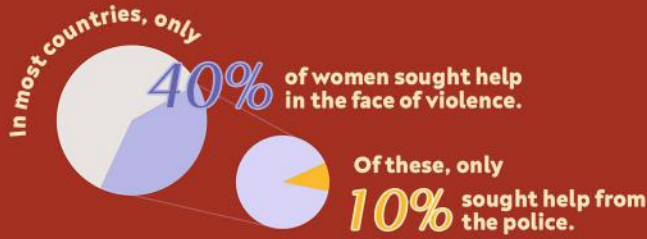


#WhyIDidn'tReport

Why does rape go unreported: SG, ASEAN, and the World



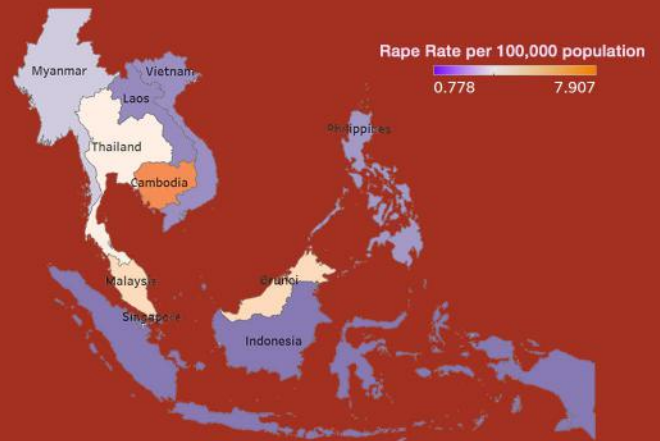
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Societal norms often normalize rape trivialization and victim blaming

Some ASEAN countries with stronger taboos against reporting rape thus records lower Rape Rates. This underlines the issue of under-reporting and lack of data-collection due to societal stigmas.

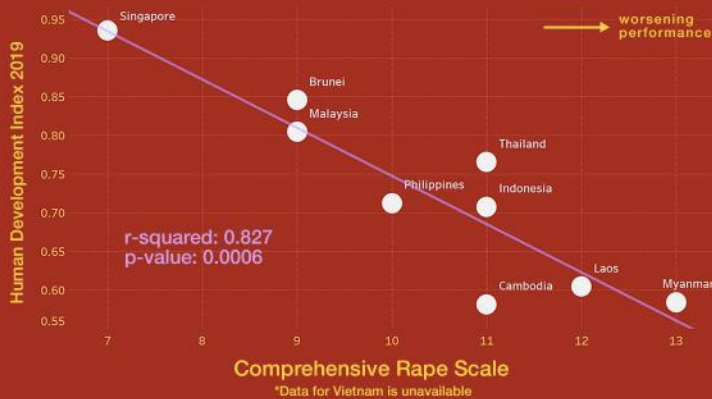
LRW SCALE 5

(measures the strength of taboos against reporting rape)

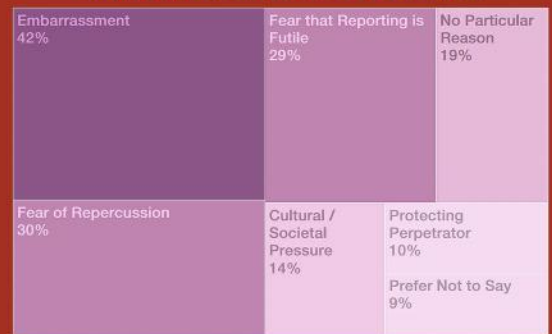


Lesser developed countries rank higher on LRW SCALE II: Comprehensive Rape Scale

(which accounts for reported prevalence, degrees of underestimation, issues of law, and strengths of taboos against reporting rape)



Why Singaporean Victims Do Not Report



Even so, highly developed countries like Singapore still struggle with societal stigmas. Notably, the 3rd most common reason Singaporeans do not report is the 'Fear that Reporting is Futile'

Singapore: Persons Arrested Per Rape Cases Recorded



57%

overall average ratio of persons arrested per rape case reported

Based on the forecast, this seems set to increase for 2019 to 2023 (Data for 2019 onwards is unavailable as of now)