# **Gender Equality**

### Workforce



57.4% of women are in the labour force 49.6% of employed women work part time 42.2% of employed women work full time

> **23%** of employed women are clerical and administrative workers, which is the dominant occupation for women

compared to **67.2%** of men compared to **19.8%** of men compared to **72.1%** of men compared to **5.8%** of men



## Individual income

4.3.7% of women earn a low income (less than \$500 per week) compared to 29.1% of men **19.1%** of women earn a high income (more than \$1000 per week) compared to **37.5%** of men



Bachelor or Higher degree Advanced Diploma or Diploma Vocational No qualification

Education

WOMEN	MEN
17%	11.9%
11.8%	8.5%
17%	30.7%
43.3%	39%

#### Impact of COVID-19



Victorian women were hit harder financially by COVID-19 during the first wave



Working Victorian women who had a pay reduction had it cut by **46%**, compared to **30%** for men



Victorian women working part-time lost **39%** of their wages



**13.6%** of women provide assistance to a person with a disability, long-term illness or old age, compared to **9.1%** of men

**Unpaid care** 



29% of women did 15 hours or more of unpaid domestic work per week, compared to 9.6% of men





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#### Health and wellbeing



**77.7%** of women report high to very high levels of life satisfaction, compared to 76% of men



**10.3%** of women report having been diagnosed with cancer, compared to 6.8% of men

**5.7%** of females require assistance due to a disability, compared to 5.2% of men





**4.5.1%** of women have been diagnosed with anxiety or depression at some point, compared to 23.8% of men

## Experience of violence and abuse

Females are 4 times more likely to be a victim of intimate partner violence

1,490 reports of intimate partner violence, compared to **340** for males YEAR ENDING MARCH 2021



Elder abuse

Family violence is the leading cause of death and disability in Australian women aged 15-45 years

Family violence carried out against a current or former partner is known as intimate partner violence



2091

compared to

family violence incidents

with female victims,

709 incidents

with male victims

YEAR ENDING MARCH 2021



1,897 family violence incidents per 100,000 residents COMPARED TO 1,315.4 PER 100,000 FOR VICTORIA (2018/19)

Females are 8 times more likely to be a victim of sexual assault

**13.6** reports of sexual assault per 10,000 people COMPARED TO 1.7 PER 10,000 FOR MALES (2020)



15.7%

Estimate for people aged 60 years and older who are victims of elder abuse internationally

12.7% of victims of all family violence incidents are aged 55+ YEAR ENDING MARCH 2021



72% of older people seeking advice from Seniors Rights Victoria were women, compared to 28% of men YEAR ENDING MARCH 2021



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