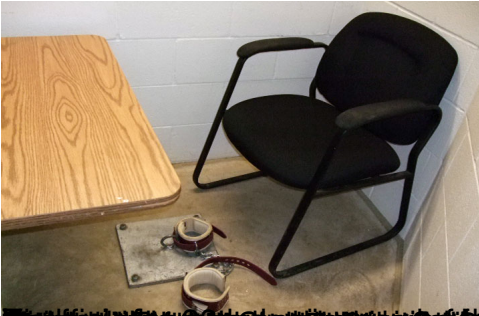




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Torture continues to take place all over the world. In [some countries](#) it is a systematic practice; in others there are isolated incidents. The main perpetrators may be officials or outlawed groups, gangs or individuals that torture with the explicit or tacit consent of the State.



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