



## **Press Release**

### **Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics**

#### **On the occasion of the International Women's Day** **45% members of teaching staff in higher education are females**

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics issued today 6 /3/2014 a press release on the occasion of International Women's Day which celebrated on 8<sup>th</sup> March every year, the celebration has been held after the first conference of world Democratic Women's Federation in 7/3/1945 the press release reviewed the statement of Egyptian women situation , and their extent contribution in various fields such as labor force, education , political, parliamentary and syndicalistie life , This would be most clear through the following indicators:

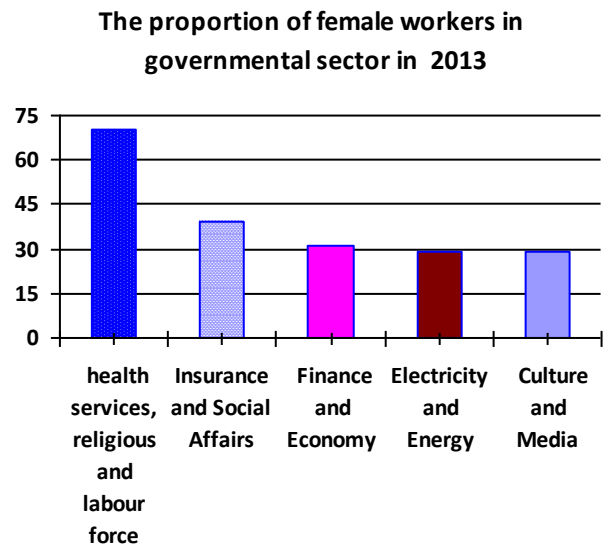
#### **24.3 years average age of marriage for females**

- Population is estimated about 85.8% million people in 1/1/2014 representing 51.1% for males vs. 48.9% for females, and sex ratio at birth reached 104.3 male / 100 female in 2012/2013.
- The life expectancy at birth for females reached 72.2 years, versus 69.4 years for males in 2013.
- The average age of marriage for females reached 24.3 years, compared to about 29 years for males in 2012.
- The percentage of female households heads reached 17.8% from the total households compared to 82.2% for males in 2012.

### **23% percentage of women participation in the labor force**

- The percentage of Women participation in the Labor force reached 23% of the total labor force which accounted for nearly one-third of men participation in the labor force ( 15- 64 years old) which was 77% in 2012.

- 70.5% the proportion of females workers in health, religious, and labor force services sector , 39.3% the proportion of female workers in insurance and social affairs sector, followed by the financial and the economy sector 31%, then the electricity and energy sector, and the sector of culture and information 29% for each in 2012 / 2013.



- The percentage of women workers in governmental sector reached 27.5% versus 72.5% for males in 2012/2013.

- The unemployment rate of females rose from 22.7% in 2011 to 24.1% in 2012, also the rate increased for males from 8.9% in 2011 to 9.3% in 2012.

- The proportion of females in the permanent work reached 85.5% versus 63.6% for males in 2012.

- The proportion of unpaid women employment in non-agricultural sector reached 19.1% in 2012 versus 17.5% in 2010.

- The percentage of women participation in social insurances reached 84.3% versus 54.5 for males in 2012, also the percentage of women participation in health insurance reached 79.1% versus 44.3% for males in 2012.

### **32.5% illiteracy rate among females in 2012**

- Illiteracy rate decreased from 33.6% for females compared to 18.8% for males in 2011 to 32.5% for females compared to 17.6% for males in 2012 .

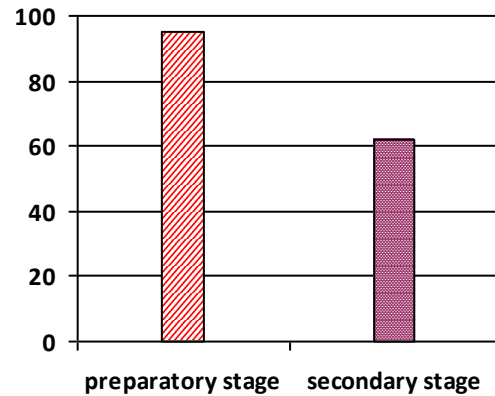
- The percentage of females' net enrollment in preparatory stage reached 95% in 2012/2013 compared to 83.7% in 2011/2012, while the percentage of net enrollment in secondary education reached 66.3% in 2012/2013 compared to 58.2% in 2011/2012.

