



Action Plan

Prioritise the Campaign to counter Violence against Women and Girls.



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African Cities with Zero Tolerance towards Violence Against Women and Children

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Actions to end Violence against Women and Girls

- Sensitise the public of the various forms of violence against women and girls
- Educate women and girls of their rights and about existing mechanisms for their protection
- Create the mechanisms to support abused victims
- Establish a system to assess the levels of tolerance of cities and local and regional territories of African countries towards violence against women and girls.

Target Audience

- Women, men and girls in local and regional territories in African Countries
- School's management teams
- Health Practitioners
- Police Force
- Leaders of the community

Governance Bodies

Good governance of this Campaign requires the involvement of a Steering and a Technical Committee:

The **Technical Committee** implements, monitor and evaluate the results achieved by their campaign and report on achievements to the Steering Committee.

The **Steering Committee** monitors and evaluates the Campaign's objectives and actions



This campaign is an initiative of the Network of the Elected Local Women Officials, (**Réseau de Femmes Elues Locales d'Afrique - REFELA**). Engagement in this Campaign to counter **Violence against Women and Girls** would enable the creation of an egalitarian and just transition to gender equality, and empowerment of women and girls within cities of local authorities, by 2030. This transition would be in accordance with African and international agendas (SDG5) and would be achieved under the governance bodies and the support mechanisms to implement specific action lines.

The implementation and monitoring of the Campaign will be carried out as follows:

