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WHAT WE DID



Surveyed
800
healthcare
providers



across
82
countries



in
3
key
areas

Three key areas in substance use disorder (SUD) treatment:

Factsheet 1 - The availability of SUD treatment centers for women

Factsheet 2 - The prevalence of trauma-informed care

Factsheet 3 - Digital access for women looking for SUD treatment

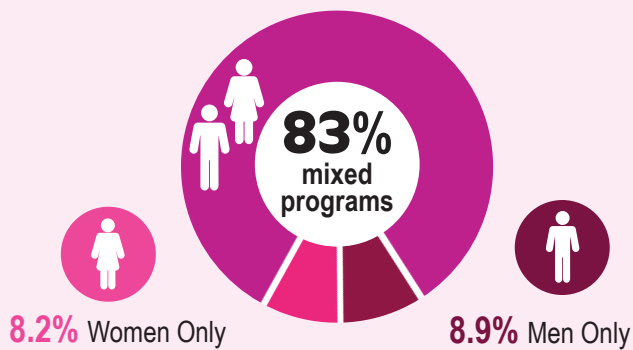
THE PROJECT AIMS TO IDENTIFY GAPS IN CARE AND PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS TO ADDRESS THEM.

Mind the Gap: Global Survey Examining Access for Substance Use Disorder Treatment for Women

WHAT WE FOUND

Women with substance use disorders around the world have limited opportunities to access a treatment center with a gender-based program, and even fewer to a women-only center.

Types of Treatment Programs



Treatment centres that include gender-evidence based programs



3 out of 10

Treatment centers provide gender evidence-based treatment

WHAT CAN WE DO?

SENSITIZE the staff and the clients (men and women) about the bio-socio-economic differences that a woman with SUD faces. Create safe spaces for discussion.

IDENTIFY the barriers for treating women in your treatment center: Access, childcare, providers stigmatization, lack of gender programs content, security, and safety.

Make a list. **ACKNOWLEDGE** and **ADDRESS** the barriers you identified.

Closing the gap

IMPLEMENT gender-responsive, evidence-based curricula like WISE, which incorporate practices that address women's unique challenges. Focus on improving access, adherence, and addressing personal, social, and economic barriers; as well as trauma-informed care, cultural humility, and awareness. Plan, act, evaluate.

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