# WOMEN FOR WOMEN INTERNATIONAL'S EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM

## PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

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## PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT OBJECTIVE (DESCRIPTION)

Supports the most marginalized women to: earn and save money, improve health and well-being, influence decisions in their home and community, and connect to networks for support. By utilizing skills, knowledge and resources, she is able to create sustainable change for herself, her family and community.

## PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- **Transfers**
- **Coaching**
- **Business Capital**
- **Financial Services Facilitation**
- **Market Links**
- **Skills Training**
- **Natural Resource Management and/or Climate Change Adaptation**

## AVERAGE PROGRAM DURATION FOR PROGRAM BENEFICIARIES

- Under one year
- Between one and three years
- More than three years

## DO PARTICIPANTS ACCESS COMPONENTS IN A SPECIFIC SEQUENCE?

- Yes
- No

## DIGITIZATION

Components delivered digitally
- Transfers
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## PARTICIPANT PROFILE

### Targeted Poverty Groups
- Poor
- Extreme poor
- Ultra-poor
- Other vulnerable

### Priority Vulnerable Groups
- Women
- Displacement-affected
- Conflict-affected

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Age
- Sex
- Poverty status
- Behavioral attributes

## PARTICIPANT IDENTIFICATION METHODS

- Geographic targeting
- Categorical targeting
- Community-based targeting

## BASIC PROGRAM INFORMATION

- **Country**: Afghanistan
- **Region**: South Asia
- **Lead Implementing Agency**: Women for Women International
- **Type Lead Implementing Agency**: Nongovernmental organization
- **Start Date**: 01/01/2002
- **End Date**:
- **Primary Entry Point**: Livelihoods and Jobs
- **P-Code (WB Programs)**: DNA
- **Global Practice (WB Programs)**: DNA

## COUNTRY INFORMATION

- **Lending Category (WB Only)**: IDA
- **FCV Country (WB FY20 List)**: Yes
- **Total Population (Million)**: 34.66
- **Poverty Headcount (NPL)**: 54.50%
- **Poverty Headcount ($1.90/DAYPPP2011)**: N/A
- **Poverty Headcount (MPI)**: 55.90%
- **No. Economic Inclusion Programs in the Country**: 3
- **No. Beneficiaries (Direct & Indirect) of Economic Inclusion Programs in the Country**: 1,069,271
## Women for Women International's Empowerment Program

### Program Coverage

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<th>Direct Beneficiaries</th>
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<td>9,944</td>
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Percentage of country population: 0.23%
Percentage of country population under the poverty line: 0.42%

Area/s: Rural, Urban, Peri-urban
Geographic coverage: Several states/regions

### Institutional Arrangements

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### Community Engagement

**Components Delivered Through Community**
- Business capital
- Skills Training
- Coaching
- Financial services facilitation
- Market Links

**Community Structures Leveraged for Program Delivery**
- Informal community groups
- Formal community groups
- Formalized producer organizations
- Local governance groups

**Does the Program Create/Strength Community Structures/Groups?**
- Yes
- No

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DNA: Does Not Apply; FY: Fiscal Year; FCV: Fragility, Conflict, and Violence; MPI: Multidimensional Poverty Index; NPL: National Poverty Line; N/A: Not available; WB: World Bank