-The percentage of females enrolled in higher education, about 45% of the total enrolled in the higher education in 2011/2012.

- The dropout rate at the primary education reached 0.5 % for females compared to 0.2 % for males in 2011/2012, while in preparatory education it reached 5.8 % for females compared to 6.5 % for males at the same year.

- The percentage of teaching staff at university education reached 44.9 % for females compared to 25.1 % for males.

**Total enrollment ratio for females in the preparatory and secondary school in 2012/2013**

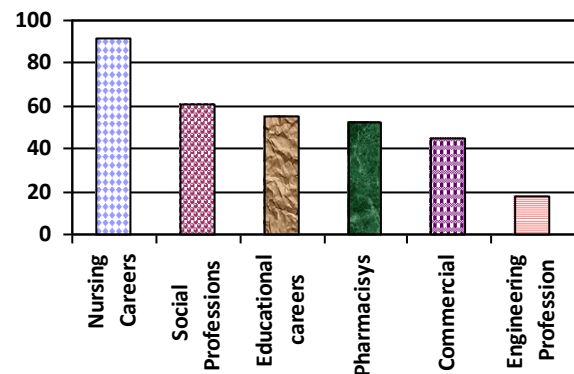


### **The highest representation rate of women is at nursing vocational syndicates'**

- The percentage of female participants in vocational syndicates' members reached 45.8 % compared to 23 % for males in 2012.

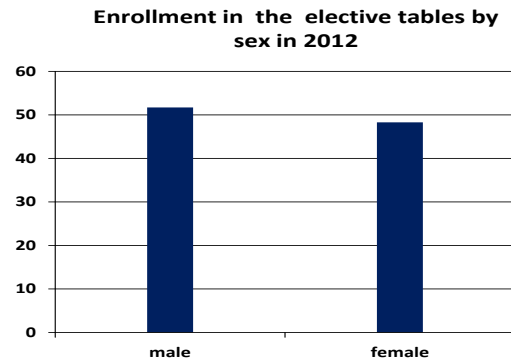
- The highest percentage of women representation in nursing vocation reached 91.5% , followed by women in social vocation with approximately 61% , followed by educational vocation which reached 55.4% , then the pharmacists which reached 52.1% , followed by commercials which reached 44.6% , and the least one was engineering vocations which reached 17.6% in 2012.

**Percentage of female participants in vocational Syndicates' member in 2012**

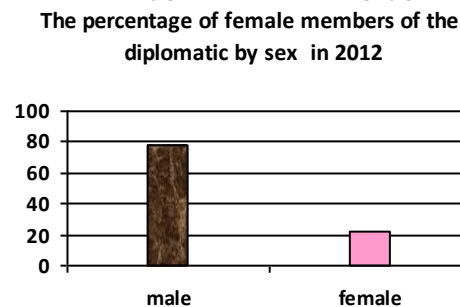


## 48.3% of females enrolled in the election schedules in 2012

- The percentage of females enrolled in the election schedules reached 48.3% compared to 51.7 % for males in 2012.



- The percentage of female members in diplomatic position reached 22.5% compared to 77.5% for males in 2012.



- A small percentage of females works in judicial position reaching 0.4% compared to 99.6% for males in 2012.

## 60% of the current use of family planning methods in 2012

- The rate of the current, use of contraceptive reached 60% in 2012, compared to 56.1% in 2000 . (according to the global population statue data report in 2012 ).

- Maternal mortality rate decreased from 61 deaths per 100.000 births in 2005 to 50 deaths per 100.000 births in 2012 , and the percentage of professional delivery reached 79% in 2012 ( according of the ministry of health data ) .

- Number of cases of infection with HIV (AIDS ) for females reached 87 cases in 2012. (Ministry of Health ) .

- The number of malaria infection for female reached 33 cases ,while the number tuberculosis cases reached 7 thousand for females in 2012. (Ministry of Health) .

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