

**NO ONE SHOULD BE SUBJECTED TO TORTURE OR TO CRUEL, INHUMAN OR
DEGRADING TREATMENT OR PUNISHMENT**

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This article means that when a person did something wrong like torturing other people or to cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment is against the law especially when that person which is being tortured did not do something unto them. Their just making it just for their own sake of happiness.

Torture is prohibited under international law and the domestic laws of most countries. Torture means any act by which severe pain or suffering, whether physical or mental, is intentionally inflicted on a person for such purposes as obtaining from him or a third person information or a confession, punishing him for an act he or a third person has committed or is suspected of having committed, or intimidating or coercing him or a third person, or for any reason based on discrimination of any kind, when such pain or suffering is inflicted by or at the instigation of or with the consent or acquiescence of a public official or other person acting in an official capacity. It does not include pain or suffering arising only from, inherent in or incidental to lawful sanctions.

This article is without prejudice to any international instrument or national legislation which does or may contain provisions of wider application.