



The ICPD+25 monitoring process in Europe and the gender dimension

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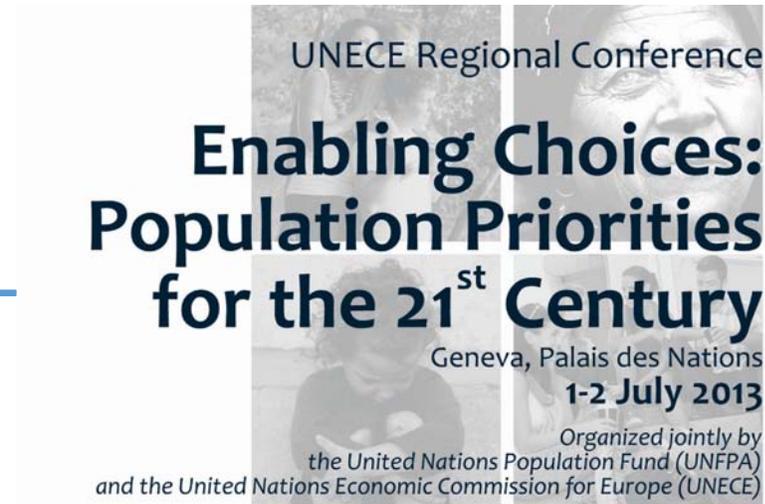
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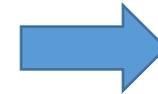
- Population Dynamics and Sustainable Development
- Families and Sexual and Reproductive Health Over the Life Course
- Inequalities, Social Inclusion and Rights
- Partnership and international cooperation
- Cross-cutting issues

.. Five years later.....

