VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN IN ARMED CONFLICTS AND ROLE OF PROFESSIONAL SOCIAL WORK

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ABSTRACT
Violence perpetrated against women in an armed conflict is an extension of the violence committed against them in relatively peaceful times. This violence trespasses the fine boundary between public and private domains. As more and more women face violence and go through similar conditions in different conflict zones, there is a need to put an end to this violence and bring about a social, political and economic transformation. This is also relevant in preventing the outbreak of conflicts even in those areas where huge social, economic and political inequalities exist. Different social work approaches can attempt to remove these roots of oppression and transform the social system; and prevent conflicts and degrading treatment meted out to women during these conflicts.

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