

Victim Assistance in Libya: then and now

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| According to original study | • | • | • | • | • | • |
| According to LM 2002 | • | • | • | • | • | • |
| According to LM 2003 | | • | | • | • | • |

Key Developments (LM 2002):

None

Indicator 1: The extent to which information on mine victims' demographics and needs is available.

According to original study:

LM 2000 reports that all mine incidents in Libya must be reported to the police, but that it is doubtful that accurate national data exist for the numbers of mine-related incidents and mine victims in Libya. A statement provided by the Libyan government to the UN General Assembly in November 1999 cites a figure of 4,000 mine-related deaths.

According to LM 2002:

There were no reports of mine or UXO victims in 2001.

Indicator 2: The extent to which a national disability coordination mechanism exists and recognizes mine victims.

According to original study:

No information available.

According to LM 2002:

The government provides a medical and social care system for disabled persons, including mine and UXO victims.

Indicator 3: The extent to which programs and services for the medical care and rehabilitation of mine victims are available.

According to original study:

No information available.

According to LM 2002:

The system offers free medical care, social reintegration, and job opportunities for disabled.

Indicator 4: The extent to which programs and services for the social and economic reintegration of mine victims are available

According to original study:

No information available.

According to LM 2002:

The system offers free medical care, social reintegration, and job opportunities for disabled. It also provides special transportation benefits, including free private special cars in some cases.¹⁰

Indicator 5: The extent to which mine victims are protected and supported by effective laws and policies.

According to original study:

No information available.

According to LM 2002:

No information available.

Indicator 6: The extent to which there is a disability community advocacy network.

According to original study:

No information available.

According to LM 2002:

No information available.

Endnotes:

¹⁰ See *Landmine Monitor Report 2000*, p. 953.