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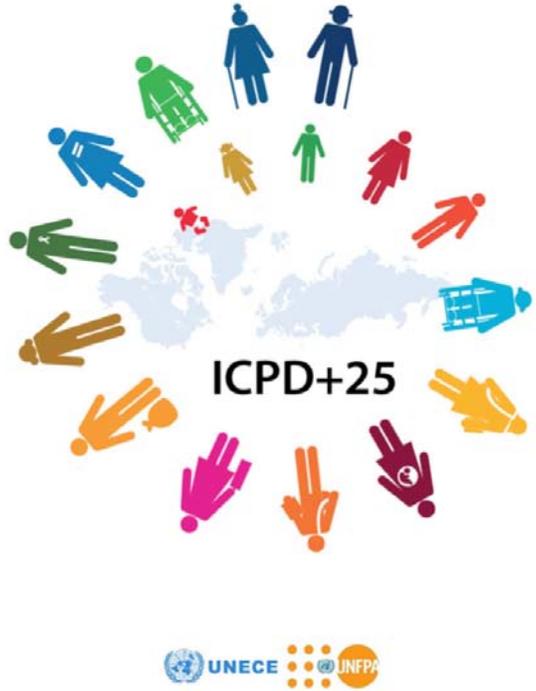
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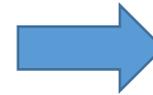
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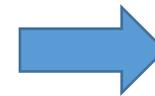
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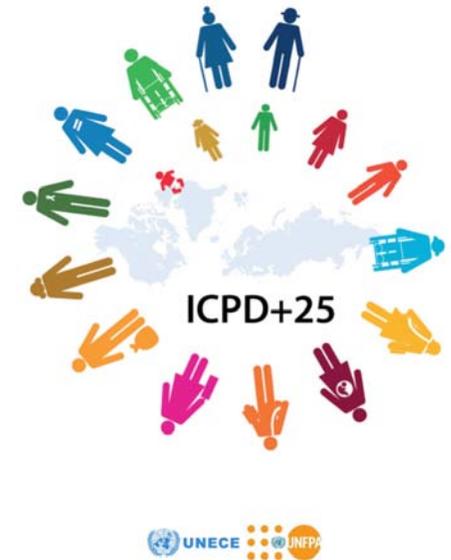
