

**Question for written answer E-004467/2018  
to the Commission**

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Subject: Bosnia and Herzegovina war crime victims

Bosnia and Herzegovina still has an issue with prosecuting its wartime criminals (outlined in many of the Commission's reports), more specifically those involved in the numerous rape cases, leaving thousands of victims without closure. In addition, medical, psychological and financial support is practically non-existent, or difficult to access, leaving such victims vulnerable. Given Bosnia and Herzegovina's responsibility to make reparation for war crimes and its status as a 'potential candidate country':

What is the Commission doing to support Bosnia and Herzegovina in prosecuting war crimes as well as providing assistance in structuring its support system in order to give aid to this vulnerable group swiftly?