



NATIONAL DATA

WOMEN WHO HAVE FACED GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE (GBV) SERVED BY ISDEMU, (SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2023)

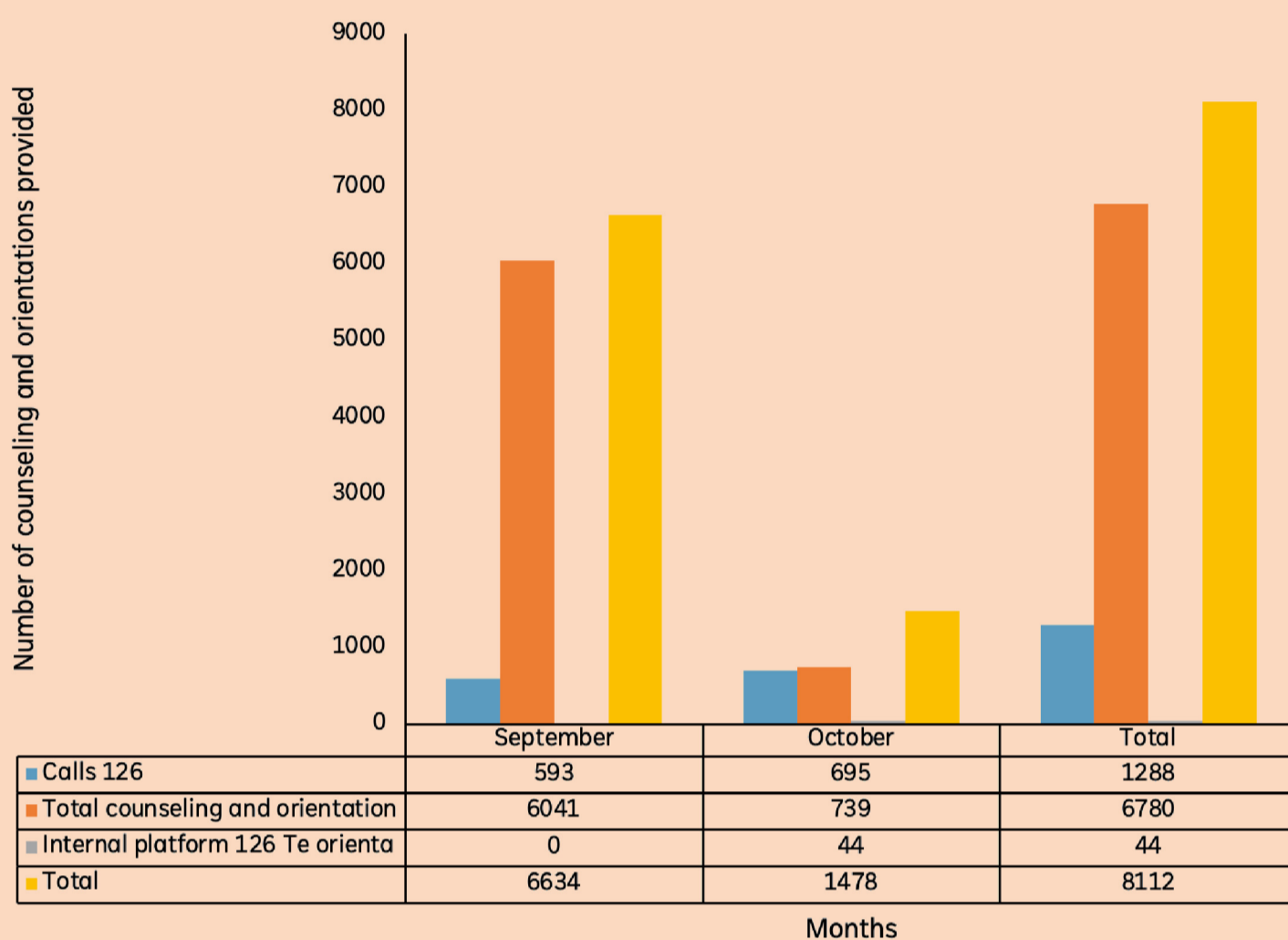
Between the months of September and October 2023, ISDEMU provided a total of 736 services to women victims of GBV, distributed in 336 psychological, 202 legal and 198 social, noting a considerable decrease in the number of care from September (514) to October (222).



