

Review forms of violence against children in referred to Ardabil forensic department center during 2011 to 2016

Abstract

Background and Objective: Violence against children, in addition to affecting the physical and mental health of children, increases the likelihood of children suicide in the future and will cause problems in their academic, professional and family successes. Therefore, the purpose of this study was to investigate the types of violence against referring children to the forensic medicine of Ardabil city.

Methods: This was a cross-sectional study. Information was obtained by studying cases of violence against children in the legal medicine center of Ardabil city. Information such as age and sex of the child and the level of education and occupation of the parents were extracted and recorded in the information form. Finally, statistical and descriptive methods (mean and standard deviation) and statistics were used to perform statistical calculations and analysis of data. Inferential (Chi-square) was used with SPSS software.

Results: According to the results of the study, 52.3 children referring to legal medicine were female and 47.7% were male. Also, the percentage of urbanization was 67.7 and the percentage of rural population was 32.3. Also, in terms of distribution of income, 26.1 percent of the income is less than one million tomans, 21.5 percent of the income between 1 to 1.999 million tomans, 18.5 percent of the income between 2 to 2.999 million tomans, 15.4 percent of the income between 3 to 3.999 million dollars, 10.8 percent of the income between the 4 Up to 6 million tomans, 7.7% had more than 6 million USD. Also, according to the type of violence, verbal violence was 78.5%, psychological violence 49.2% and physical violence 72.3%.

Conclusion: Considering the destructive effects of violence against children, investigating and identifying the severity and type of violence and its predictive factors can be used to prevent the occurrence of violence.

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