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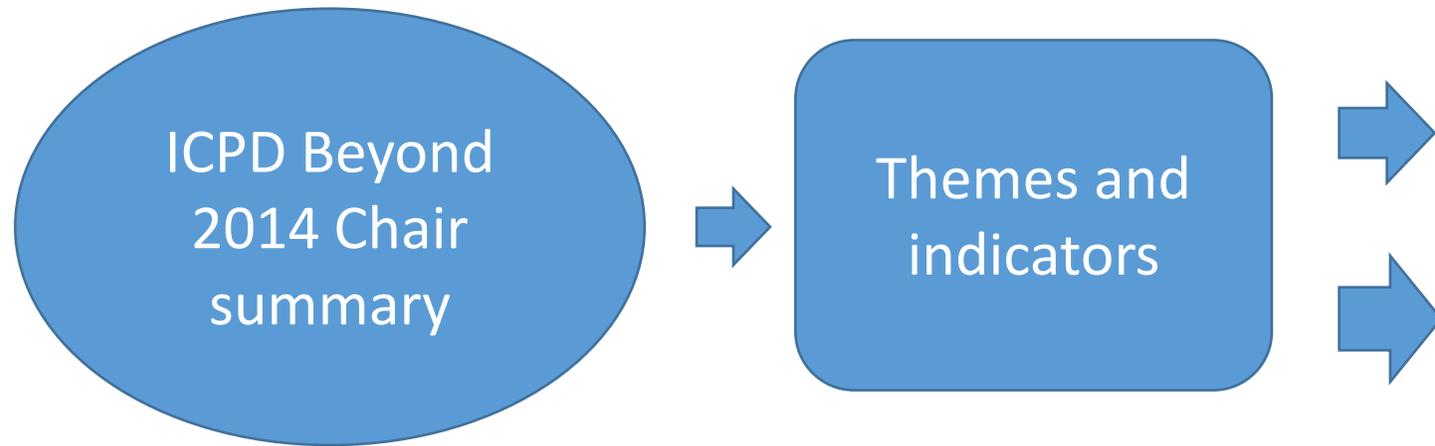
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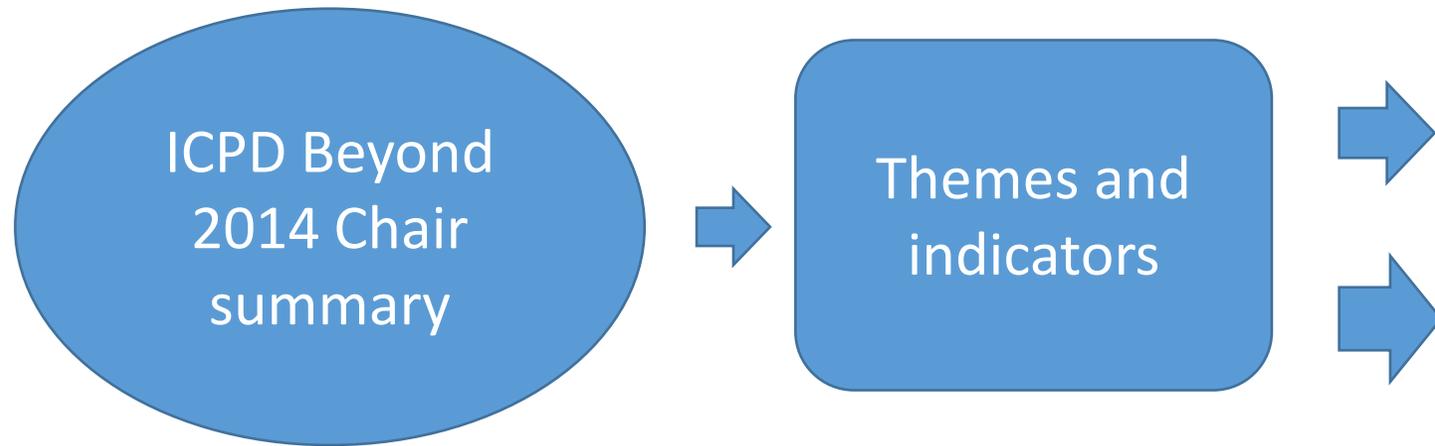
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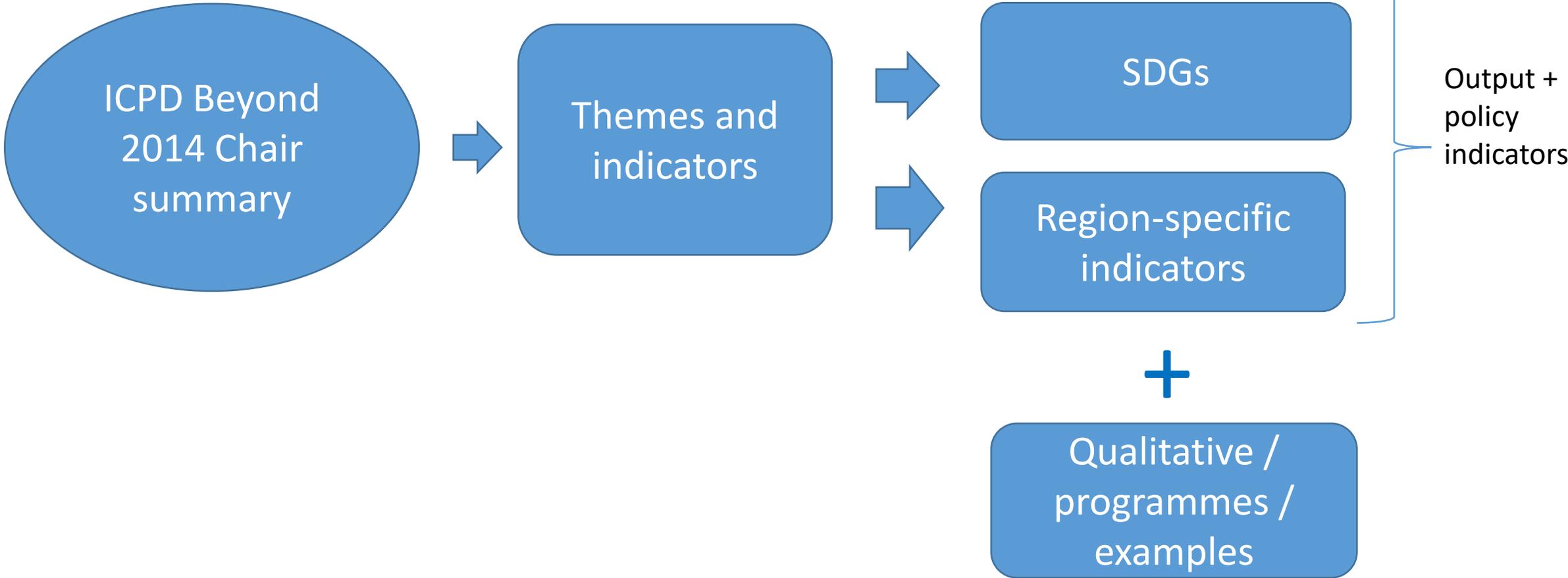
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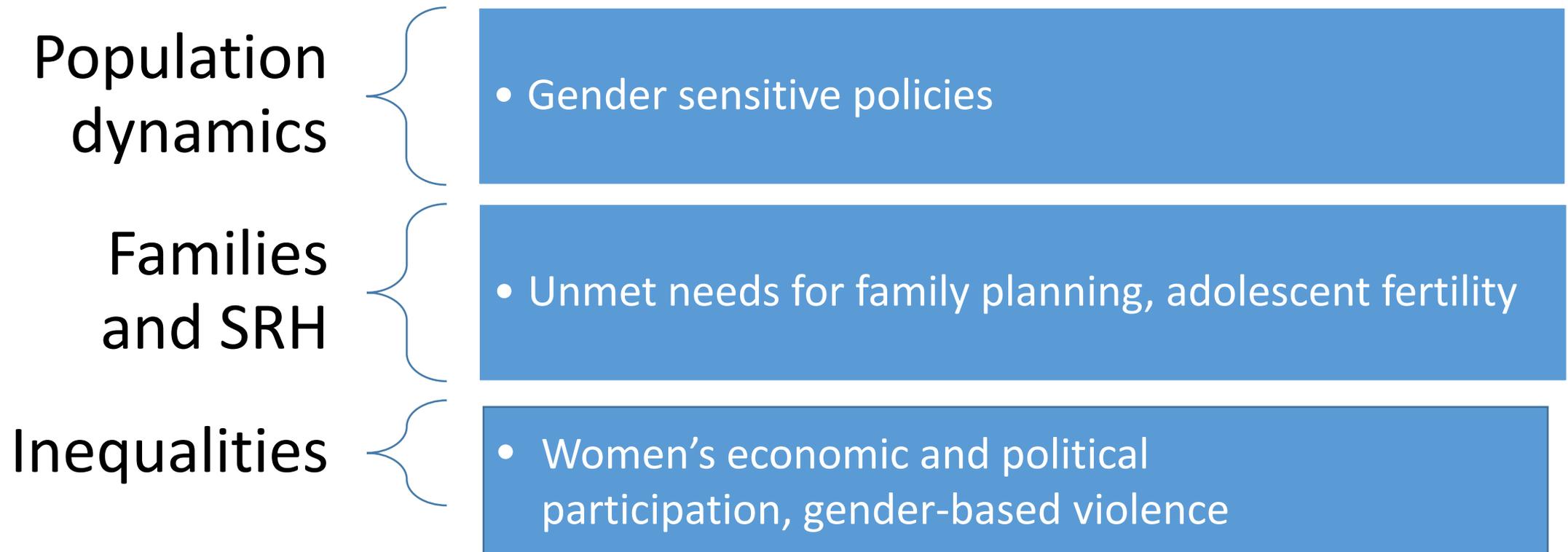


