

Gender Studies

Define Gender-based-violence
Explain various form of violence against women in Pakistan and advice some practical strategies which can be helpful in the eradication of gender-based-violence from our society?

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Gender-Based Violence

Introduction

Violence is various kind of act which is perpetrated physically, psychologically and sexually. Holly Johnson written in her book. Violence against women is an international issue. The women can be threaten of harm or coercion sex. Soci-economic norms that are hindering towards women education and economic right (UN definition 2006).

UN Definitions of violence

(1) The UN declared the elimination of violence against women in United Nations Commission in 1993. To stop the violence against women socially & economically in herent.

⇒ The women faces violence in family from their husband or other members verbally abuse of child female domestic violence their inherited discriminated. She beared sexual assaults, marital rape, stove burns, beatings from family members.

⇒ The women also faces sexual harassment from non-spousal relations in work places, educational institution and even some times strangers.

According to UN report in every 5 minute one women are the victim of Rape in world.

⇒ Thisdly, women faces Traditional Norms, prostitution, girl compensation, forced marriage and acid Throwing, Acid burn etc.

(2) Categories of violence



1. Physical violence

Physical violence is a direct attack on individual through slapping, beating, struggling, murder, or hurt or intimidation to kill them are included in physical violence.

(2) Physiological violence

Physiological violence is slapping or mentally touching of women. Threaten them to take away the custody of children, verbally abuse or show aggressiveness or destruction of object or loneliness in home are included. It is a behavioural violence.

(3) Sexually violence

Sexually abuse or harassment. It also includes marital rape. These are

Numbers of incidence reported
of gang/rape.

Economically violence.

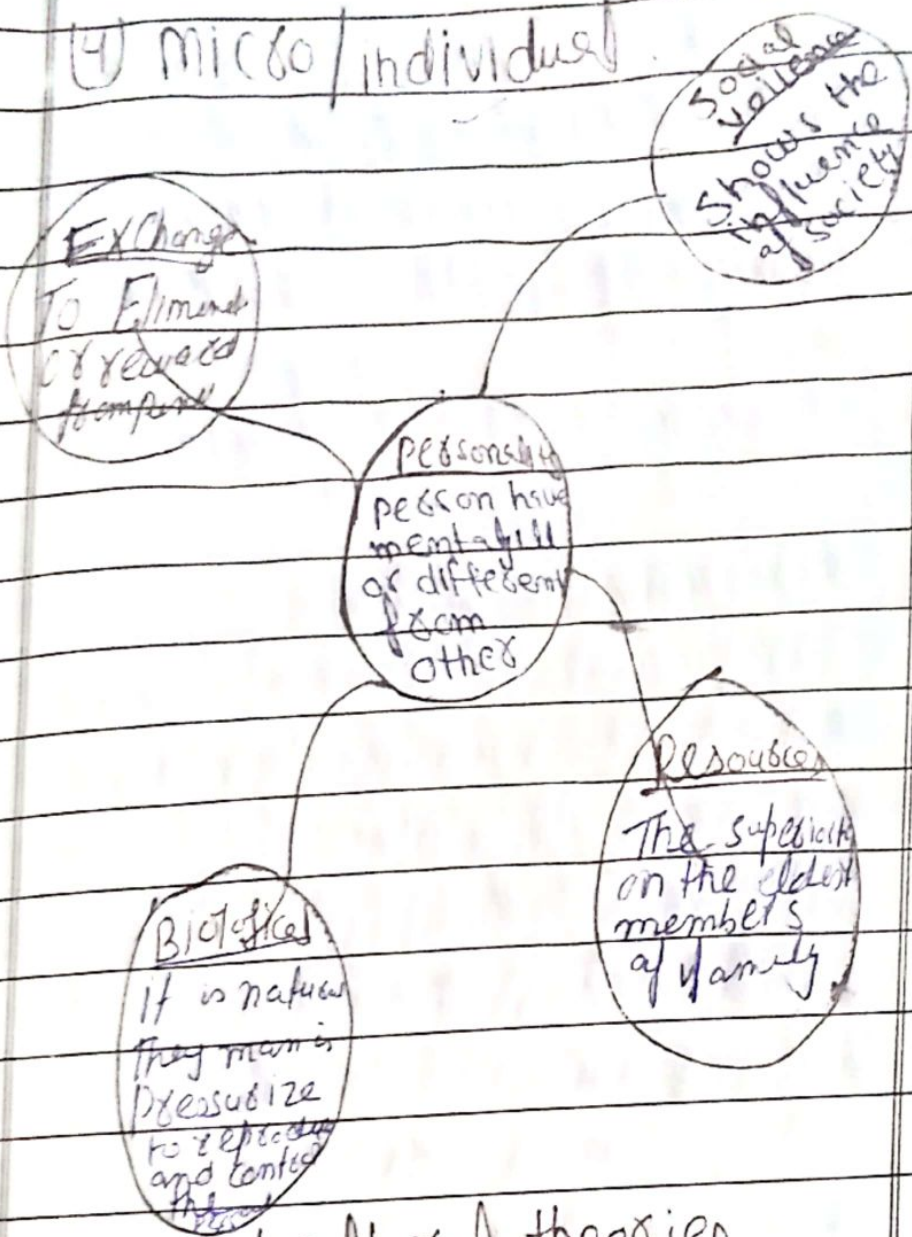
in which not gives
a women right of inheritance
or share of property. Women
are not allow to work independent
she is completely dependant on
man.

