

Controversy between U.S. Men and Women in Soccer.

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In the World we have many issues that we not seek as important I chose this topic not only because its creating problems politically but around the world its been an issue.

There is many controversial between the wage gap between men and women Traditionally men have dominated the world of sports however in recent year's women's sports have become popular and with their new found popularity, women's sports have evolved into marketable leagues of their own. Although women's sports took a huge leap forward, women players still don't receive the same financial compensation for playing the same sports in the same arenas as their male counterparts. Equality between people is what makes the United States of America different from other nations. In the United States professional soccer leagues there is a dearth of gender equality. This can be seen through the gender difference in salary. In 2013, professional women soccer players were yearly being paid \$15,000 each, about nine times less than the men. Many professional women soccer players that can't support themselves off their salary and demand for a equal pay for putting the same amount of effort as men and even getting further in competition. This issue does not only have to be spread out among others but be resolved not only in sports but in many other issues were women should be equally treated and payed as men for equal amount of labor.

“Why does the U.S. women's soccer team get paid less than the men?”

www.sfchronicle.com/sports/annkillion/article/Why-does-the-U-S-Women-s-Soccer-team-get-paid-13689380.php

Women as well as men should be payed equally not just by the work they contribute but because there should be no discrimination against one another everyone is equal and should be treated as such. This text focuses on gender discrimination the U.S women soccer team felt when they played their championship game. This was always an issue but it was never filed , Men were doing equally the same amount of work in the field and champion ship games as women. Fifa awards bonus money for World Cups and the amount of money-for the men is greater than for the women. In 2014, the men's national team with performance bonuses totaling \$5,375,000 for losing in the Round of 16, while, in 2015, the USSF provided the women's national team with only \$1,725,000 for winning the entire tournament. Women earned more than three times less than the men while performing better and winning the whole competition.

Data: How does the U.S. women's soccer team pay compare to the men

<https://www.pbs.org/newshour/nation/data-how-does-the-u-s-womens-soccer-team-pay-compare-to-the-men>

In this article it is stated that men as much as women play the same competition but always was a fight for the wages between one another this has happened for a lifetime but this is the first time where this is issued legally and was stated for a complaint. The Women national soccer team gathered in their last game with shirts that said men and women should be treated equally and payed the same nevertheless they are playing the same competition the Olympic games. The Article shows a data chart where the pay rate is higher for men than women from 2013-present. The article does not only show how women's national team feels but what a professional tennis player had to say over this problem.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x9GqWoy6__s

This Video shows 3 of the Women in the National Team where they were stating what they thought was wrong not only the amount they get payed but they have won 4 olympic medals and they still don't get the amount they should for winning such a competitive competition, not only that but they state that they don't get the same leveling field as men do there playing conditions are poorly and increases the amount of injuries and bruising in there body.

Analysis:

Women wage has always been a huge controversy around the world and in many sports but we do not realize it or it creates impacts on our everyday lives but it does it changes how women and men are treated around the world of the sports. Traditionally men have dominated the world of sports however in recent year's women's sports have become popular and with their new found popularity, women's sports have evolved into marketable leagues of their own. Although women's sports took a huge leap forward, women players still don't receive the same financial compensation for playing the same sports in the same arenas as their male counterparts. Women play the same competition in soccer as well as men and although getting further they don't get the right pay or respect as if the mens national team would if they would have one. The gender pay gap has always been an issue concerning the work force and those apart of it. Men have always made more money than women no matter the occupation, and pay discrimination needs to be stopped. It 's even been documented that women are more active and educated in labor force but still receive 78 cents for every dollar a man makes. The pay gap is affecting all women and impacting those of all races, ethnic groups, ages, education levels, and is a problem in every state. A change needs to be made in order for the pay gap to shrink because this is not showing a sense of everyone being equal.