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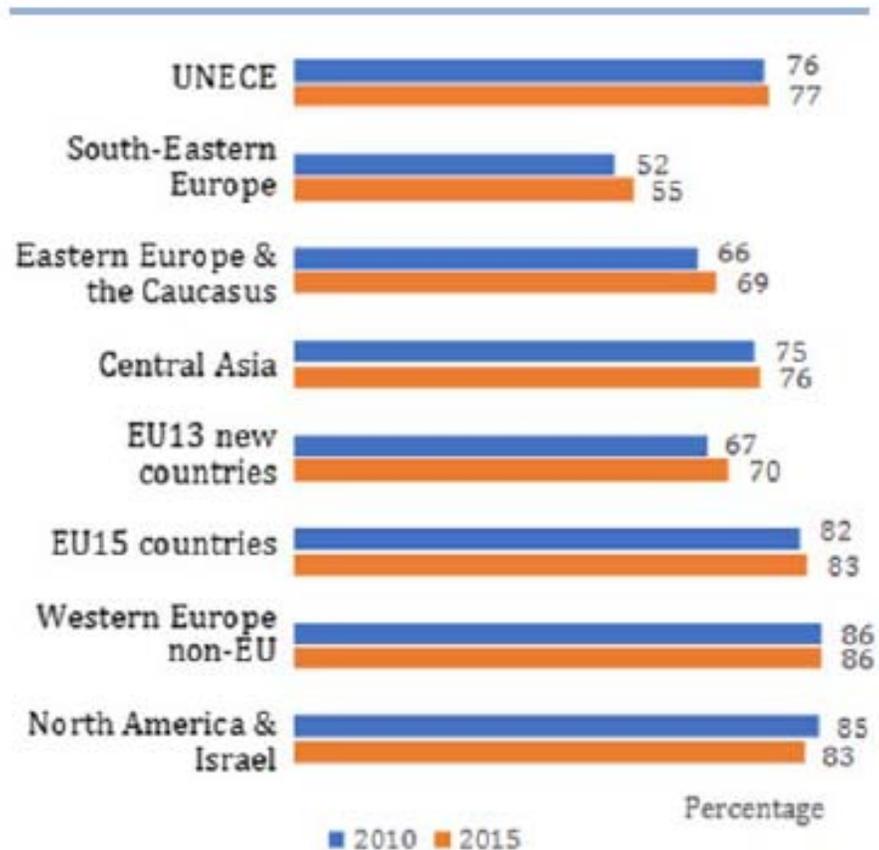
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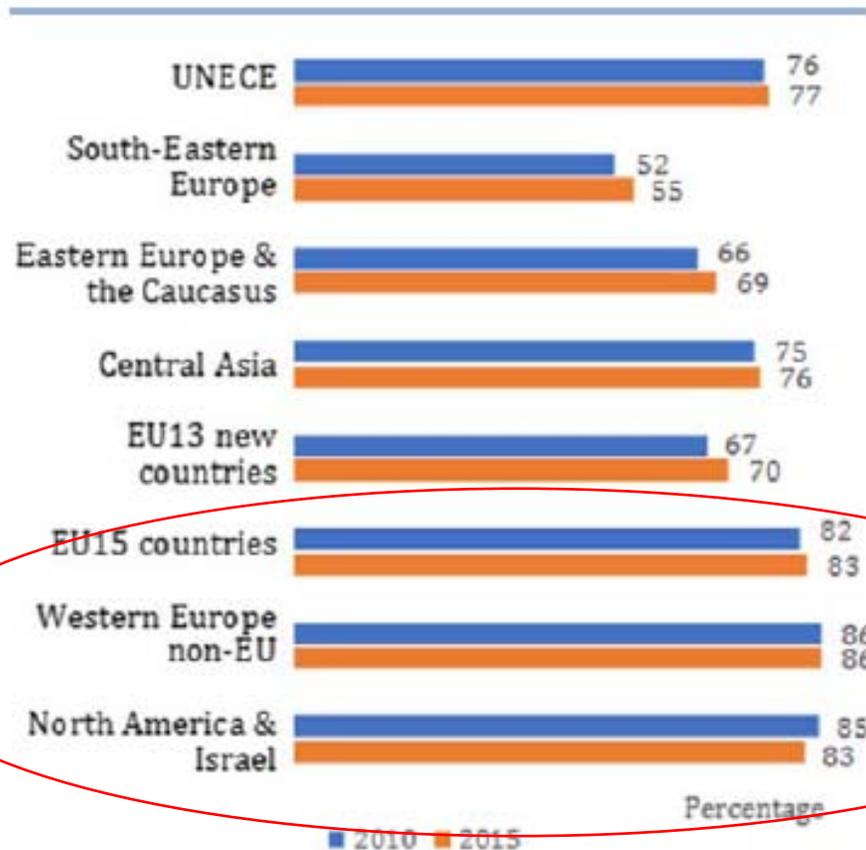
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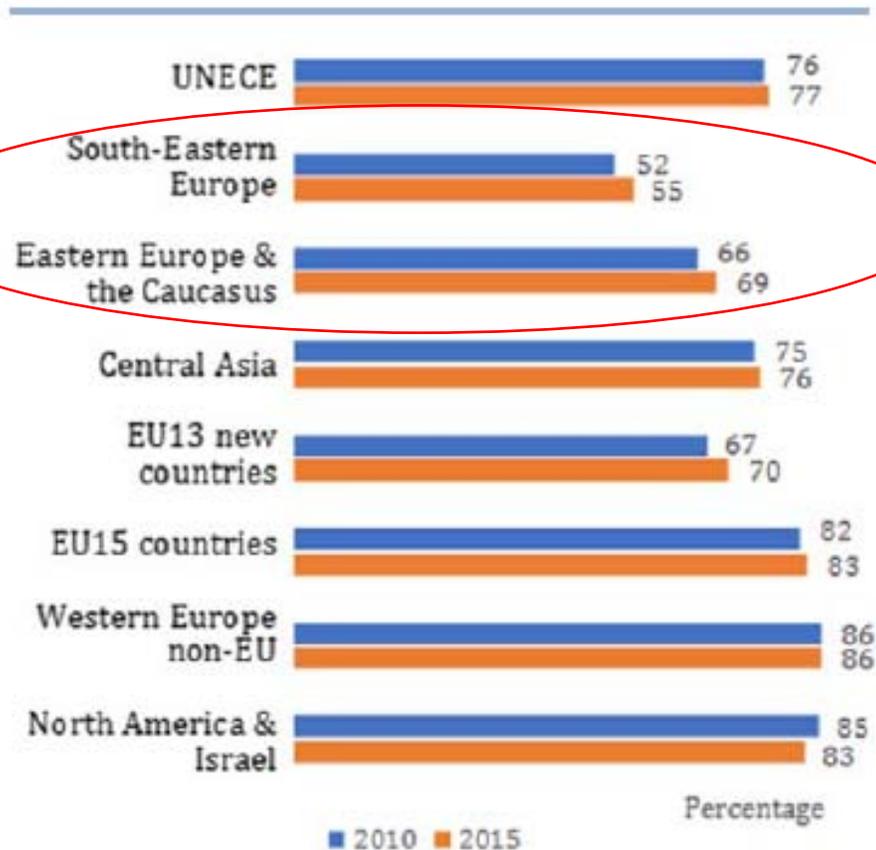
