

## ANNEX 4: UN Security Council Resolution on WPS

The UN Security Council adopted ten resolutions on Women, Peace and Security (WPS) in the 2000s and 2010s.	
<b>UNSCR 1325</b> October 31, 2000	<i>Recognizes</i> the disproportionate and unique impact of armed conflict on women. <i>Urges</i> member states and the UN to increase the representation and participation of women at all decisionmaking levels in the prevention and resolution of conflicts, including in field-based operations. <i>Affirms</i> the importance of integrating gender perspectives in all negotiations and operations. <i>Calls</i> for measures to protect women and girls from gender-based violence.
<b>UNSCR 1820</b> June 19, 2008	<i>Recognizes</i> sexual violence as a tactic of war. <i>Declares</i> that “rape and other forms of sexual violence can constitute war crimes, crimes against humanity, or a constitutive act with respect to genocide.”
<b>UNSCR 1888</b> September 30, 2009	<i>Establishes</i> a mandate for the Special Representative on Sexual Violence in Conflict. <i>Calls</i> for the appointment of Women Protection Advisors in all peacekeeping missions.
<b>UNSCR 1889</b> October 5, 2009	<i>Calls</i> for the development of indicators to measure the implementation of UNSCR 1325.
<b>UNSCR 1960</b> December, 16, 2010	<i>Calls</i> for a monitoring, analysis and reporting arrangement on conflict-related sexual violence. <i>Establishes</i> a “naming and shaming” mechanism for perpetrators of sexual violence. <i>Recommends</i> referral to UN Sanctions Committees.
<b>UNSCR 2106</b> June 24, 2013	<i>Focuses</i> on the national responsibility of all states to protect civilians and prevent sexual violence in conflict. <i>Recognizes</i> men and boys as victims of sexual violence.
<b>UNSCR 2122</b> October 18, 2013	<i>Commits</i> to focus attention on women’s leadership and participation in conflict resolution and peacebuilding. <i>Asks</i> the UN Secretary-General to undertake a global study on the implementation of UNSCR 1325. <i>Calls</i> for humanitarian aid to include the full range of medical, legal, psychosocial and livelihood services to women affected by armed conflict.
<b>UNSCR 2242</b> October 13, 2015	<i>Recognizes</i> terrorism as part of the WPS agenda and gender as a crosscutting issue within the counter-terrorism and counter-violent extremism agendas. <i>Recognizes</i> the importance of integrating WPS across all country situations. <i>Establishes</i> an Informal Experts Group (IEG) on WPS.
<b>UNSCR 2467</b> April 23, 2019	<i>Calls</i> for a survivor-centered approach in the prevention and response to conflict-related sexual violence. <i>Recognizes</i> the importance of civil society organizations in addressing conflict-related sexual violence and the need to pay special attention to children born of sexual violence in armed conflict.
<b>UNSCR 2493</b> October 29, 2019	<i>Requests</i> the UN Secretary-General to provide further information on progress and remaining challenges in the WPS agenda.
<b>In addition, see</b>	
<b>UNSCR 2538</b> August 28, 2020	<i>Calls</i> on UN members states to increase the deployment of uniformed women in peace operations. <i>Asks</i> the UN Secretary-General to implement the System-Wide Strategy on Gender Parity and Uniformed Gender Parity Strategy 2018-2028.