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**Women's programmes**

In the Slovakian Prisons there are no specific programmes for women who have suffered gender violence within intimate partnerships and are in prison.

In the Prison Nitra-Chrenová, a prison for sentenced women, there are no specific programmes designed for victims of violence either. However, a comprehensive treatment programme is proposed within 3 months from entry to prison to the sentence execution. The intervention is designed according to the needs of the each woman.

Women have the possibility within this program to make use of psychological services either in individual or group form (psychotherapy, psychological counselling, psychological intervention, crisis intervention), social counselling and social help (ensuring of substitute accommodation, getting information on juvenile children, ensuring contact with family, in case of interest, ensuring job after prison sentence execution, help with ensuring different kinds of pensions). Finally, women have the possibility to make use of psychiatric services.

The pedagogue team settles the treatment program in co-operation with a psychologist and social worker.

**Men's programmes**

In the Slovakian Prisons there are no specific programmes for men who have committed gender violence within intimate partnerships and are in prison.