In order to create a world where every child, adolescent and young person is safe, protected and thriving, we must first know the facts.

In Honduras, both girls and boys experience unacceptably high rates of sexual and physical violence

Percentage of females and males who experienced sexual or physical violence prior to age 18

- **16%** sexual violence
- **32%** physical violence

For some youth, the first experience of sexual intercourse is physically forced, coerced or facilitated by alcohol

( among those who had sexual intercourse before age 18)

- **7%** physically forced
- **1%** facilitated by alcohol

Girls face particularly high risks of sexual violence, often with devastating consequences

Sexual violence is linked to negative health outcomes

- **16%^** 13-24 year old girls and young women who experienced physically forced or coerced or alcohol-facilitated sex became pregnant
- **41%** experienced sexual violence in childhood
- **10%** did not experience sexual violence in childhood
- **12%** experienced physical violence in childhood
- **4%** did not experience physical violence in childhood

All data among 18-24 year olds

^Estimate may be unreliable
Perpetrators of sexual violence are often someone known to the child or adolescent

Most common perpetrators of first incident of sexual violence as reported by females and males who experienced sexual violence prior to age 18

- **Intimate partner** defined as spouse, boyfriend, girlfriend or romantic partner
- **Friend/Classmate**
- **Neighbour**
- **Stranger**
- **Family member**

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Girls and boys who experience sexual violence are not getting the support and services they need

- **Females** and **males** who told someone, sought and/or received services for sexual violence, among those who experienced sexual violence prior to age 18

*Home environment includes: the participant’s home, the perpetrator’s home, or someone else’s home.

*Road, lake, river, field or other natural area

*Estimate may be unreliable