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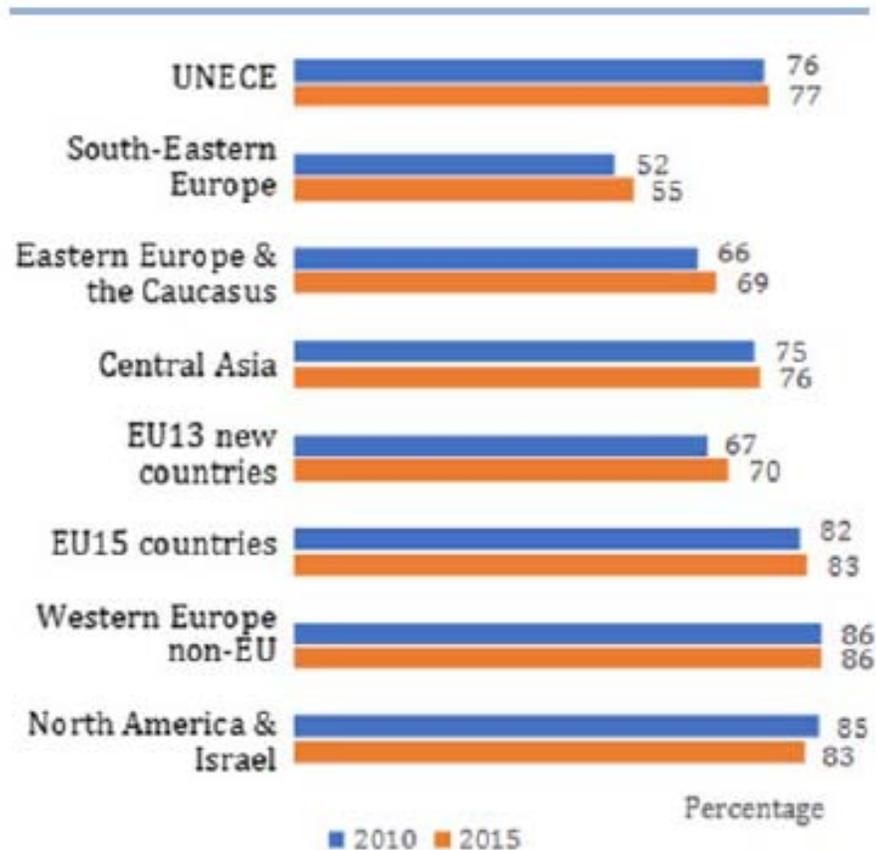
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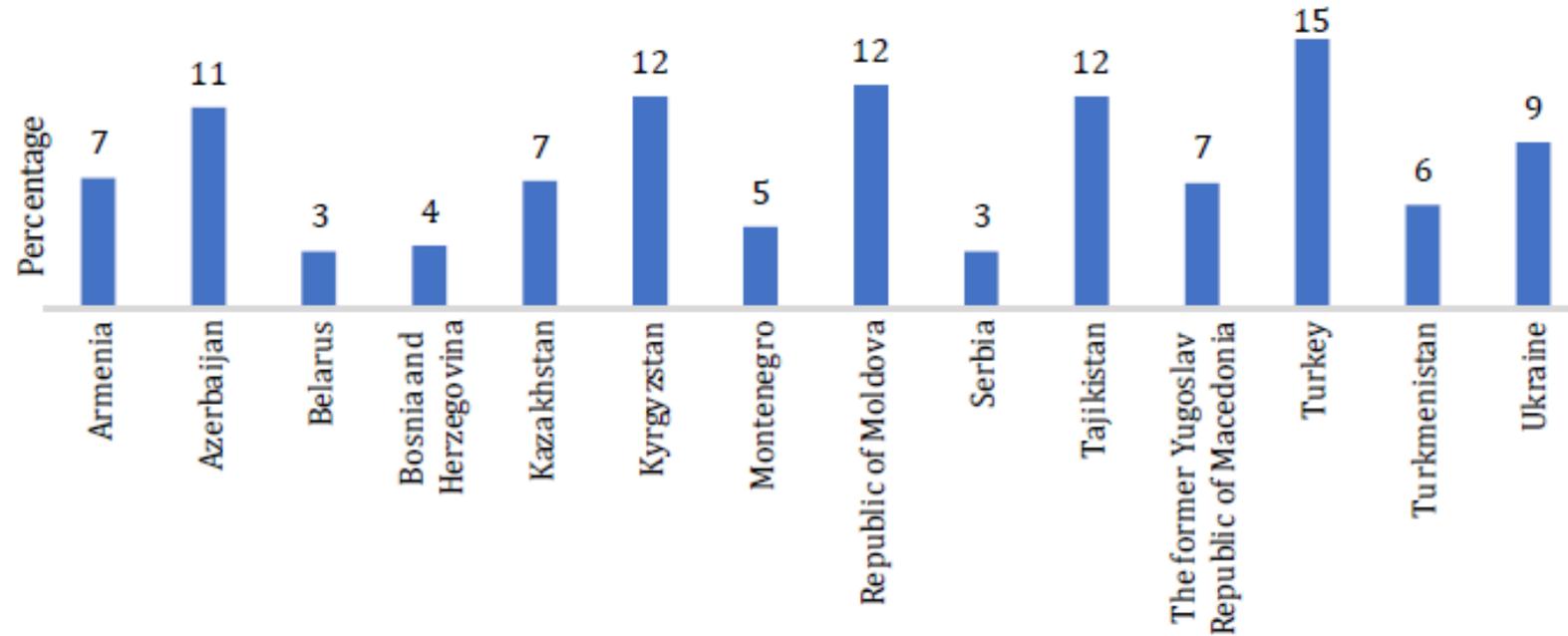
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Percent of women using modern contraception in Belarus (GGs data)
In union: 60%
Not in a union: 50%

Early marriage

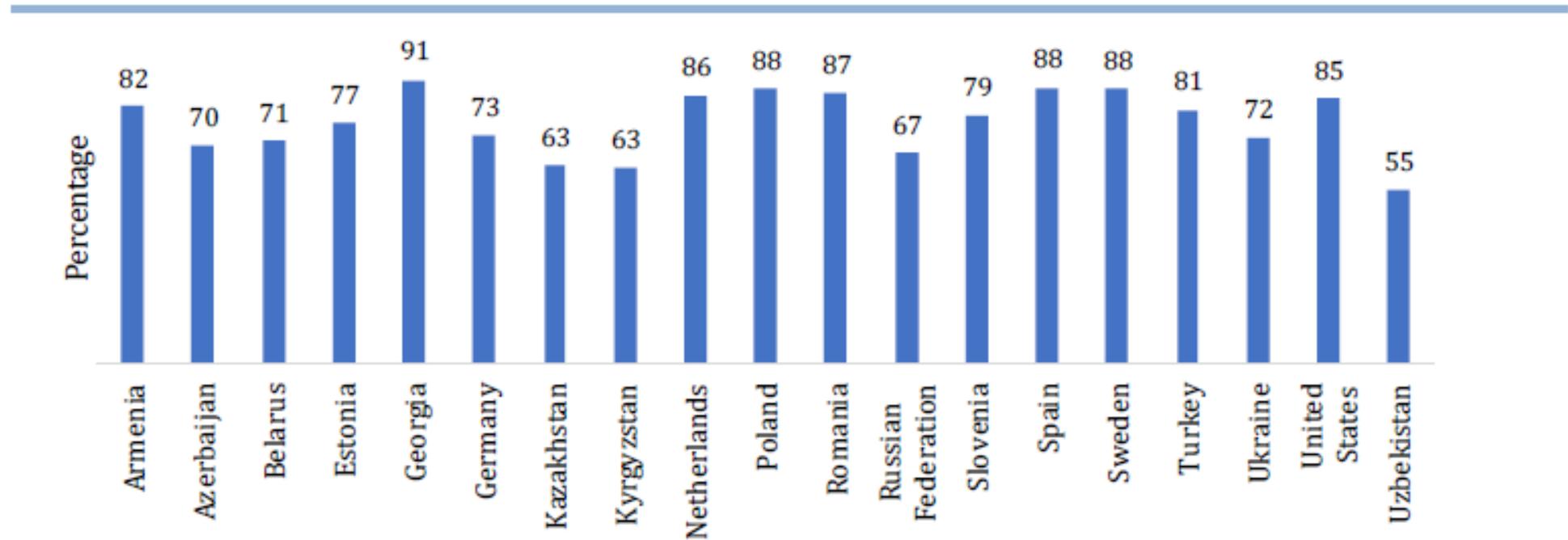
Figure 44. Proportion of women aged 20–24 who were first married or in union before age 18, 2010–2016



Source: UNICEF. UN Global SDG Database.

