.8	46.4	40.4	41.8	38.2
Other	52.8	38.1	69.3	30.1	39.8
Age group of respondent					
18-24	60.4	43.9	49.5	22.4	40.6
25-29	58.0	50.9	52.0	28.2	42.6
30-34	54.8	48.9	48.5	30.8	39.6
35-39	61.3	52.6	47.1	32.1	40.8
40-44	58.1	54.7	47.5	35.4	43.2
45-49	59.5	57.8	47.2	33.5	38.5
50-54	63.9	63.9	45.7	38.6	42.9
55-64	63.5	68.4	40.0	43.7	44.7
According to experience of violence (N=3028**)					
All ever-partnered women	60.1	56.1	46.6	34.0	41.4
No partner violence	59.4	50.8	42.9	32.2	37.5
Physical or sexual partner violence	60.5	59.1	48.7	35.0	43.6
P-value	0.56	<0.001	0.002	0.12	0.001

* 7 women did not reply to the attitude questions and have been omitted from the analysis.

** The two Ns in this table are different because the attitude questions were asked from all women, while the association with partner violence is tested for ever-partnered women only.

Table 6.2. Attitudes to physical partner violence. Proportion of interviewed women who said they agree that a man has "good reason" to hit his wife for the following reasons (N=3186*), Fiji 2011

	<i>Percentage of women who agree that a man has a "good reason" to hit his wife if:</i>							<i>Percentage of women who agree with:</i>	
	"Reason to hit: not complete household"	"Reason to hit: wife disobeys him"	"Reason to hit: wife refuses sex"	"Reason to hit: wife asks about girl friends"	"Reason to hit: husband suspects wife unfaithful"	"Reason to hit: husband finds out wife unfaithful"	"Reason to hit: wife disrespect his family"	One or more of the reasons mentioned	None of the reasons mentioned
Total	13.1	25.0	8.5	6.8	14.3	33.8	22.6	42.6	57.4
Urban- Rural									
Urban	8.9	19.9	5.8	5.8	12.1	28.5	17.4	37.4	62.6
Rural	16.9	29.5	10.8	7.6	16.2	38.5	27.2	47.2	52.8
Division									
Central	11.2	22.0	7.1	5.8	13.0	31.8	20.2	40.1	59.9
Eastern	18.2	35.5	11.2	5.4	21.1	54.0	28.8	59.7	40.3
Northern	17.5	27.1	12.6	9.4	16.5	35.2	27.3	42.5	57.5
Western	11.6	24.4	7.2	7.0	12.5	29.3	21.1	40.5	59.5
Religion									
Methodist	17.2	31.4	9.6	7.9	18.4	40.3	26.9	50.1	49.9
Catholic	13.2	28.2	9.6	7.5	16.4	37.5	25.0	46.8	53.2
SDA	11.8	26.4	6.9	11.1	16.7	38.2	26.4	44.4	55.6
AOG	13.0	26.4	8.3	7.3	15.5	33.7	26.4	43.5	56.5
Hindu	7.7	16.2	7.7	5.4	9.0	24.2	15.2	31.7	68.3
Muslim	12.0	21.4	9.4	5.7	10.4	28.1	19.8	39.6	60.4
Other+No religion	14.0	23.1	6.1	4.1	11.8	33.6	21.8	41.0	59.0
Education of respondent									
Primary	19.1	32.4	14.0	8.5	15.4	36.4	23.9	43.8	56.3
Secondary	14.6	26.8	9.1	7.4	15.4	35.8	24.5	45.0	55.0
Tertiary	4.1	14.0	3.2	3.2	8.9	24.3	13.8	31.9	68.1
Ethnic group									
Fijian (iTaukei)	16.0	29.8	8.7	7.4	16.8	38.8	26.6	48.3	51.7
Indo-Fijian	8.2	17.3	8.1	5.3	9.8	26.0	16.3	34.0	66.0



Table 6.2. Attitudes to physical partner violence. Proportion of interviewed women who said they agree that a man has "good reason" to hit his wife for the following reasons (N=3186*), Fiji 2011

Age group of respondent	Percentage of women who agree that a man has a "good reason" to hit his wife if:								Percentage of women who agree with:	
	"Reason to hit: not complete household"	"Reason to hit: wife disobeys him"	"Reason to hit: wife refuses sex"	"Reason to hit: wife asks about girl friends"	"Reason to hit: husband suspects wife unfaithful"	"Reason to hit: husband finds out wife unfaithful"	"Reason to hit: wife disrespect his family"	One or more of the reasons mentioned	None of the reasons mentioned	
Other	9.1	15.3	8.5	7.4	10.8	21.6	13.6	27.3	72.7	
18-24	14.2	26.9	4.7	6.2	14.5	36.9	26.2	49.4	50.6	
25-29	12.5	25.1	6.8	7.0	15.1	32.4	23.8	40.5	59.5	
30-34	9.6	21.0	5.3	4.6	11.4	30.6	18.3	37.6	62.4	
35-39	10.8	21.6	6.3	6.6	12.9	30.8	19.2	38.9	61.1	
40-44	12.8	23.6	8.7	7.5	11.3	35.7	21.0	43.1	56.9	
45-49	13.0	26.0	11.8	8.9	15.9	35.4	24.1	45.3	54.7	
50-54	12.1	24.0	7.8	4.0	12.8	31.8	21.5	39.4	60.6	
55-64	19.5	31.2	15.8	8.6	19.8	36.0	26.3	45.6	54.4	
According to experience of violence (N=3028**)										
No partner violence	9.6	18.7	5.9	5.3	9.6	26.1	17.8	34.5	65.5	
Physical or sexual partner violence	15.3	28.7	10.4	7.5	17.0	38.6	25.1	47.8	52.2	
P-value	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.021	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	

* 7 women did not reply to the attitude questions and have been omitted from the analysis.
 ** The two Ns in this table are different because the attitude questions were asked from all women, while the association with partner violence is tested for ever-partnered women only.

Table 6.3. Attitudes to sexual partner violence. Proportion of interviewed women who said they agree that a married woman can refuse to have sex with her husband for the following reasons (N=3186), Fiji 2011

	<i>Percentage of women who agreed with the following:</i>							<i>Percentage of women who agree with:</i>	
	"A married woman can refuse sex if she doesn't want to"	"A married woman can refuse sex if her husband is drunk"	"A married woman can refuse sex if she is sick"	"A married woman can refuse sex if her husband mistreats her"	"A married woman can refuse sex if he has a mistress or girlfriend"	"A married woman can refuse sex if she is pregnant"	"A married woman can refuse sex if she has her period"	One or more of the reasons mentioned	None of the reasons mentioned
Total	76.5	83.1	91.8	87.1	87.9	91.9	93.0	97.4	2.6
Urban- Rural									
urban	78.3	82.1	91.2	85.6	87.1	90.3	91.2	97.2	2.8
rural	74.9	84.0	92.4	88.4	88.6	93.3	94.7	97.6	2.4
Division									
Central	77.6	82.6	92.0	87.3	88.4	91.4	92.8	98	2
Eastern	71.3	86.9	95.2	88.8	85.9	95.2	97.8	98.4	1.6
Northern	77.0	84.4	90.6	85.8	89.0	91.5	91.9	96.5	3.5
Western	76.4	81.8	91.1	87.0	87.2	91.7	92.5	96.9	3.1
Religion									
Methodist	75.3	85.2	92.2	87.5	87.2	92.0	94.2	97.7	2.3
Catholic	77.2	85.7	93.6	88.9	91.1	92.1	95.4	98.6	1.4
SDA	79.2	88.9	91.7	90.3	87.5	93.1	94.4	97.9	2.1
AOG	77.0	84.5	94.3	90.2	90.2	93.8	93.3	97.4	2.6
Hindu	76.2	77.7	91.0	85.0	86.7	91.5	90.7	97.1	2.9
Muslim	74.5	79.7	90.6	83.3	85.9	88.5	90.1	94.8	5.2
Other+No religion	80.2	85.7	90.4	88.4	90.4	92.3	93.9	97.8	2.2
Education of respondent									
Primary	68.1	77.6	90.4	82.4	86.4	90.4	91.9	97.8	2.2
Secondary	74.6	81.7	91.1	86.3	86.7	91.2	92.3	97.1	2.9
Tertiary	88.5	91.5	95.6	92.7	93.4	95.4	96.8	98.4	1.6
Ethnic group									
Fijian (iTraukey)	76.1	85.4	91.9	88.2	88.1	92.2	93.9	97.5	2.5



