## The Power of Collaboration Project

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#### WHAT WE DID



Surveyed 800 healthcare providers



across **82** countries



Three key areas in substance use disorder (SUD) treatment:

Factsheet 1 - The availability of SUD treatment centers for women

Factsheet 2 - The prevalence of trauma-informed care

Factsheet 3 - Digital access for women looking for SUD treatment

THE PROJECT AIMS TO IDENTIFY GAPS IN CARE AND PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS TO ADDRESS THEM.

# Addressing the gap: Global survey finds urgent need for trauma care in women with substance use disorders (SUD)

### WHAT WE FOUND



of providers agree that experiences of trauma contribute to the development of Substance Use Disorders

Respondents rated this on a scale from 1 (not at all) to 5 (extremely). Of the total, **68.5% rated this as 5, 26.6% rated it as 4**, and the remaining responses were distributed among the lower ratings.



of providers agree that traumatic experiences affect the outcomes of Substance Use Disorder treatment

**66% of respondents rated this as 5, 24.8% rated it as 4,** with the rest distributed among the lower ratings.



of providers **DO NOT** utilize a standardized tool for screening and / or assessing Trauma and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder

Among the 30.1% who did use standardized tools, 32% did not specify the tools they employed.



of providers would like to receive training in trauma

#### WHAT CAN WE DO?

Implement trauma care in all SUD treatment and recovery settings.

#### HOW?



**SENSITIZE** the staff and clients to the implications of trauma in Substance Use Disorder treatment and recovery.

2

**USE** standardized evidence-based screening, assessment and interventions tools throughout all the treatment process.

3

IMPLEMENT evidence-based programs, procedures, and policies by TRAINING all staff members in trauma responsive curricula such as safety and empowerment procedures and policies, and emotion regulation skills.

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