

# 10 Questions on Gender Based Violence

Please circle your answer

**In what year did it become illegal in Scotland to rape your wife?**

1966    1973    1989

**According to the Scottish Government, how many women experience domestic abuse at some time in their lives?**

15%    19%    25%

**According to a recent home office report, what percentage of serious sexual offences are ever reported to police?**

10%    23%    39%

**In a 2009 survey carried out by the Rape Crisis Centre, how many women said they had been raped by a partner or ex-partner?**

3%    14%    20%

**In a 2009 study of sexual offences across 11 European countries, what percentage of reported rapes in Scotland were found to be false allegations?**

4%    11%    26%

**What percentage of all homicides are committed by a partner or ex-partner?**

5-10%    30-35%    50-55%

**What percentage of rapes are carried out by strangers?**

3%    8%    34%

**What percentage of women who attempted suicide are known to have experienced domestic abuse?**

14%    34%    55%

**What is the estimated cost to the NHS in England and Wales for physical injuries caused by Domestic Abuse?**

74 million    98 million    1.2 billion

**In a study carried out by the NSPCC and Bristol University in 2009, what percentage of 13-17 year olds said they had experienced unwanted sexual acts within a relationship?**

17%    22%    33%