Table 6.3. Attitudes to sexual partner violence. Proportion of interviewed women who said they agree that a married woman can refuse to have sex with her husband for the following reasons (N=3186), Fiji 2011

	<i>Percentage of women who agreed with the following:</i>							<i>Percentage of women who agree with:</i>	
	"A married woman can refuse sex if she doesn't want to"	"A married woman can refuse sex if her husband is drunk"	"A married woman can refuse sex if she is sick"	"A married woman can refuse sex if her husband mistreats her"	"A married woman can refuse sex if he has a mistress or girlfriend"	"A married woman can refuse sex if she is pregnant"	"A married woman can refuse sex if she has her period"	One or more of the reasons mentioned (%)	None of the reasons mentioned (%)
Indo-Fijian	76.1	78.1	91.1	84.4	87.2	91.1	90.9	97.1	2.9
Other	83.6	85.8	94.3	90.3	89.2	92.6	94.9	97.7	2.3
Age group of respondent									
18-24	79.3	84.5	90.8	88.3	86.0	90.5	93.0	97.8	2.2
25-29	79.4	82.2	90.9	87.5	88.3	91.9	92.2	96.9	3.1
30-34	80.5	87.9	94.3	91.1	90.0	93.6	94.8	98.6	1.4
35-39	76.6	84.2	93.2	87.1	89.7	92.6	92.4	97.6	2.4
40-44	77.8	83.1	92.3	87.5	88.4	92.5	93.0	97.1	2.9
45-49	73.6	78.8	89.4	85.1	85.5	89.2	90.6	96.9	3.1
50-54	77.1	83.9	91.9	86.6	87.6	92.9	94.4	97.8	2.2
55-64	68.4	80.2	91.6	83.5	87.4	91.9	94.0	96.7	3.3
According to experience of violence (N=3035**)									
No partner violence	78.0	84.0	91.9	88.0	88.3	91.9	93.1	97.2	2.8
Physical or sexual partner violence	75.3	82.4	91.7	86.6	87.7	92.0	92.9	97.6	2.4
P-value	0.099	0.24	0.83	0.30	0.59	0.97	0.85	0.52	0.52

* 7 women did not reply to the attitude questions and have been omitted from the analysis.
 ** The two Ns in this table are different because the attitude questions were asked from all women, while the association with partner violence is tested for ever-partnered women only.

Table 6.4. Situations associated with violence as reported by women who ever experienced physical partner violence (N=1853), Fiji 2011

