



Violence against Women

On the implementation of the Istanbul Convention in Denmark, Finland & Austria

Over the course of the last months, the **Observatory for Sociopolitical Developments in Europe** focused its research on the subject of violence against women, specifically the implementation of the Istanbul Convention to protect and support women affected by violence.

Our working paper provides detailed insights in specialised support systems in three European countries. In a comparative approach, we examine the implementation of the Istanbul Convention in Denmark, Finland and Austria with regards to the implementation of Article 22 (specialist support services), 23 (shelters) and 25 (support for victims of sexual violence).

Due to the scope of the study, we split the contents into the following publications:

- **Full version for Denmark, Finland and Austria**
- **Executive summary**
- **Country-specific version for Denmark**
- **Country-specific version for Finland**
- **Country-specific version for Austria**

Other publications on the subject by the Observatory:

- **Digital violence against women:** New forms of violence and approaches to fight them in Europe, Newsletter No. 2/2019

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