DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Cases of domestic violence escalate in May 2020

[Graph showing domestic violence cases from Jan 2018 to May 2020]

Source: Cases reported at the Family Support Bureau of the Ministry of Gender Equality and Family Welfare

Domestic violence in lockdown

520 cases were reported during the period 20 March to 30 May 2020 as follows

By gender
Number of male victims = 39
Number of female victims = 481

By nature of problem
Physical assault = 208
Verbal abuse = 173
Other = 139

As many as 111 victims left the conjugal roof during the lockdown and all of them were women.

Data Series

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