	No particular reason (%)	Partner drunk (%)	Money problem (%)	Difficulties with his work (%)	He is unemployed (%)	No food at home (%)	Family problem (%)	She is pregnant (%)	He is jealous of her (%)	She refuses sex (%)	She is disobedient (%)	Shows he is boss (%)	Other reasons (%)
Total	8.3	28.9	11.7	6.6	3.1	6.6	21.1	1.7	29.6	10.1	29.0	9.7	25.5
Urban- Rural													
Urban	13.6	36.3	14.3	9.7	3.4	6.0	19.1	2.2	26.2	9.0	20.4	7.1	26.0
Rural	4.6	23.8	9.8	4.5	2.9	7.1	22.5	1.4	32.0	10.8	35.0	11.6	25.1
Division													
Central	10.5	31.0	13.6	9.6	3.2	8.1	19.2	2.1	25.4	9.8	24.2	9.1	24.9
Eastern	3.3	20.7	8.3	2.5	1.2	7.0	18.2	0.4	43.0	12.4	40.1	16.5	25.6
Northern	6.1	22.9	11.1	7.2	2.5	6.6	27.1	1.7	29.4	9.4	32.7	11.4	25.2
Western	9.2	33.8	11.0	4.2	4.2	4.6	20.8	1.8	29.3	9.9	27.8	6.4	26.3
Religion													
Methodist	7.3	28.0	9.1	5.7	2.8	7.5	20.7	1.5	34.0	9.0	31.9	12.9	22.3
Catholic	7.1	33.0	7.6	5.4	2.7	8.2	17.9	1.6	33.9	9.2	32.1	12.0	21.2
SDA	6.3	28.4	17.9	6.3	0.0	7.4	15.8	2.1	40.0	12.6	22.1	10.5	30.5
AOG	6.7	32.6	11.1	4.4	3.7	5.9	14.8	0.7	27.4	10.4	34.1	5.9	29.6
Hindu	10.8	26.6	18.0	7.7	5.0	4.5	29.6	2.6	13.0	10.8	23.0	5.3	25.9
Muslim	15.3	20.0	7.1	3.5	1.2	2.4	29.4	2.4	14.1	10.6	30.6	4.7	37.6
Other+No religion	7.8	33.9	12.4	11.9	3.2	7.8	13.3	1.4	42.2	11.9	25.7	8.3	29.8
Education of respondent													
Primary	8.0	29.4	17.2	6.1	4.3	10.4	27.6	2.5	21.5	12.3	24.5	10.4	26.4
Secondary	8.6	28.6	11.6	6.2	3.3	6.8	20.6	1.7	30.5	10.1	30.3	10.3	24.9
Tertiary	6.8	30.6	8.4	9.6	1.2	3.2	20.0	1.2	29.5	8.8	23.9	5.6	28.4
Ethnic group													
Fijian (iTraukey)	7.4	29.5	10.2	6	2.7	7.6	18.1	1.4	34.5	9.5	30.7	10.6	24.4
Indo-Fijian	11.3	23.7	15.2	8.3	4.2	3.8	29.2	2.3	13.5	9.8	24.8	4.8	27.9
Other	5.3	47.9	13.8	6.4	4.3	8.5	21.3	3.2	44.7	20.2	26.6	22.3	27.7
Age group of respondent													
18-24	7.2	33.8	9.4	5	2.2	3.6	20.1	3.6	36.7	10.8	29.5	5.8	22.3
25-29	10.3	26.4	13.7	6	5.2	7.7	20.2	2.6	36.3	13.3	32.5	11.6	26.2
30-34	5.6	25.2	9.8	7.1	3.7	6.4	21.4	2.3	27.8	11.3	28.9	7.5	27.4
35-39	11.2	26.4	10.3	9.5	4.5	6.6	20.2	1.2	32.6	8.3	24.8	10.3	26.9
40-44	8.6	25.7	12.5	6.1	1.8	7.2	19.7	2.2	24	10.8	32.6	10.8	30.8
45-49	8.3	29.7	14.3	6.8	3.4	5.6	22.9	0.8	31.6	6.8	31.2	8.3	24.1
50-54	5.9	32.6	12.3	7	1.6	4.8	25.1	1.1	21.9	10.7	25.7	12.8	20.9
55-64	8.8	35.4	10	5	2.1	9.6	19.7	0.8	28.3	9.6	25.1	10.0	22.2



Table 7.1. Percentage of women reporting injuries as a result of physical or sexual partner violence, Fiji 2011

	Ever injured (%)	Number of women reporting partner violence (N)
Total	46.7	1945
Urban- Rural		
Urban	46.3	805
Rural	47.0	1140
Division		
Central	47.7	741
Eastern	53.6	250
Northern	44.6	379
Western	43.9	575
Religion		
Methodist	49.4	797
Catholic	42.4	191
SDA	57.0	100
AOG	54.4	138
Hindu	33.6	399
Muslim	44.8	87
Other+No religion	55.4	233
Education of respondent		
Primary	46.1	167
Secondary	47.6	1513
Tertiary	42.3	265
Ethnic group		
Fijian (iTaukei)	50.6	1343
Indo-Fijian	34.7	507
Other	56.8	95
Age group of respondent		
18-24	38.4	159
25-29	47.8	249
30-34	46.7	277
35-39	52.0	254
40-44	45.4	284
45-49	49.3	277
50-54	46.4	192
55-64	44.6	251
Socio-economic status		
Lower	47.9	562
Medium	50.7	584
Higher	43.1	799
By type of partner violence		
Sexual only	2.2	92
Physical only	36.6	915
Physical and sexual	61.0	938
Physical or sexual	46.7	1945

