



Women's Hope
International

MISSION STATEMENT

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VISION

We are committed to a world in which

- sexual and reproductive health is safeguarded and women receive high-quality healthcare during pregnancy and birth.
- Girls and women are valued and treated equally by their families and society.

MISSION

In partnership with local organisations, institutions and communities, we promote structures that strengthen the sexual and reproductive health and rights of girls and women. Specifically, we work in our partner countries to

- provide girls and women with obstetric injuries and other medical conditions related to the birth of a child with access to specialised gynaecological treatment, preventive care and social integration measures.
- strengthen the healthcare system with respect to sexual and reproductive health to ensure that high-quality services are provided.
- eliminate gender-specific violence towards girls and women, in particular, forced and child marriage and genital mutilation.

SELF-CONCEPTION

- Women's Hope International (WHI) is an independent Swiss organisation working in the field of international cooperation.
- We view gender equality as the prerequisite for achieving a socially just and sustainable development.
- We work closely and on an equal basis with civil society and state actors because we see a clear added value in long-term partnerships.
- We are accountable towards our stakeholders and communicate transparently.

VALUES AND PRINCIPLES

- We recognise that girls and women are independent, self-determined actors in their own lives. Women's Hope International therefore strengthens their personal resources as well as the resources of communities.
- We act on the basis of fundamental and human rights, guided by a Christian ethic that recognises and respects the value and dignity of all people.
- Our efforts are aimed at all people, irrespective of their age, origin, ethnicity, gender, skin colour, language, religion, physical or mental impairment, political views or sexual orientation. The focus is on socially disadvantaged girls and women.
- We strive for a liveable world for future generations and handle resources responsibly.