

Gender perspective on access to energy in the EU

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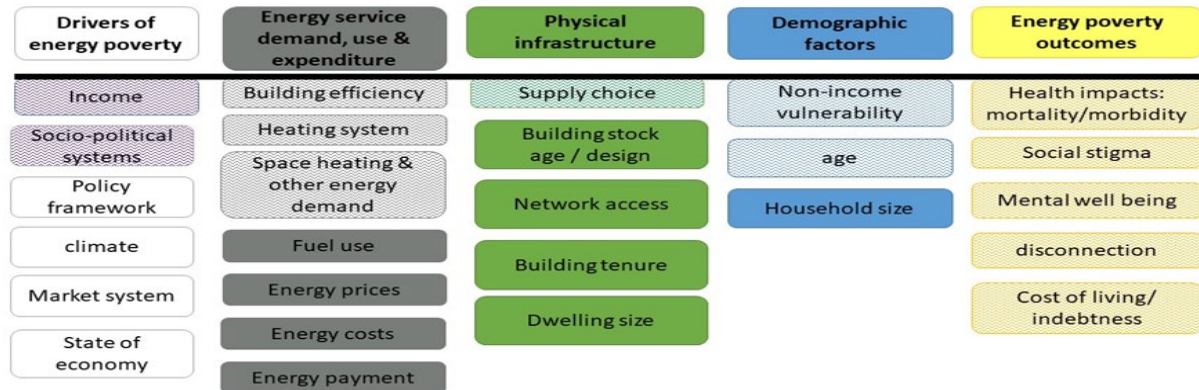
Introductory note

- The context of the study
- The time frame
- The methodology
- Research objectives



Gender dimensions of energy poverty

- Existing data on energy poverty and gender
- Drivers, factors and outcomes of energy poverty



Legend:  indicates gender as a factor

Gender dimensions of energy poverty

- Perspectives to gender and energy poverty
 - Economic perspective (income)
 - Biological/physiological perspective (age; sensitiveness; climate)
 - Socio-cultural perspective (needs and patterns; household tasks; burden to maintain the household; less efficient homes)

How to address energy poverty in a gender aware way

- Stimulating gender-sensitive energy poverty policy
- Collecting sex-disaggregated data on energy poverty
- Gender budgeting
- Engendering energy poverty indicators



Recommendations

- Develop a more gender aware approach to addressing energy poverty
- Supporting DG Energy in engendering its approach to energy poverty
- Supporting the EIGE to mainstream gender into energy policy
- Raising awareness on wood fuel, health and gender in the EU

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