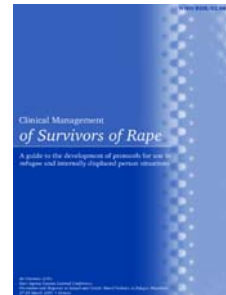


# United Nations guidelines on prevention and response to gender-based violence

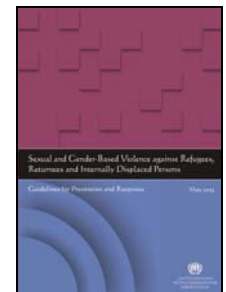
**Clinical Management of Survivors of Rape. A guide to the development of protocols for use in refugee and internally displaced persons situations (UNHCR and WHO, Revised 2005)** describes best practices in clinical management of people who have been raped, and suggests adaptations to each situation, while taking into account national policies and practices, and availability of materials and drugs.

[http://www.who.int/reproductive-health/publications/rhr\\_02\\_8\\_clinical\\_management\\_survivors\\_of\\_rape/](http://www.who.int/reproductive-health/publications/rhr_02_8_clinical_management_survivors_of_rape/)



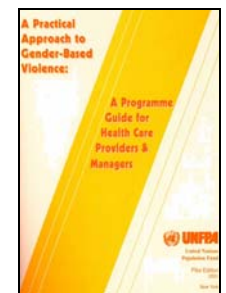
**Sexual and Gender-Based Violence against Refugees, Returnees and Internally Displaced Persons. Guidelines for Prevention and Response (UNHCR, 2003)** updates the 1995 guidelines and offers practical advice on how to design strategies and carry out activities aimed at preventing and responding to sexual and gender-based violence and contains information on relevant health, legal, security and human rights issues.

<http://www.disaster-info.net/desplazados/documentos/acnur/genderviolenceagainstrefugees.pdf>



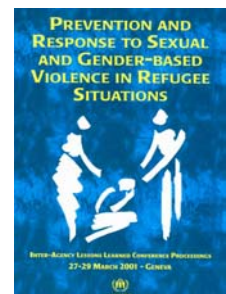
**A Practical Approach to Gender- Based Violence: A Programme Guide for Health Care Providers & Managers (UNFPA, 2001)** offers step-by-step guidance on how reproductive health facilities can begin GBV projects and details three options on how to deliver services to survivors of violence.

[http://www.unfpa.org/upload/lib\\_pub\\_file/99\\_filename\\_gender.pdf](http://www.unfpa.org/upload/lib_pub_file/99_filename_gender.pdf)



**Prevention and Response to Sexual and Gender-Based Violence in Refugee Situations (UNHCR, 2001)** presents conclusions from a Geneva-based conference on sexual and gender-based violence; covers lessons learned on what to do, what not to do, and what is needed to improve prevention and response for protection of refugees and sets out recommendations for a multi-sectoral and coordinated approach to prevention and response to GBV.

<http://action.web.ca/home/cpcc/attach/prevention%20and%20responses.pdf>



**Reproductive Health in Refugee Situations. An Inter-Agency Field Manual (UNHCR et al, 1999)** targets field managers in refugee situations; supports the delivery of quality reproductive health services using technical standards set by the World Health Organization and provides programmatic direction with frequent reference to additional resource materials that should be used to ensure comprehensive and reliable reproductive health care for refugees.

<http://www.ippf.org/resource/refugeehealth/manual/>

