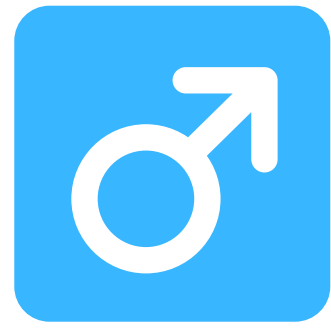


# IMPACT OF LATIN GENDER ROLES ON SEEKING MEDICAL CARE



VERSUS



## MARIANISMO



## MACHISMO



### Struggle

Higher rates of depression

Higher rates of anxiety and cynical hostility

### Shame

Avoid seeking prenatal and postpartum healthcare

Avoid certain medical procedures due to social stigma

### Stress

Psychological stress due to silencing-self to maintain harmony

Higher tendency to express anger when faced with stress

### Sex

Social pressures to please sexual partners and lower rates of contraceptive usage lead to higher rates of STDs

Encourages male dominance over women and higher rates of intimate partner violence (IPV)

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