

Questionnaire on Gender based Violence Among female Construction workers in Bhaktapur district- A cross-sectional Study.

Section I: Socio-demography profile

1	Participants	
2	Age (in years):	
3	Marital status:	Married/Unmarried /Separated/Divorced/Widow
4	Religion:	Hindu/Buddhist/Muslim/Christian/Atheist:
5	Ethnicity	Janajati/Dalit/Madhesi/Muslim/Brahmin/Chhetri/Others
6	Educational status	No formal education/ Primary/Secondary/High School/Bachelor's/Master's and higher
7	Personal Habits	Smoking/ Alcohol/tobacco
8	Type of work	
9	Income	

Section II: Workplace Violence

1. Have you experienced any forms of workplace violence (physical, verbal, emotional)?

Yes
No
2. If you answered yes, go to question no. 1
 1. Place of work:
 2. Time of incident: 00-03 03-06 06-09 09-12

12-15
15-18
18-21
21-24
 3. Who showed aggression/violence towards you?
 - Contractor
 - Co-worker
 - Owner of the property
 - Others, specify _____

4. In your opinion, was the aggressor.....

- Mentally ill
- Senile dement/ mentally retarded
- Heavily medicated
- Under the influence of alcohol/narcotics
- Don't know

5. Aggressor's sex: Male Female

6. Aggressor's age in years: Under 18 19-30 31-50 51-65 >65

7. Place of incidence:

- Open space
- Closed space
- Others, specify _____

8. Activity that preceded the incident:

- Conversation
- While working
- No activity
- Other cause.....

9. Did you have a feeling in advance about something going to happen?

- Yes
- No
- It came as a surprise

10. Were you alone when it happened?

Yes No

11. Violent incident that happened?

- Verbal threat/aggression,
- Spitting,
- Biting,
- Kicking,
- Scratching/pinching, Punching
 - Pushing
 - Restraining,
- Harassment
- Unpleasant experience,
- Slapping/Hitting
- Use of object/weapon, describe _____

12. What action was taken against it?

Handled the situation myself

Called for help

Other(s) came to assist

No action was necessary

13. Result of the Violence (multiple choice):

Physical injury, describe_____

No physical injury

Fear

Anger

Irritation

Anxiety

Humiliation

Guilt

Helplessness

Disappointment

No reaction

Others, describe_____

14. How severely has this incident affected your professional life? (Multiple choice)

- Thought about quitting the job
- Quit the job
- Dissatisfaction with the job
- Affected your personal life in a harmful way
- Started feeling less confident about the job
- Did not feel anything and started a normal routine

• **Section III: Intimate Partner Violence**

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1. Physical violence by an intimate partner

- Was slapped or had something thrown at her that could hurt her.

Yes ☐

No ☐

- Was pushed or shoved

Yes ☐

No ☐

- Was hit with a fist or something else that could hurt

Yes ☐

No ☐

- Was kicked, dragged, or beaten up

Yes ☐

No ☐

- Was choked or burnt on purpose

Yes ☐

No ☐

- Perpetrator threatened to use or used a gun, knife, or another weapon against her Sexual violence by an intimate partner.

Yes ☐ No ☐

2. Sexual violence by an intimate partner

- Was physically forced to have sexual intercourse when she did not want to.

Yes ☐ No ☐

- Had sexual intercourse when she did not want to because she was afraid of what her partner might do.

Yes ☐ No ☐

- Was forced to do something sexual that she found degrading or humiliating.

Yes ☐ No ☐

3. Emotional abuse by an intimate partner

- Was insulted or made to feel bad about herself.

Yes ☐ No ☐

- Was belittled or humiliated in front of other people.

Yes ☐ No ☐

- Perpetrator had done things to scare or intimidate her on purpose, e.g. by the way he looked at her, by yelling or smashing things.

Yes ☐ No ☐

- Perpetrator had threatened to hurt someone she cared about.