(2) Types of theories that
shows the reason of
violence on women

These are main two
forms that shows the
nature of violence. These
are further divided
into sub-categories. These
are:

- (1) Micro/individual theory
- (2) Macro/cultural theory

(4) Micro/individual



Macro/cultural theories
They included.

- (1) Feminist
- (2) Cultural acceptance
- (3) Sub-cultural violence
- (4) Stress violence
- (5) Family violence

15) Violence that are faced by women in Pakistan

The violence in genders and women is interchangeable. The women faces different kinds of violence in Pakistan.

16) Various kinds of violence

16.1) Domestic violence.

16.2) Sexual Harassment/assault

16.3) Stove burn/Bride burn

16.4) Acid Throwing

16.5) Force / Child marriage

16.6) Sexual Harassment

16.7) Hospitalization forcibly

16.8) Honored Killing

16.9) inheritance denial

16.10) injustice in marriage contracts

16.11) Prostitution

16.12) Girls compensation.

16.1) Domestic violence

Domestic violence is the worst form of violence which is done by family members beaten or inferior status of women in families. Lynn Welchman. Violence against Women is a international problem in his publication. The study conduct by Austin foundation the Causes of violence increase 97% in 2008-2009.

(2) Harassment Violence

it is more common problem faced by women in Pakistan. Harassment causes in work places and educational institutes and marital rape. Jeann Henry in her publication Violence is a: Question of power Women are not safe even in their home. According to study conducted in 2010 every year 756 cases of

are reported

(3) Stove / Burn violence

The burn violence is found by newly bride. It has various causes like the dowry issues, New marriage or marriage choice. When the flammable material doused on women and set alight led them dead. Their relatives and family claimed that it's a courtly incident. Ayesha Chaudhary in her manuscript: Violence issue and Islamic tradition. Every year about 38 cases reported stove burn. Most of them cases ~~not~~ report.

(4) Forced Marriage

Child marriage is another issue of violence in which consent of women is not considered or even not get

her permission. in Islam marriage is contact between 2 parties with their mutual understanding. in societies permission of women is not ~~to them~~. It is even not tradition of Islam

(5) Acid Throwing

Acid throwing is "victims" age problem. which is conduct to get revenge, refuge to marriage or even bussiness envy. Sometime Islam Foundalists through acid on strange women. Because they are anti-Islamic agent. Even all the women weep from the thought the represent western cultural.

(6) Hospitalize Focibly

when women asked for her Shave. she send them 'Amils' the fault saints

asked them they were under the influence of phantom or jinnas if she was not stop or continuous demand their right. They send them forcibly hospital. Where a imposition, instead of reform center

(7) Right of inheritance

women are denied to give any asset or imovable asset. Even their families get promise that they denies to get any share. or not marry her or marriage with Quran to save the prosperity.

(8) Prostitution and Labour

it is occur while women are intimidate or threaten to forcibly drag them. Therefore with or without her consent they were drag them in prostitution, or other works in

form of domestic violence Musr Khan in her publication.

Prostitution violence in Pakistan and Afghanistan

The cases report in 2010 about 2236 women were kidnaped or drain out different countries.

(a) Honor-Killing

Honor killing is the worst form of violence it is present with different name. like Nwfb is Kallakali in Baluchistan

Karo-Kari - interesting it is less in Baluchistan Pashtun areas. Samiya Butney in

her publication violence crime

The women were killed by her family on the name of honour.

To show the demand of marriage choice or inheritance right.

(b) Girls Compensation

Equal Right and Empowered Women

The inequality is the cause of violence on women. To control violence, it is necessary to stop inequality and Empowered women to give equal rights of education, economic and all other opportunity and human rights protection.

(1) Safe and Productive Education

Gives girls education on every discipline and level and equal facilities of education primary to secondary education become free. It increases the opportunity of economy, or knowledge of their right. Even higher education increases the opportunity of equal wage, which is helpful for

women empowerment

(2) Rises towards Economy

When women becomes empowered she is protected from crime. So it is necessary provide opportunity of employment and safe jobs. Harassment cases where strictly handle when dependent on man economic and she has not alternative of economy. Therefore she become witness.

(3) Role of NGO

NGO or non-governmental organization plays a important role to empowered women. Show the women abuse cases. Through campaign and seminars educates women to know about their right. make relief center. immovable migration

(3) Role of media

The importance of media is not denied today. It is aimed to give use it to influence women right unfortunately in media women used as subjects dancers or pleasure and sexual object for men's enjoyment. But, it is understood women does not want to wear skimpy clothes. Use media as companion or take shows to empower women in rural areas people listen Radio. Shows these program to ^{give} knowledge them.

(4) Religious scholars

Religious scholars have easy access towards people. Give knowledge to religious scholars through companions or seminars. For instance. Dowry is the biggest issue of women.

Religious Scholars give declaration (Fatwa) on dowry. It is helpful for women to stop this ~~non~~ culture of dowry.

Conclusion

The women faces violence globally. They do not have equal right or opportunities. They consider them inferior. These are written by Sharjeel Shaikh in her publication Empowered women. It is necessary to protect them because without equality not any nation make progress. Makes law or policies to empowered women