

# 2020 JOINT FACILITY FUND COST-SHARING PROJECTS

*Harnessing evidence for community mobilization to eliminate FGM*

## Project Objective:

**It aims to create awareness of Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting (FGM/C) and abandon this harmful practice which is a human rights violation (UN General Assembly Resolution of December 2012 to intensify global efforts for the elimination of FGM) that negatively impacts on women's/girls psychological, sexual and reproductive health. This project will focus on building an evidence-based platform for FGM in view of the recent legislation against FGM, the Law Against Domestic Violence – Law No 8, 2011, by gathering additional quantitative and qualitative evidence around prevalence, knowledge, attitudes and practices**

## Project Achievements:

- **pilot awareness raising programme started in health centers**
- **Organized community dialogues/ Focus group discussions/ FGD in practicing and non-practicing communities to identify the cases to guide future action and inform communication messages for impacting behavioral impact**

## Documentation:



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