Table 7.2. Prevalence, frequency and type of injuries and health service use for women who were injured due to physical or sexual partner violence, Fiji 2011

a. Prevalence, frequency, use of services	n	%
Injuries among women reporting partner violence (N=1945)		
Ever injured due to partner violence	909	46.7
Injured in the past 12 months	252	13.0
Ever lost consciousness	259	13.3
Lost consciousness in past 12 months	59	3.0
Ever hurt enough to need health care	450	23.2
Frequency injured among ever injured (N=909)		
Once time	360	39.6
2 - 5 times	348	38.3
More than 5 times	201	22.1
Among women hurt enough to need health care (N=450)		
Proportion needed health care in the past 12m	91	20.2
Proportion ever received health care for injuries	293	64.9
Among women who received health care for injuries (N=293)		
Proportion who spent at least 1 night in hospital due to injury	91	31.1
Proportion who told health worker about real cause of injury	193	65.9

b. Type of injury	During lifetime		During past 12 months	
	n	%	n	%
Type of injury among ever injured (N=909)				
Cuts, puncture, bites	365	40.2	113	12.4
Scratch, abrasion and bruises	646	71.1	237	26.1
Sprains, dislocations	87	9.6	26	2.9
Burns	33	3.6	7	0.8
Penetrating injuries, deep cuts	183	20.1	49	5.4
Broken ear drum, eye injuries	495	54.5	172	18.9
Fractures, broken bones	97	10.7	30	3.3
Broken teeth	70	7.7	15	1.7
Internal injuries	124	13.6	30	3.3
Permanent Disability	16	1.8	5	0.6
Other	49	5.4	17	1.9



Table 7.3. Self-reported impact of violence on women's physical and mental health, among women who reported physical or sexual partner violence, Fiji 2011

Self reported impact on health (N=1941)	No effect (%)	A little (%)	A lot (%)
Total	57.7	25.6	16.6
Urban- Rural			
Urban	54.8	24.4	20.7
Rural	59.7	26.4	13.8
Division			
Central	62.1	20.5	17.3
Eastern	55.8	30.1	14.1
Northern	58.9	27.4	13.7
Western	52.0	29.1	18.9
Religion			
Methodist	59.7	26.8	13.4
Catholic	62.0	27.1	10.9
SDA	54.0	25.0	21.0
AOG	54.0	26.3	19.7
Hindu	56.3	22.6	21.1
Muslim	57.5	19.5	23.0
Other+No religion	53.7	27.7	18.6
Education of respondent			
Primary	47.9	27.5	24.6
Secondary	58.7	25.7	15.6
Tertiary	58.3	24.1	17.7
Ethnic group			
Fijian (iTaukei)	59.0	26.4	14.6
Indo-Fijian	55.2	23.8	21.0
Other	53.2	24.5	22.3
Age group of respondent			
18-24	61.4	26.6	12.0
25-29	51.8	26.5	21.7
30-34	60.1	24.3	15.6
35-39	57.9	26.4	15.7
40-44	59.0	22.3	18.7
45-49	57.8	24.0	18.2
50-54	57.8	24.0	18.2
55-64	57.1	31.0	11.5
Socio-economic cluster			
Lower	60.3	26.0	13.7
Medium	57.1	26.1	16.8
Higher	56.3	25.0	18.6

Table 7.4.a. General, physical and mental health problems reported among ever-partnered women, according to women's experience of physical and/or sexual partner violence, Fiji 2011

	By urban/rural area										Total Fiji	
	Urban (N=1393)					Rural (N=1642)					Total (N=3035)	
	No Violence (N=588) %	Physical/sexual Violence (N=805) %	P-value	All partnered women (N=1393) %	No Violence (N=502) %	Physical/sexual Violence (N=1140) %	P-value	All partnered women (N=1642) %	No Violence (N=1090) %	Physical/sexual Violence (N=1945) %	P-value	All partnered women (N=3035) %
General health status												
Fair, poor and very poor of health	19.7	28.8	<0.001	25.0	22.3	23.1	0.75	22.8	20.9	25.5	0.005	23.8
Some/many problems walking	12.6	15.9	0.090	14.5	10.8	11.7	0.61	11.4	11.7	13.4	0.19	12.8
Some, many problems with performing usual activities	10.0	15.7	0.002	13.3	10.0	13.0	0.085	12.1	10.0	14.1	0.001	12.6
Some/ many problem of pain	9.5	14.0	0.013	12.1	10.6	14.0	0.056	13.0	10.0	14.0	0.001	12.6
Some/many problems with memory or concentration	5.1	9.9	0.001	7.9	7.4	9.5	0.19	8.8	6.2	9.7	0.001	8.4
Emotional distress in past 4 weeks as measured by SRQ*												
0-5	76.9	47.6		59.9	71.3	47.9		55.1	74.3	47.8		57.3
6-10	17.7	29.6		24.6	18.5	26.5		24.1	18.1	27.8		24.3
11-15	4.1	16.4		11.2	8.0	19.1		15.7	5.9	18.0		13.6
16-20	1.4	6.5	<0.001	4.3	2.2	6.5	<0.001	5.2	1.7	6.5	<0.001	4.8
<i>Mean SRQ score**</i>	3.5	6.6		5.3	4.2	6.8		6.0	3.8	6.7		5.7
<i>Median SRQ score**</i>	3.0	6.0		4.0	3.0	6.0		5.0	3.0	6.0		5.0
Ever thought about suicide	9.4	28.4	<0.001	20.4	10.0	27.9	<0.001	22.4	9.6	28.1	<0.001	21.5
Ever attempted suicide	3.1	8.7	<0.001	6.3	1.8	6.3	<0.001	4.9	2.5	7.3	<0.001	5.6
Chronic conditions												
Diabetes	7.8	8.5	0.69	8.2	7.6	6.6	0.53	6.9	7.7	7.4	0.77	7.5
Asthma	4.3	6.8	0.047	5.7	4.2	6.2	0.10	5.6	4.2	6.5	0.011	5.7
High blood pressure	15.2	19.8	0.028	17.8	18.7	18.0	0.73	18.2	16.8	18.7	0.20	18.0
Physical disabilities	2.0	3.6	0.11	3.0	1.2	2.0	0.31	1.8	1.7	2.7	0.08	2.3