Gender-based violence

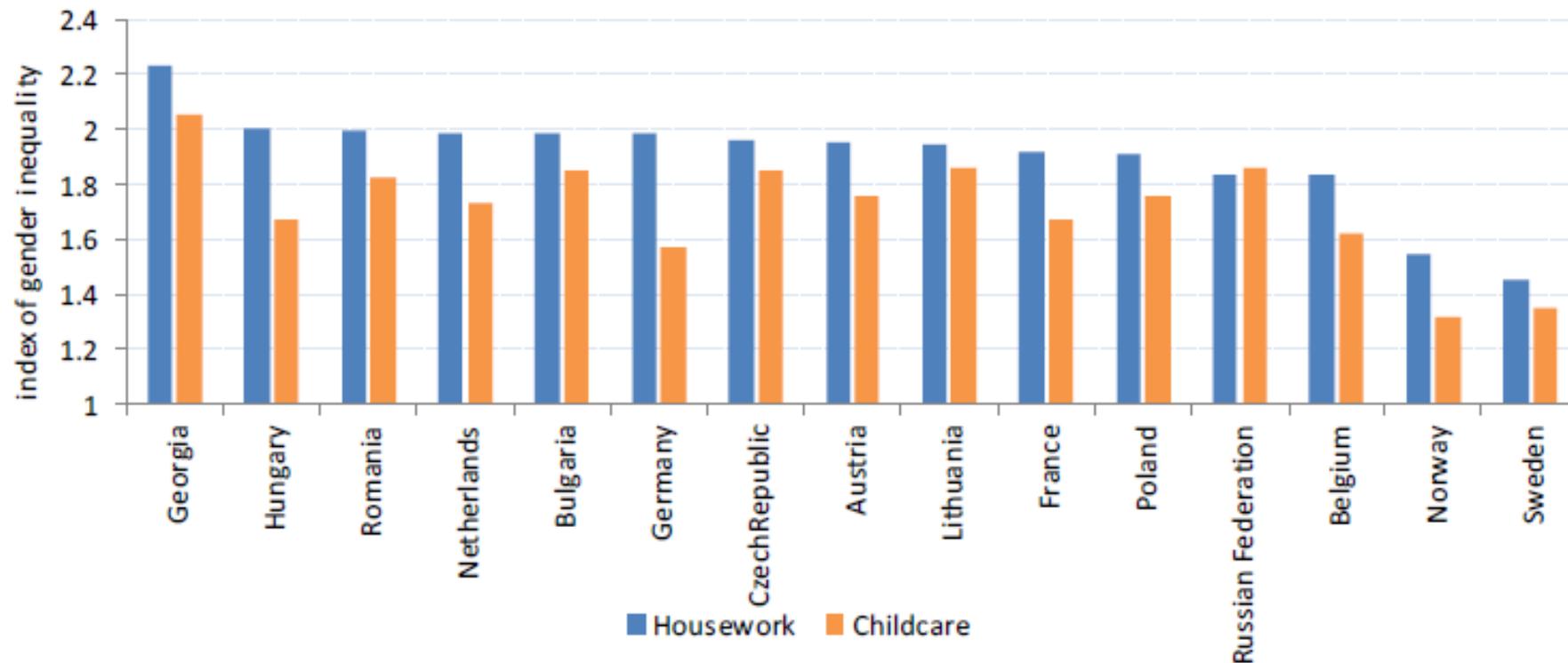
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Source: World Values Survey Database, wave 6.

