Women and COVID-19 Pandemic
To what extent are you worried that...

- One of your family members who lives with you gets infected
  - Very concerned: 61%
  - Somewhat concerned: 14%
  - Not concerned: 23%
  - Can't decide: 2%

- That your husband may expose you or any family member to Corona infection due to his lack of caution
  - Very concerned: 41%
  - Somewhat concerned: 15%
  - Not concerned: 44%
  - Can't decide: 2%

- To get exposed or any family member to Corona infection as you need to go out of the house
  - Very concerned: 56%
  - Somewhat concerned: 26%
  - Not concerned: 1%
  - Can't decide: 17%

- The head of the household loses his/her job due to the prevalence of the virus
  - Very concerned: 67%
  - Somewhat concerned: 11%
  - Not concerned: 20%
  - Can't decide: 2%

The effect of the Pandemic on the violence towards married women from husbands

- Married women
- Have been exposed to violence in the last week: 11%
- Have not been exposed to violence in the last week: 89%
- Among those who exposed violence
  - Hit her: 15.3%
  - Pushed her: 8.1%
  - Insulted her: 83.4%

Sample properties

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Methodology:
The poll was conducted on a national representative sample of 1518 females in the age group 18+. Respondents were accessed through their landlines and mobile phones during the period from April 4th to April 14th, 2020.
On a scale from 0 to 10, to what extent the appearance of the Corona virus and recent decisions related to the Corona virus affected your life

Average score: 6.71

- 7% scored 0
- 18% scored 1
- 16% scored 2
- 59% scored 3
- 4-5
- 7 or more
- Don’t know

Average score by characteristic

- Education level
  - Less than intermediate: 6.2
  - University or above: 7.5
- Place of residence
  - Urban governorates: 7.5
  - Upper Egypt: 6.7
  - Lower Egypt: 6.5
- Age category
  - Less than 30 years: 6.5
  - 30-49 years: 7.4
  - 50 years or more: 5.9

Did Corona virus affect your household’s income?

- 26% same
- 72% decreased
- 1% don’t know

By age

- 50 years or more: 58%
- 30-40: 39%
- Less than 30: 3%

Has these things increased or decreased after the changes that have happened in our lives after the Corona?

- Violence among family members (any form of physical violence between spouses or children and parents)
  - Increased: 19%
  - Same: 77%
  - Decreased: 4%

- Time spent in housework
  - Increased: 51%
  - Same: 45%
  - Decreased: 4%

- Time spent studying to the children
  - Increased: 33%
  - Same: 33%
  - Decreased: 58%

- Family problems (between spouses or children and parents)
  - Increased: 33%
  - Same: 64%
  - Decreased: 3%

- Time spent in childcare
  - Increased: 61%
  - Same: 37%
  - Decreased: 2%
Almost all Egyptian women heard about the Corona virus

Since the time you have heard about corona

- Have you changed anything in your daily routine?
  - Yes: 80%
  - No: 20%
  - Education level:
    - University or above: 95%
    - Intermediate or upper: 89%
    - Less than intermediate: 72%

- Do you do the following things more, or less, or the same way?
  - Washing hands: 91%
  - Using sanitizers for the hands and surfaces: 89%
  - Wearing masks: 72%
  - Gatherings: 88%
  - Shaking hands: 86%

Do your family members have the same level of awareness as you do about how to avoid being infected by Corona virus?

- Yes: 94%
- No: 5%
- Don’t know: 1%

What things that you feel that they are not aware of and can cause infection?

- Leaving the house frequently: 58.1%
- Washing hands: 32.3%
- Surface disinfection: 2.6%
- Wearing masks/gloves: 0.3%