

GBV Laws and Policies in Djibouti

Recently, the first annual **Gender Statistics** were published and the Gender Observatory was created



Djibouti has a **high prevalence of FGM** (70%), and a high prevalence of early marriage (13%)

The Djibouti Declaration adopted in 2020 aims to eradicate FGM in the region





A law on prevention, protection and care for women and children who are victims of violence was also adopted in 2020



Centers for listening, information and orientation (CEIO) have been set up to assist women and girls who are victims of violence all across the country

Parliament created a **Women's Caucus**, a Group on Population and Development, and "Caravans on GBV"

Health services and **sexual and reproductive health services** are more widely available to women and girls, but are still not easily accessible to all women in rural areas





The existence of several competing normative and legal frameworks hinders women's access to rights and services

Greater emphasis has been placed on local-level protection for women through the creation of **Community Associations** in the regions of the country.





The **Social Register** and **National Family Solidarity Program** help to ensure women have access to the social and economic assistance they need to keep themselves and their families safe and healthy