* SRQ-20 is a set of 20 questions that make up a WHO screening tool for emotional distress, more points indicating more probability for depression (WHO 1994).
 ** Note that this is not a percentage but an average score for each of the subgroups.



Table 7.4.b. Mental health problems reported among ever-partnered women, according to women's experience of emotional partner violence, Fiji 2011

	Women who did <u>not</u> report physical or sexual partner violence				Women who reported physical or sexual partner violence				Total ever-partnered women (N= 3035) %
	No Violence* (N=856) %	Emotional violence alone (N=234) %	P-value	Ever-partnered women without phys/sex violence (N= 1090) %	Physical or sexual violence without emotional abuse (N= 467) %	Physical or sexual violence with emotional abuse (N=1478) %	P-value	Ever-partnered women with phys/sex violence (N= 1945) %	
Emotional distress in past 4 weeks as measured by SRQ**									
0-5	76.5	66.2		74.3	63.1	43.7		47.8	57.3
6-10	16.5	23.9		18.1	23.5	28.9		27.8	24.3
11-15	5.5	7.3		5.9	10.3	20.1		18.0	13.6
16-20	1.5	2.6	0.013	1.7	3.2	7.4	<0.001	6.5	4.8
<i>Mean SRQ score***</i>	3.6	4.6		3.8	5.1	7.2		6.7	5.7
<i>Median SRQ score***</i>	3.0	3.0		3.0	4.0	6.0		6.0	5.0
Ever thought about suicide	8.2	15.0	0.004	9.6	13.5	32.0	<0.001	28.1	21.5
Ever attempted suicide	2.2	3.4	0.482	2.5	2.4	8.6	<0.001	7.3	5.6

* For the purpose of this table the women with 'no violence' did not experience any physical, sexual or psychological violence; hence the N is different compared to table 7.5.a.

** SRQ-20 is a set of 20 questions that make up a WHO screening tool for emotional distress, more points indicating more probability for depression (WHO 1994).

*** Note that this is not a percentage but an average score for each of the subgroups.

Table 7.5. Use of health services and medication among ever-partnered women, according to their experience of physical and/or sexual partner violence, Fiji 2011

	No Violence (%)	Physical/sexual violence (%)	P-value	All respondents (%)
Use of services and medicines in the past 4 weeks (N=3035)				
Consulted a doctor or health worker	25.4	33.3	<0.001	30.5
Took medicine to sleep	5.5	6.0	0.63	5.8
Took medicine for pain	43.8	49.9	0.001	47.7
Took medicine for sadness/depression	2.0	3.0	0.101	2.7
Use of services in the past 12 months (N=3035)				
Had an operation (other than caesarean section)	3.5	3.6	1.0	3.5
Spent at least one night in a hospital	5.2	8.9	<0.001	7.6