Gender division of unpaid work

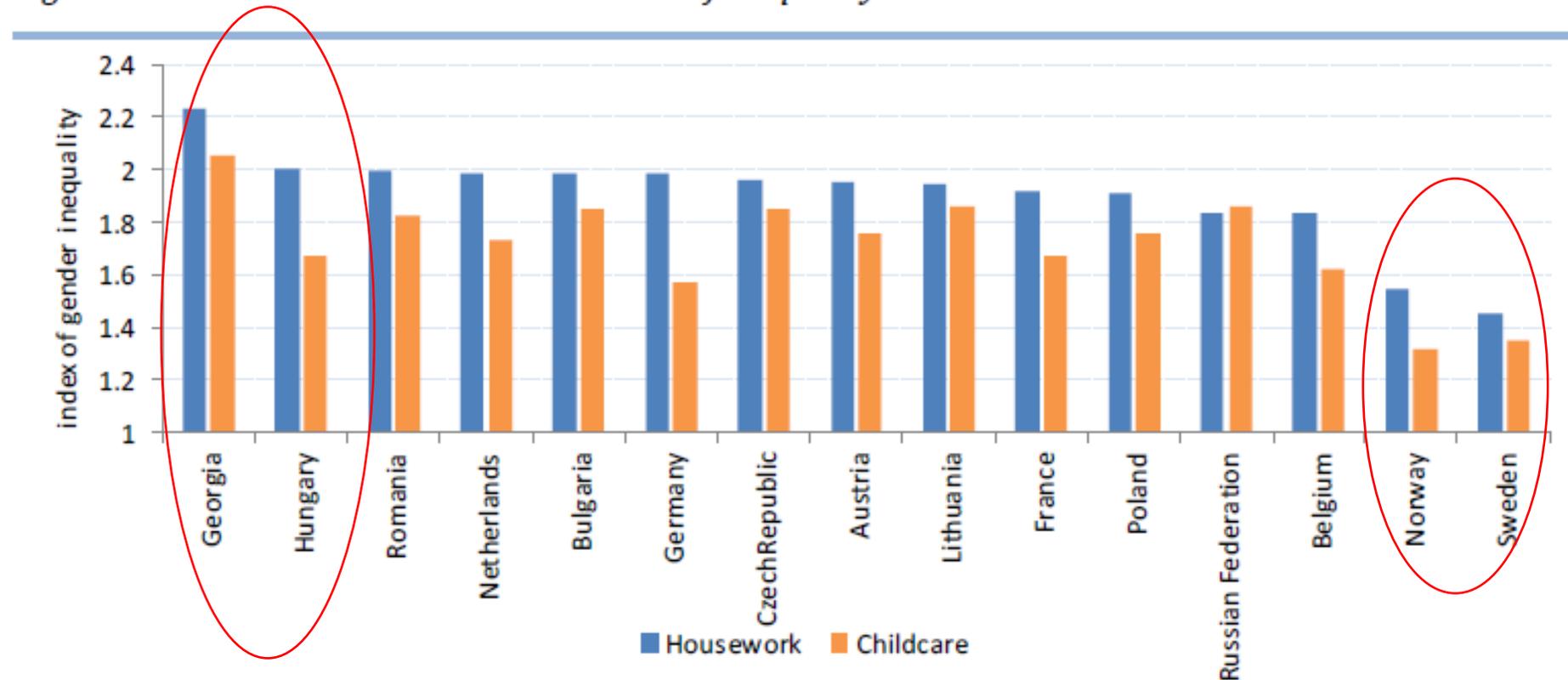
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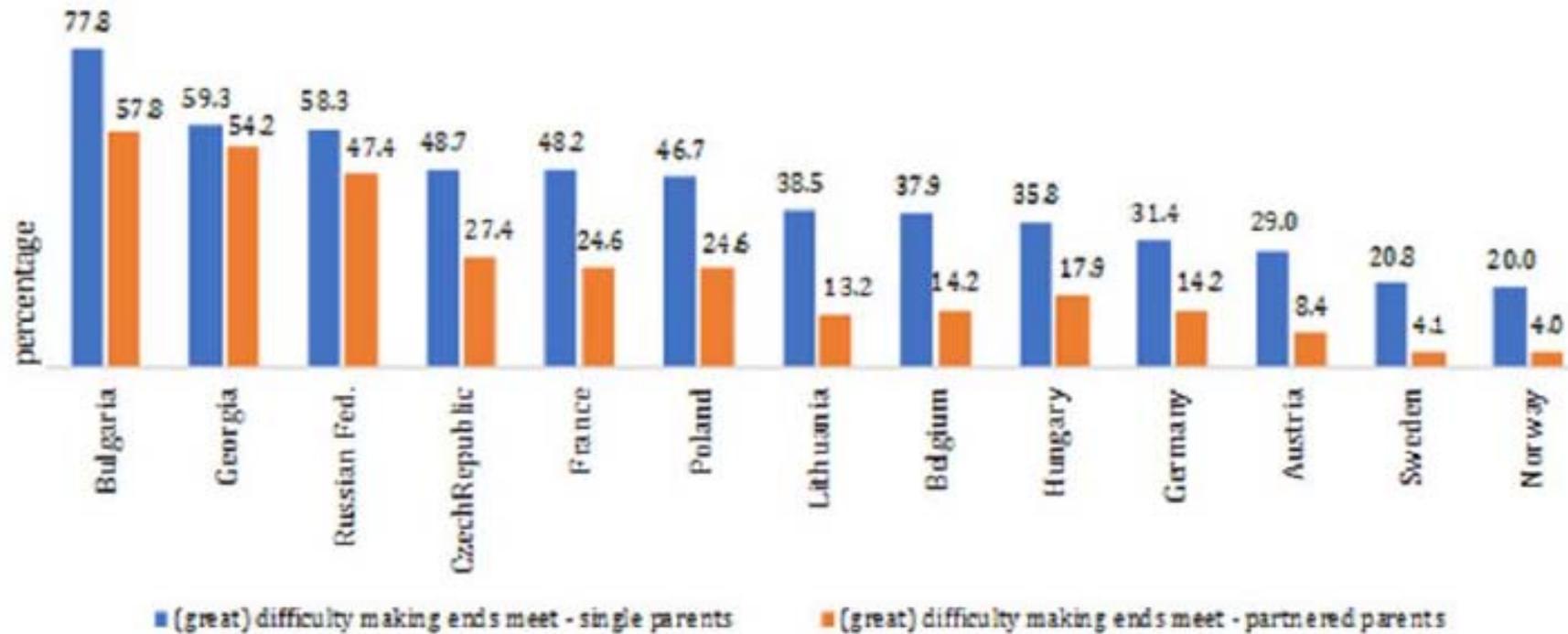
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Poverty among single mothers

Figure 47. Difficulty in making ends meet among single and partnered parents with children younger than 14 living in the household



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Closing the gender gap?

- Large country disparities
- Data gap and disaggregation
- Gender dimension...

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Programmes and campaigns to promote gender equality

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Engaging Men in Unpaid Care Work

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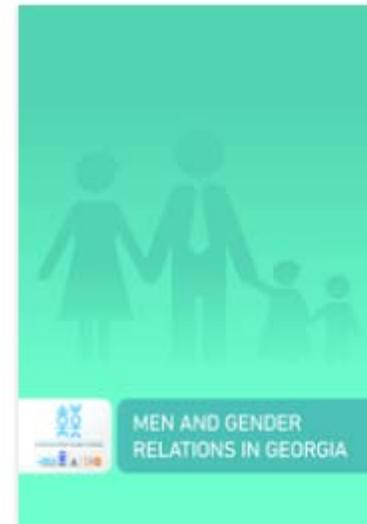


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Unpaid care work is often considered a key driver of women's inequality. In Eastern Europe, continuing low fertility as the prospect of unpaid care forces women to choose between...

Men and Gender Relations in Georgia



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The goal of the survey "Men and Gender Relations in Georgia" is to collect data on men's attitudes toward their experience of and engagement in household practices, which involve residential responsibilities with a spouse.

Filling the data gap....



- Contraception, unmet needs, infecundity
- Early union formation, childbearing
- Employment, work-life balance, financial autonomy
- Gender-based attitudes, division of unpaid work

Thank you!

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