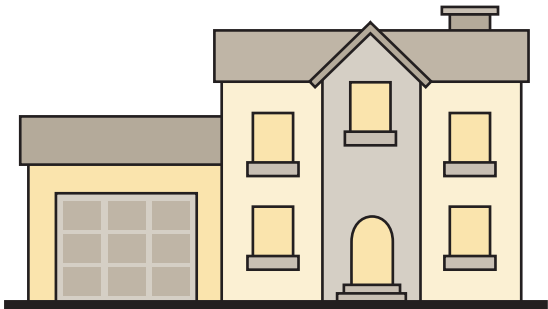


Intimate Partner Violence & Work

A Scoping Review of Published Research

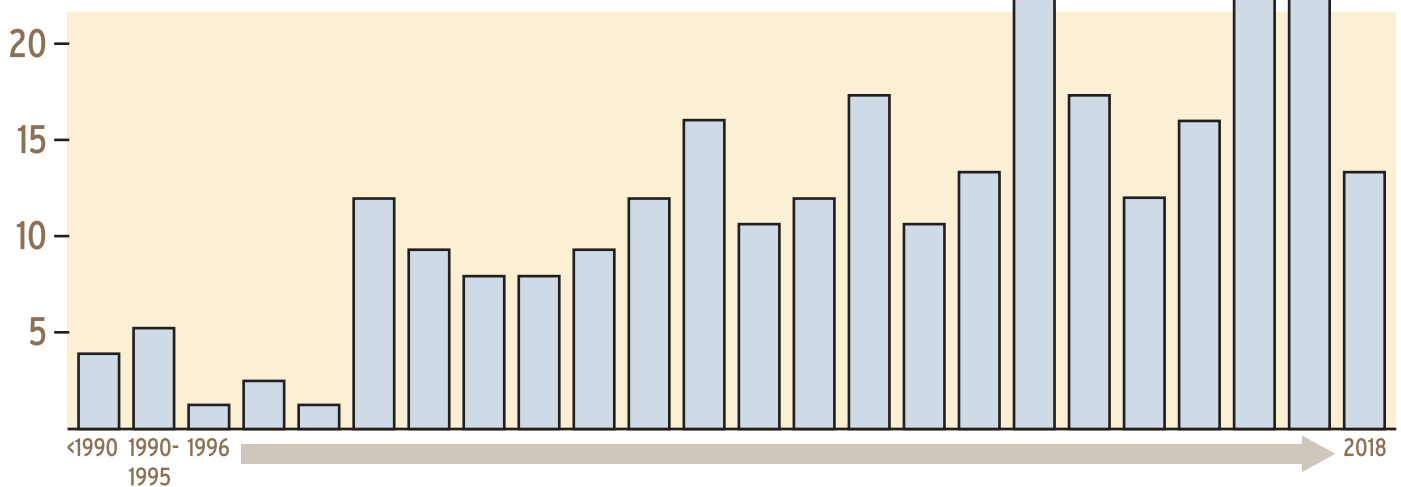


RESEARCH We conducted a scoping review to learn what research has been done on the topic of work and domestic/intimate partner violence (in the review and this document we use the term IPV). We examined relevant articles to discover the most common research topics in this area and identify topics where more research is needed.

235 research articles about IPV & work

51% published after 2010

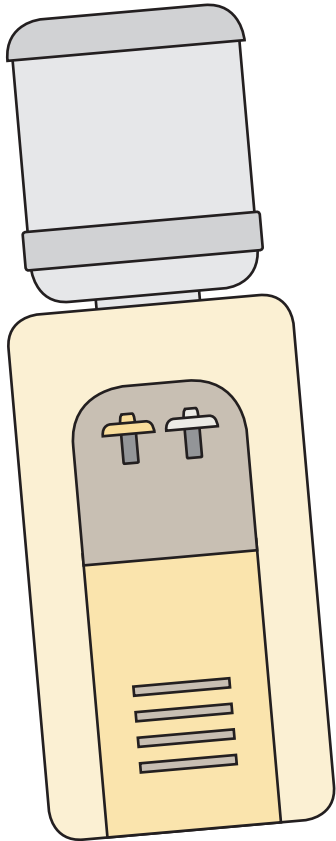
Number of IPV & Work Research Articles by Year:



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Most common topics researched:

- Relationship between IPV and employment status/stability (31%)
- IPV and work-related factors (20%, e.g., work stress, job satisfaction)
- Impacts of IPV on work (28%, e.g., absenteeism, feeling unwell, harassment at work)



69% U.S. research
25 other countries
represented

Research gaps identified:

- Only 8 articles were reviews; more research synthesis in this area is needed.
- Gender and sexual minorities are underrepresented in this literature.
- Most research focuses on victimization exclusively (70%); more research on IPV perpetration and work is needed.
- Only 9% of studies reported intervention studies – this is an urgent research gap.

PRACTICE & POLICY IMPLICATIONS

- We don't yet know enough about what workplace supports can best help women experiencing IPV.
- While we wait for better research, workplaces should consider training programs and resources such as www.makeitourbusiness.ca.

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