Table 7.6. Reproductive health outcomes reported by women, according to their experience of physical and/or sexual partner violence, Fiji 2011

a. According to experience of partner violence	No violence (%)	Physical/sexual violence (%)	P-value*	All respondents (%)
Pregnancy rate among ever-partnered women (N=3034)				
Ever pregnant	89.8	94.2	<0.001	92.7
Circumstances of most recent pregnancy for women who delivered in last 5 yrs (N=940)				
Pregnancy unwanted or wanted later	33.8	49.9	<0.001	45.2
Reproductive health among those ever pregnant (N=2814)				
Ever had miscarriage	17.0	18.9	0.22	18.2
Ever had stillbirth	3.6	4.2	0.48	4.0
Ever had abortion	2.2	3.5	0.05	3.0

b. According to experience of violence in pregnancy	No violence in pregnancy (%)	Violence in pregnancy (%)	P-value*	All respondents (%)
Reproductive health among those ever pregnant (N=2814)				
Ever had miscarriage	17.5	22.4	0.017	18.2
Ever had stillbirth	3.7	5.4	0.14	4.0
Ever had abortion	3.0	3.3	0.76	3.0

* Fisher exact two tailed P value for the difference between women who experienced violence and who did not experience physical and/or sexual partner violence.



Table 7.7. Factors related to last pregnancy, among women with live birth in the past 5 years, according to the women's experience of physical and/or sexual partner violence, Fiji 2011

	No Violence (N= 275) (%)	With physical or sexual partner violence (N=665) (%)	P-value*	All women (N= 940) (%)
Respondent did not want this pregnancy then (unwanted or mistimed pregnancy)	33.8	49.9	<0.001	45.2
Partner did not wanted this pregnancy then	18.6	26.5	0.009	24.2
Partner wanted a son	36.4	54.7	<0.001	49.4
Respondent used alcohol during pregnancy	3.6	8.3	0.011	6.9
Respondent smoked during this pregnancy	7.3	13.2	0.009	11.5
Postnatal check-up not done	13.4	19.4	0.031	17.7

* Fisher exact two tailed P value for the difference between women who experienced violence and who did not experience physical and/or sexual partner violence.

Table 7.8. Use of contraception reported by women, according to their experience of physical and/or sexual partner violence, Fiji 2011

	No Violence (%)	Physical/sexual violence (%)	P-value*	All respondents (%)
Among all ever-partnered women who ever had sex (N=3024)				
Ever using a method to prevent/delay pregnancy	44.3	56.0	<0.001	51.9
Currently using a method to prevent/delay pregnancy	18.8	21.2	0.12	20.4
Partner has ever refused/stopped contraception	3.2	10.2	<0.001	7.7
Ever used a condom with current or most recent partner	28.6	28.4	0.90	28.5
Ever asked current or most recent partner to use condom	21.7	24.8	0.055	23.7
Current or most recent partner ever refused to use condom	5.5	13.6	<0.001	10.7
Among women currently using contraception (N=606)				
Current partner knows she is using contraception	95.5	90.7	0.037	92.2
Among women who ever used a condom with current/most recent partner (N=876)				
Used a condom during last time they had sex	29.1	22.2	0.027	24.7

* Fisher exact two tailed P value for the difference between women who experienced violence and who did not experience physical and/or sexual partner violence.

Table 7.9. How husbands/partners showed disapproval of contraceptive or condom among women who mentioned partner ever refused use of method, Fiji 2011

Way of showing disapproval	Any contraception (N=240)		Condoms (N=324)	
	Number	(%)	Number	(%)
Told he did not approve	206	85.8	265	81.8
Shouted/got angry	36	15.0	41	12.7
Threatened to beat her	6	2.5	5	1.5
Threatened to leave/throw her out of home	3	1.3	0	0.0
Beat her/physically assaulted her	5	2.1	9	2.8
Took or destroyed method	7	2.9	8	2.5
Accused her of being unfaithful/not good woman	n.a.		17	5.3
Laughed at her/not take her serious	n.a.		13	4.0
Said it is not necessary	n.a.		55	17.0
Other	17	7.1	18	5.6

Numbers add up to more than N and percentages to more than 100% because respondents could give multiple response.

