SOUTH AFRICA

GOVERNANCE AND MONITORING TO END VIOLENCE AGAINST CHILDREN

Population: 57 792 520
Income group: Upper middle

5 Government sectors with functions addressing violence against children, 1 of which has coordinating function

National action plan/s Funding
Child maltreatment YES Partial
Youth violence YES Partial
Sexual violence YES Partial

Includes prevalence indicator/s: NO

IMPLEMENTATION OF INSPIRE STRATEGIES AND APPROACHES

Implementation and enforcement of laws

Perceived enforcement

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<th>Implementation</th>
<th>Level</th>
<th>Funds</th>
<th>Tools</th>
<th>Training</th>
<th>Perceived reach</th>
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<td>Bans on corporal punishment in all settings</td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>High</td>
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<td>Against statutory rape</td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>High</td>
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<td>Against contact sexual violence excluding rape</td>
<td>Low</td>
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<td>Regulating civilian access to and use of firearms</td>
<td>Low</td>
<td>High</td>
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Norms and values

Strengthening non-violent norms National YES NO NO
Community mobilization National YES YES YES
Bystander interventions None - - - -

Safe environments

Addressing violence “hotspots” Subnational - - - -
Improving the built environment National YES YES YES

Parent and caregiver support

Home visiting National YES YES YES
Centre-based parenting support National YES YES YES

Income and economic strengthening

Cash transfers National YES YES YES
Group savings and loans with gender equity training None - - - -
Microfinance and gender equity training None - - - -

Response and support services

Child protection services National YES YES YES
Clinical services for sexual violence victims National YES YES YES
Mental health services for victims National YES NO YES
Mental health services for perpetrators National YES NO YES
Identification and referral for victims National YES YES YES
Identification and referral for perpetrators None - - - -

Education and life skills

Increasing school enrolment National YES YES YES
Helping children protect themselves from sexual abuse National YES NO YES
Life and social skills training National YES YES YES
School-based anti-bullying National YES YES YES
School-based dating violence prevention National YES YES YES

Reducing violence by school staff National NO YES YES

Violence prevalence from selected multi-country surveys

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<th>Experience</th>
<th>Male%</th>
<th>Female%</th>
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<td>Experiencing violent discipline in the past month, 1–14 year olds</td>
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<td>Witnessing physical violence in the home prior to 18 years, 18–24 year olds</td>
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<td>Sexual victimization prior to 18 years, 18–24 year olds</td>
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<td>Bullying victimization in the past 30 days/few months, 11–15 year olds</td>
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<td>Involvement in physical fighting in the past 12 months, 13–15 year olds</td>
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Countries may have data available from several other surveys but in the interests of global comparability, indicators from the most widely available internationally comparable surveys have been selected.