Gender data helps to inform smart development policy. This briefing provides key indicators for Comoros which help in monitoring gender equality and designing effective policy interventions. The arrows indicate longer term progress on outcomes from a base year, while the color coded elements compare the latest gender data in Comoros with its regional peers.

Click the measures below to explore the World Bank Gender Data Portal.
Women, Business and the Law (WBL) 2023 presents an index covering 190 economies, structured around the life cycle of a working woman. In total, 35 questions are scored across eight indicators. Comoros scores 65 out of 100, while the regional average across Sub-Saharan Africa is 73.

A Closer Look at Gender Equality in Comoros

Despite some progress, gender gaps, gender-based violence, and disadvantageous social norms facing women and girls persist, and gains in human capital of women and girls remain untapped. Turning human capital investments into economic gains means addressing multiple barriers to women's economic empowerment, including improving their voice and agency.

**Human Capital Index Score (0-1)**
Baseline compared to 2020

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**Change in Female Labor Force Participation 2010-2020 (p.p.)**

- **41 percent**
  - A girl born today will be 41 percent as productive as if she enjoyed full education, health, and employment *(2020)*

- **11 in 100**
  - 11 percent of women 15 to 19 years old have had children or already pregnant *(2012)*

- **6 percent**
  - 6 percent of women report having ever experienced any form of sexual violence *(2012)*

- **49 in 100**
  - 49 percent of women are not able to visit family, relatives and friends on her own decision *(2012)*

- **12 in 13**
  - 92 percent of women do not have any land, both solely and jointly, registered under their name *(2012)*

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**The World Bank in Gender**: This portal features the latest research, news, and events around gender equality in international development.

**Women, Business and the Law**: This portal includes reports, data, and news on the laws and regulations that affect women's economic opportunity.

**The WBG Gender Strategy update (FY24-FY30)**: This page summarizes research and evidence feeding into WBG's new gender strategy.

**World Bank Gender Data Portal**: This open data tool shares the latest statistics and research to improve understanding and inform policy choices.

**AFR Gender Innovation Lab**: This page features policy research by the GIL, evaluating innovative solutions to close priority gender gaps in the region.