Table 7.10. Estimates of the number of women injured per year, per week and per day (% of ever-partnered women)

Types of injury in the previous 12 months before the survey (Table 7.2a and 7.2b of Annex 1)	Number from survey injured in the previous 12 months before the survey (Table 7.2b)	% of ever-partnered women affected from the survey (n=3035) in the 12 months before the survey	Estimate of number of women affected per year using 2007 Census total of ever-partnered women aged 18-64 (n=189,385)*#	Estimate of number of women affected per week (annual estimate / 52 weeks)#	Estimate of number of women affected per day (annual estimate / 365 days)#
Injured	252	8.303	15,725	302	43
Permanently disabled	5	0.165	312	6	1
Lost consciousness	59	1.944	3,682	71	10
Needed health care	91	2.998	5,678	109	16
Eye and ear injuries	172	5.667	10,733	206	29
Broken or fractured bones	30	0.988	1,872	36	5
Internal injuries	30	0.988	1,872	36	5
Sprains and dislocations	26	0.857	1,622	31	4
Burns	7	0.231	437	8	1
Broken teeth	15	0.494	936	18	3
Cuts, punctures, bites	113	3.723	7,051	136	19
Scratches, abrasions, bruises	237	7.809	14,789	284	41
Penetrating injuries, deep cuts	49	1.614	3,058	59	8
Other	17	0.560	1,061	20	3

*The Fiji Census 2007 total of ever-partnered women aged 18-64 is 189,385. See Table 3.3 of Annex 1 (167,235 currently married + 2,340 living with a man + 4,784 divorced + 15,026 widowed).

Note that these figures are under-estimates of the number of injuries annually, weekly and daily because:

- (i) the survey counted the number of women with injuries in the previous 12 months, and not the number of injuries (some injuries may have happened multiple times) - the calculations above assume that each injury happened once only; and
- (ii) 2007 Census data is used.



Table 8.1. Children's well-being as reported by women with children 6-14 years old, according to the women's experience of physical and/or sexual partner violence, Fiji 2011

<i>Proportion of women reporting that at least one of her children (aged 6-14 years) had the following:</i>	No Violence (N=354) (%)	With physical or sexual partner violence (N=818) (%)	P-value*	All women (N=1172) (%)
Nightmares	17.2	28.8	<0.001	25.3
Bedwetting	10.7	18.7	0.001	16.3
Child quiet / withdrawn	17.3	27.1	0.001	24.2
Child aggressive	23.2	35.6	0.001	31.9
Two or more of above problems	17.8	34.0	<0.001	29.1
Child has failed / had to repeat a year at school	4.3	9.7	0.001	8.0
Child has stopped school / dropped out of school	3.4	4.7	0.43	4.3

* Fisher exact two tailed P value for the difference between women who experienced violence and who did not experience physical and/or sexual partner violence.

Table 8.2. Children witnessing the violence, according to women who ever experienced physical partner violence, Fiji 2011

	By urban/rural area		By division				Total (N=1692) (%)
	Urban (N=686) (%)	Rural (N=1006) (%)	Central (N=644) (%)	Eastern (N=215) (%)	Northern (N=334) (%)	Western (N=499) (%)	
Never	43.7	46.2	45.5	42.3	45.5	45.9	45.2
Once or twice	28.4	30.9	28.1	27.9	30.8	32.5	29.9
Several times	16.5	17.6	16.6	24.2	16.8	15.0	17.1
Many times	10.9	5.1	9.5	5.1	6.9	6.2	7.5
Don't know, refuse	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.4	0.3

Table 8.3. Percentage of respondents reporting violence against her mother, against her partner's mother or against her partner when he was a child, among ever-partnered women, according to women's experience of partner violence, Fiji 2011

	Proportion of women who reported that...					
	Her mother was hit by mother's husband (N=2951) (%)	P-value	Partner's mother was hit by mother's husband (N=2955) (%)	P-value	Partner was hit as a child (N=2955) (%)	P-value
According to all ever-partnered women	33.7		14.5		17.4	
According to experience of partner violence						
Not experienced any partner violence	23.1		9.5		9.8	
Ever experienced physical or sexual violence	39.7	<0.001	17.2	<0.001	21.4	<0.001
According to type of partner violence						
No violence	23.1		9.5		9.8	
Sexual only	33.7		20.0		20.0	
Physical only	32.6		14.8		19.4	
Both sexual and physical	47.2		19.3		23.5	
According to severity of physical partner violence						
No physical violence	23.9		10.3		10.6	
Moderate physical violence	33.1		11.3		18.8	
Severe physical violence	42.6		19.3		22.5	