Yes ☐ No ☐

4. Controlling behaviors by an intimate partner

- He tried to keep her from seeing friends

Yes ☐ No ☐

- He tried to restrict contact with her family of birth

Yes ☐ No ☐

- He insisted on knowing where she was at all times

Yes ☐ No ☐

- He ignored her and treated her indifferently

Yes ☐ No ☐

- He got angry if she spoke with another man

Yes ☐ No ☐

- He was often suspected that she was unfaithful

Yes ☐ No ☐

- He expected her to ask permission before seeking health care for herself

Yes ☐ No ☐

5. Physical violence in pregnancy

- Was slapped, hit, or beaten while pregnant

Yes ☐ No ☐

- Was punched or kicked in the abdomen while pregnant

Yes ☐ No ☐

Section IV: Beck's Anxiety Inventory questions

	Not at all	Mildly but it didn't bother me much	Moderately- it wasn't pleasant at all	Severely – it bothered me a lot
Numbness or tingling	0	1	2	3
Feeling hot	0	1	2	3
Woobleness in legs	0	1	2	3
Unable to relax	0	1	2	3
Fear of the worst happening	0	1	2	3
Dizzy or light headed	0	1	2	3
Heart pounding	0	1	2	3
Unsteady	0	1	2	3
Terrified or Afraid	0	1	2	3
Nervous	0	1	2	3
Feeling of choking	0	1	2	3
Hands trembling	0	1	2	3
Shaky/unsteady	0	1	2	3

Fear of losing control	0	1	2	3
Difficulty in breathing	0	1	2	3
Fear of dying	0	1	2	3
Scared	0	1	2	3
Indigestion	0	1	2	3
Faint lightheaded	0	1	2	3
Face flushed	0	1	2	3
Hot/cold sweats	0	1	2	3

Beck's Depression Inventory questions:

1. I do not feel sad. I feel sad much of the time. I am sad all the time. I am so sad or unhappy that I can't stand it.
2 I am not discouraged about my future. I feel more discouraged about my future than I used to. I do not expect things to work out for me.

I feel my future is hopeless and will only get worse.

3

I do not feel like a failure.

I have failed more than I should have.

As I look back, I see a lot of failures.

I feel I am a total failure as a person.

4

I get as much pleasure as I ever did from the things.

I don't enjoy things as much as I used to.

I get very little pleasure from the things I used to enjoy.

I can't get any pleasure from the things I used to enjoy.

5

I don't feel particularly guilty. म कत्ति पनि दोषी महसुस गर्दिन ।

I feel guilty over many things I have done or should have done.

I feel quite guilty most of the time.

I feel guilty all of the time.

6

I don't feel I am being punished.

I feel I may be punished.

I expect to be punished.

I feel I am being punished.

7

I feel the same about myself as ever.

I have lost confidence in myself.

I am disappointed in myself.

I dislike myself.

8.

I don't criticize or blame myself more than usual.

I am more critical of myself than I used to be.

I criticize myself for all of my faults.

I blame myself for everything bad that happens.

9.

I don't have any thoughts of killing myself.

I have thoughts of killing myself, but I would not carry them out.

I would like to kill myself.

I would kill myself if I had the chance.

10.

I don't cry any more than usual.

I cry more now than I used to.

I cry all the time now.

I used to be able to cry, but now I can't cry even though I want to.

11

I am no more irritated by things than I ever was.

I am slightly more irritated now than usual.

I am quite annoyed or irritated a good deal of the time.

I feel irritated all the time.

12

I have not lost interest in other people.

I am less interested in other people than I used to be.

I have lost most of my interest in other people.

I have lost all of my interest in other people.

13.

I make decisions about as well as I ever could.

I put off making decisions more than I used to.

I have greater difficulty in making decisions than I used to.

I can't make decisions at all anymore.

14

I don't feel that I look any worse than I used to.

I am worried that I am looking old or unattractive.

I feel permanent changes in my appearance make me look unattractive.

I believe that I look ugly.

16.

I can sleep as well as usual.

I don't sleep as well as I used to.

I wake up 1-2 hours earlier than usual and find it hard to get back to sleep

I wake up several hours earlier than I used to and cannot get back to sleep.

17.

I don't get more tired than usual.

I get tired more easily than I used to.

I get tired from doing almost anything.

I am too tired to do anything.

18.

My appetite is no worse than usual.

My appetite is not as good as it used to be.

My appetite is much worse now.

I have no appetite at all anymore.

19.

I haven't lost much weight, if any, lately.

I have lost more than five pounds.

I have lost more than ten pounds.

I have lost more than fifteen pounds.

20.

I am no more worried about my health than usual.

I am worried about physical problems like aches, pains, upset stomach, or constipation.

I am very worried about physical problems, and it's hard to think of much else.

I am so worried about the physical problems that I cannot think of anything else

21.

I have not noticed any recent change in my interest in sex.

I am less interested in sex than I used to be.

I have almost no interest in sex.

I have lost interest in sex completely.