

# Some facts on global gender inequality



Women with full-time jobs still earn only about **60-75%** of their male counterparts' earnings



less than **50%** of working age women in workforce



compared to **77%** of working age men in workforce in 2015



**26%** 2004 **28%** 2017

Senior management roles in South Africa held by women from between 2004 to 2017

## Proportional earnings in the USA



African-American woman earns

**64** cents



Latina woman earns

**56** cents



Caucasian male earns

**1** dollar



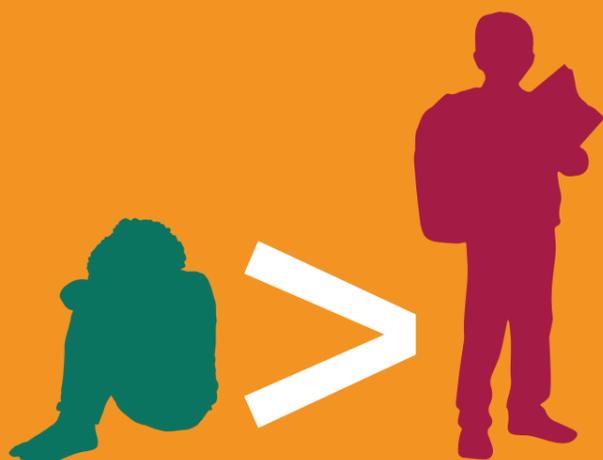
**62** million girls are denied an education all over the world



Women bear heavier responsibility for unpaid care work. When this is combined with paid work, women in developing countries are more likely than men to work in informal employment. More women than men work in vulnerable, low-paid and undervalued work.

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Both female and male learners are susceptible to all forms of violence but female learners experience more incidents of sexual assault than their male counterparts.



In many countries, laws exist to restrict the types of jobs available to women.



In South Africa women work, on average, 48 minutes more per day than men...  
...and more than **50%** of their work is still unpaid.



Women control less land than do men, and have limited access to seeds, credits and extension services.



**4** out of **5**  
victims of human trafficking are



Every year, an estimated **15** million **18** girls under **18** are married worldwide, with little or no say in the matter.

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**1.7 million** newborn deaths would be averted if the need for both family planning and maternal and newborn health services were met. At least **250,000** maternal deaths and as many as



Female genital mutilation affects more than **125 million** girls and women today.



Women around the world aged **15-44** are more at risk from rape and domestic violence than from cancer, car accidents, war and malaria.



Around the world, only **22%** of all national parliamentarians are female.

The National South African Household HIV Survey conducted in 2012 showed that

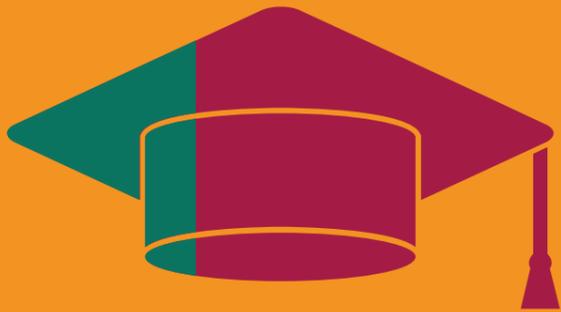
**11.4%** of young women compared to **2.9%** of young men in the 15-24 year age group were HIV positive.



More than **43 million** people around the world are forcibly displaced as a result of conflict and persecution. **50%** of all refugees are women.

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Only **30%** of the world's researchers are women.



**1 in 3** women worldwide have experienced either intimate partner violence or non-partner sexual violence in their lifetime.

Family commitments (such as getting married, minding children and pregnancy), prevented



**21,8%** vs **1,0%**  
girls & young women vs boys & young men

from attending an educational institution

  
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