

THROUGH THE LENS OF CIVIL SOCIETY

9 STRATEGIC  
RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE  
GLOBAL STUDY ON  
WOMEN, PEACE AND SECURITY

This infographic provides the nine strategic recommendations that emerged from the Summary Report of 47 public submissions to the Global Study on the Implementation of United Nations Security Council Resolution (UNSCR) 1325, as compiled by the PeaceWomen programme of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom (WILPF).

INCREASE WOMEN'S  
FULL & MEANINGFUL PARTICIPATION



1 Increase women's meaningful participation and representation in peace operations, peace processes, peacebuilding movements and decision-making processes by appointing more women in decision-making positions and building women's capacity.

PREVENT ROOT CAUSES OF  
CONFLICT & MILITARIZATION



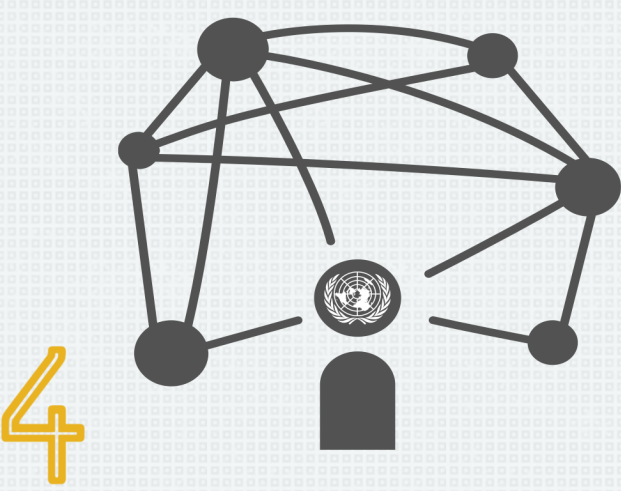
2 Prioritize long-term approaches to address and prevent the root causes of conflict and militarization through a gender analysis. Urge Member States to reduce military spending and increase investment of resources in peaceful institutions and initiatives.

STRENGTHEN UN'S CAPACITY TO  
DELIVER ON WPS



3 Strengthen the UN's capacity to deliver on WPS and urge Member States to effectively implement and finance the WPS Agenda through Local Action Plans, National Action Plans, and Regional Action Plans.

ENSURE WPS IS A CROSS-  
CUTTING ISSUE



4 Ensure that the Security Council considers WPS a cross-cutting issue across all areas of its work and in cooperation with other actors and UN entities.

ENHANCE PROTECTION OF  
WOMEN & GIRLS



5 Enhance the protection of women and girls and their rights in armed conflict and post-conflict situations by improving humanitarian support through capacity building, enhancing infrastructure and access to support, and ensuring accountability.

ADDRESS GRAVE VIOLATIONS OF  
HUMAN RIGHTS



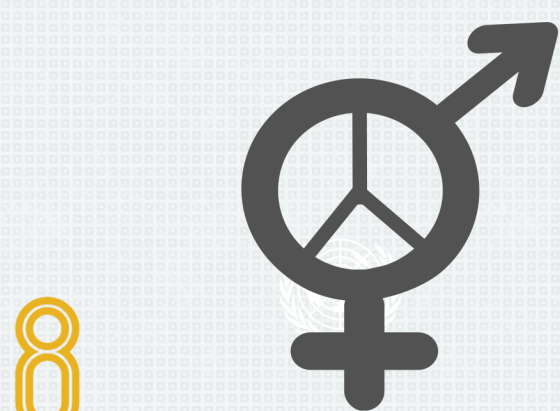
6 Address grave violations of human rights and humanitarian law against women and girls by holding accountable state and non-state actors by establishing adequate systems of redress and reparations and guaranteeing non-repetition for grave violations against women and girls.

ENHANCE ACCOUNTABILITY &  
COMBAT IMPUNITY ON VIOLENCE  
AGAINST WOMEN AND GIRLS



7 Combat impunity of UN Peacekeeping, private military, security companies, national security forces and non-state armed groups on violence against women and girls and strengthen capacity development through continuous, specialized and sustained training

STRENGTHEN GENDER PERSPECTIVE &  
WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT IN  
PEACEBUILDING



8 Strengthen the gender perspective in demobilization, disarmament and reintegration and security sector reform programs. Mainstream gender equality and women's empowerment in post-conflict peacebuilding utilizing an integrated framework that addresses institutional and structural barriers to equality.

INTEGRATE WPS IN ADDRESSING  
CRITICAL ISSUES



9 Integrate WPS in addressing critical issues by a) incorporating a more inclusive and broader approach to the WPS framework; b) including women in both peace processes and climate change negotiations; and c) supporting women's leadership, participation and rights in all efforts to prevent, reduce and counter terrorism and violent extremism.