Data analysis from the 126 Care Center nationwide between September and October 2023 reveals several key points. In these two months, a total of 8,112 counseling and orientations were offered, although a significant decrease in their number was observed, going from 6,634 in September to 1,478 in October, which represents a drop of 77.7%. This notable decrease could be influenced by both internal factors of the center and changes in the needs of the community. (See Figure 1).



Graphic 1. Number of counseling and orientations provided by the 126 Care Center nationwide, El Salvador, from September to October 2023



Source: Prepared by the authors based on the Integrated System for the Management of Records and Appointments. SIMEC. Information generated on:10/11/2023. (ISDEMU, 2023a; ISDEMU, 2023b).

Of the 736 services provided to women who have faced GBV between September and October, the most requested type of service was legal care (202 cases), followed by social services (198) and psychological care (336).

On the other hand, 929 women victims of GBV were served by ISDEMU. The most frequently reported types of violence are: psychological violence (704 cases), economic violence (119), sexual violence (64), patrimonial violence (36), femicidal violence (3), symbolic violence (1), other types of violence (2).

Characteristics of the victims:

- **Age:** was recorded in 1,052 cases attended. The range between 30-39 years presented the highest number of cases (317), increasing in September (151) to October (166). The 20-29 age range also showed a high incidence, with 249 cases in total, increasing from September (116) to October (133).
- **Disability:** between September and October, 16 of the victims reported a physical (4), cognitive (1), mental (5), or sensory (6) disability.

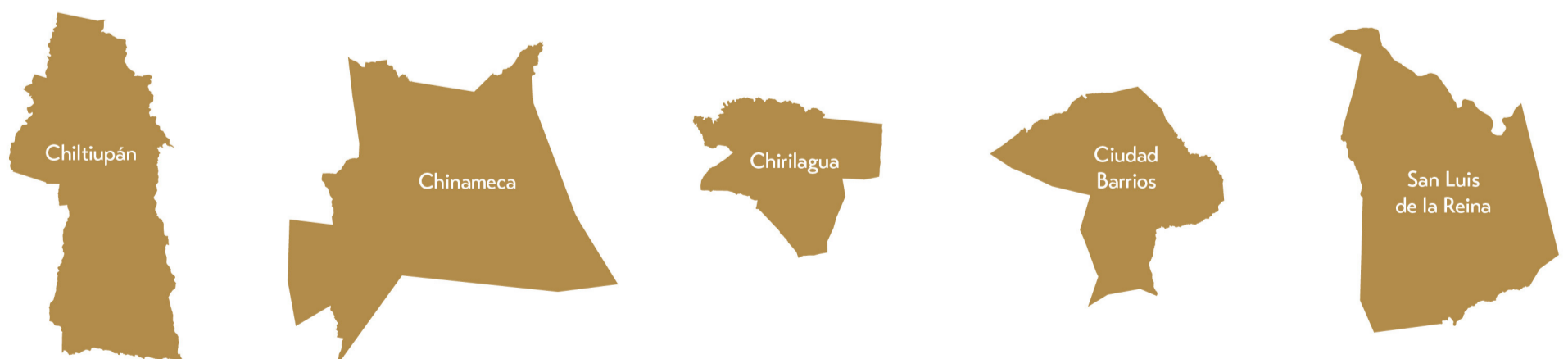
DATA FROM THE MUNICIPALITIES OF THE LIBRES PROJECT

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE CASES WOMEN VICTIMS OF GBV SERVED BY ISDEMU IN THE 21 MUNICIPALITIES OF THE LIBRES PROJECT, BETWEEN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER 2023

Municipalities: in that period, the municipalities of the LibrES project that presented the highest figures of care for victims of GBV were:



Those that presented the lowest figures were:



Age: 333 cases were registered by age. The group of women aged 30-39 years presented the highest number of cases (92), followed by the group aged 20-29 years (80 cases).

Type of violence: 281 cases were recorded by type of violence, with psychological violence (125 cases) being the most common, followed by physical violence (25), economic violence (24), and property violence (4). In September, 1 case of femicide violence was recorded.

Source: ISDEMU. (2023a). Response to request for information Ref. ISDEMU-2023-0036. ISDEMU. (2023b). Response to request for information Ref. ISDEMU-2023-0042.