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### GEOGRAPHIC

Continent
Europe (EU)
Country
Latvia

### BASIC DETAILS

Language
Latvian

**Sector:** Social & and family affairs

**Title (EN):** Men in Latvian Public Environment: Policy, Social and Economic Aspects.

#### Abstract description (EN):

This study highlights several of the main aspects that have to do with the role of men as both equal and different in Latvia: state family policy, social and economic barriers to active fatherhood. Conclusions: legal framework in Latvia in general does not form significant barriers for men to engage fully in family life and childcare. However, the implementation of the state regulations remains to be a problem area. Due to gender stereotypes that associate strongly women with childcare and men with wage-work, the men choose not to use all possibilities to combine work and family life offered by the state.

**Title (Original Language):** Vīriešu iespejas savienot darba un gimenes dzivi müsdienu Latvija: Projekta rezultatu apkopojums.

#### Abstract description (Original Language):

Šis petijums akcente vairakus butiskus aspektus (valsts gimenes politiku, socialos un ekonomiskos škeršlus), kas trauce virietim apvienot stradašanu algota darba ar savas gimenes dzives veiksmigu istenošanu. Secinajumi: kopuma likumdošana Latvija neliek škeršlus viriešiem pilniba iesaistities gimenes dzive un bernu aprupe. Tomēr pastav sarežgijumi ar valsts normatīvo aktu ieviešanu dzive. Pastavošo dzimumu

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stereotipu (t.i. bernu aprupe tiek piedeveta sievietem, bet algots darbs – viriešiem) del virieši neizmanto visas valsts piedavatas iespejas darba un gimenes dzives līdzsvarošanai.

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