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PUERTO RICO **RISES**  
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# VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN IN PUERTO RICO

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According to TruthOut.Org in Puerto Rico a woman is murdered every 14 days. Twenty-four women were murdered at the hands of their intimate partners or exes in Puerto Rico in 2018 alone.

At the beginning of December, the number of women murdered by an intimate partner already stood at eight more than in all of 2017. The numbers are alarming but only start to scratch the surface of the problem. The grim reality is that thousands of women in Puerto Rico suffer from aggression, intimidation or some type of expression of male violence daily, including physical, emotional and sexual violence. The statistics are frightening and continue to get worse with every passing day. ([Read full article here](#))

Puerto Rico Rises urgently seeks to establish seminars, workshops and classes that give women financial and social independence that allows them to support themselves and their family.

The socio-economic situation affecting our Island has triggered a rampant increase in gender violence.

As part of our offer, we want to carry out an in-depth study between the relationship of violent acts and the absence of women's education because they do not have access to the same resources, opportunities and benefits that men have.

We are currently preparing the facilities where we can register 200 women to an intensive program that covers various areas. From self defense to financial management.

Our goal is to start the registration process by October, 2019.





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