

Some of Our Favorite Fact-Checking Resources for Women's Issues

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1) GLBTQ

- ★ Gay & Lesbian Alliance against Defamation www.glaad.org/publications/
- ★ International Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission www.iglhrc.org/site/iglhrc/section.php?id=56
- ★ National Center for Lesbian Rights www.nclrights.org/
- ★ National Gay and Lesbian Task Force thetaskforce.org/reports_and_research

2) International

- ★ HURIDOCs (Human Rights Information and Documentation Systems, International) www.hurisearch.org
- ★ JAGRITI International List of Women's Organizations by Country www.jagriti-international.org/organizations.asp
- ★ UN's Women Watch www.un.org/womenwatch
- ★ Women's Human Rights Net (Association for Women's Rights in Development) www.whrnet.org

3) Pay Equity / Labor

- ★ Families and Work Institute familiesandwork.org
- ★ Institute for Women's Policy Research www.iwpr.org
- ★ National Committee on Pay Equity www.pay-equity.org
- ★ Working Life from Labor Research Association <http://www.workinglife.org/>

4) Rape / Sexual Assault

- ★ AARDVARC (An Abuse, Rape and Domestic Violence Aid and Resource Collection) www.aardvarc.org

- ★ Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Data Resource Center www.jrsa.org/dvsra-drc
- ★ National Coalition Against Domestic Violence (See: Factsheets) www.ncadv.org
- ★ National Sexual Violence Resource Center nsvc.org
- ★ RAINN (Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network) -- especially statistics www.rainn.org

5) Reproduction

- ★ Center for Reproductive Rights www.reproductiverights.org
- ★ Feminist Majority Foundation <http://feminist.org/rights/>
- ★ Guttmacher Institute www.guttmacher.org
- ★ National Center for Health Statistics www.cdc.gov/nchs/fastats/default.htm
- ★ National Latina Institute Reproductive Health for www.latinainstitute.org/publications
- ★ Planned Parenthood www.plannedparenthood.org

6) Statistics

- ★ The American Woman on the Web: A Statistical Portrait www.wrei.org/AmericanWomanWeb.htm
- ★ GenderStats genderstats.worldbank.org published by the World Bank
- ★ Institute for Women's Policy Research www.iwpr.org/Publications/pdf.htm
- ★ UN The World's Women 2005: Progress in Statistics unstats.un.org/unsd/demographic/products/ndwm/wwpub.htm
- ★ US Census www.census.gov/ipc/www/idb/factfinder.census.gov and their American FactFinder