WARNING: This is not a surgical instrument. Keep Abortion Safe & Legal.

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About Simavi

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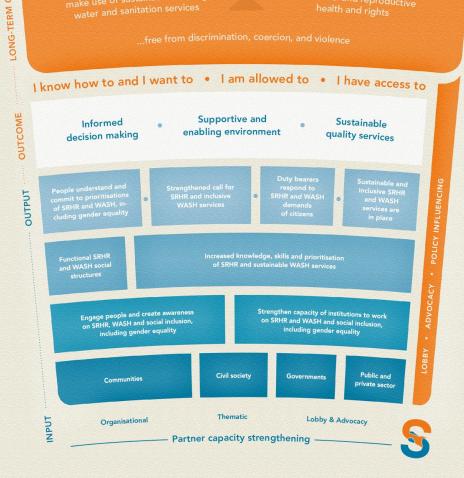
A Healthy Life for All.

We aim to ensure that disadvantaged people in low and middle income countries practice healthy behaviours based on their own free and informed decisions.

Disadvantaged people, specifically women and girls, are empowered to

OUTCOME

"Our work on increasing access to safe and legal abortion is based our Theory of Change"





SRHR & WASH ADVOCACY STRATEGY 2016-2020

IMPACT

To realize structural improvement of the basic health of people in marginalized communities in the countries we work in



ADVOCACY Intrinsically part of the TOC Fillier 1: Empowered communities Fillier 2: Enabling Environment Fillier 3: Sustainable services

OVERALL SRHR & WASH ADVOCACY GOAL:

Advocate to have strong political and sufficient financial support at Dutch,national (local, in country) and international level for sexual Reproductive Health and Rights(SRHR) and Water Sanitation and Hygiene(WASH) to ensure basic health for our final beneficiaries

SIMAW'S VISION ON LOBBY AND ADVOCACY

L&A is an essential part of achieving permanent change. It is a deliberate and sysmatic process of influencing policy, implementation, and behaviour of the specific persons who have the most influence in order to achieve structural improvement of basic health. L&A is interwoven in all three pillars of our ToC and improves the sustainability of our interventions. Simavi's L&A takes place on three levels:

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- II. National (local, in country)
- III. International /regional

TYPICAL SIMAVI LBIA VALUE

- I. Health focussed
- II. Human Rights based
- III. Evidence based
- N. Advocacy is the voice of the partners and communities (social accountability)
- V. Focus on the BoP
- VI. Joining forces
- VII. Tracking progress(M&E)

WASH PRIORITY THEME'S

Integrated WASH (Hygiene is a crucial part of WASH)
 Social sustainability (5 from FIETS or inclusion)

WASH ADVOCACY STRATEGY 2016-2020

Advocate to have strong political and financial support for water, savitation and hygiene at Dutch, national and international level to ensure basis health for our final beneficiaries. PILLAR 1 Empowered communities: Simuli strengthens the partner organizations so that they are able to empower communities and enable them to demand quality basic health services, voice their needs and hold duty beavers to account.

- PILLAR 2 Enabling Environment: Simari strengthene its partners and works together with them to ensure that the policy environment (from the very local to the global level) is conducive, fits the needs of the most marginalized and is financially sound to ensure basic health services are delivered and sentimable.
- PILLAR 3 Sustainable services: Simavi strengthens partner organizations to ensure and demand sustainable and quality basic health services by working on a sound policy environment that fits our FIETS principles.

LINK WITH PROGRAMMES

Simul's Advocacy efforts build upon and strengthan the current programmes. In is directly linked to our programmes and aims to target human right using evidence in an effort to improve the basic health of people in marginalized communties in the countries we work in. Therefore we take the SRINEWASH programme themes in to account and come to the hereather following priorities: International Surget of 0.7 percent of Gross Demontic Product (00P) for development std. More integrated WASH SIME in policies and funding streams

SRHR PRIORITY THEME'S

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- ADOLESCENT &YOUTH SRHR (Combating Child Marriages, contraceptives for young (unmarried) woman).
- MATERNAL HEALTH & REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS (safe legal abortions)
- MENSTRUAL HYGIENE

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The Universal Periodic Review (UPR) is a unique process which involves a review of the human rights records of all UN Member States. The UPR is a State-driven process, under the auspices of the Human Rights Council, which provides the opportunity for each State to declare what actions they have taken to improve the human rights situations in their countries and to fulfil their human rights obligations.





Technical Assistance: Case of Indonesia

- The civil society coalition of SRHR in Indonesia
- Technical assistance (TA) to partners
- Write shop shadow report & submission 2016



Indonesia Civil Society Coalition for SRHR's



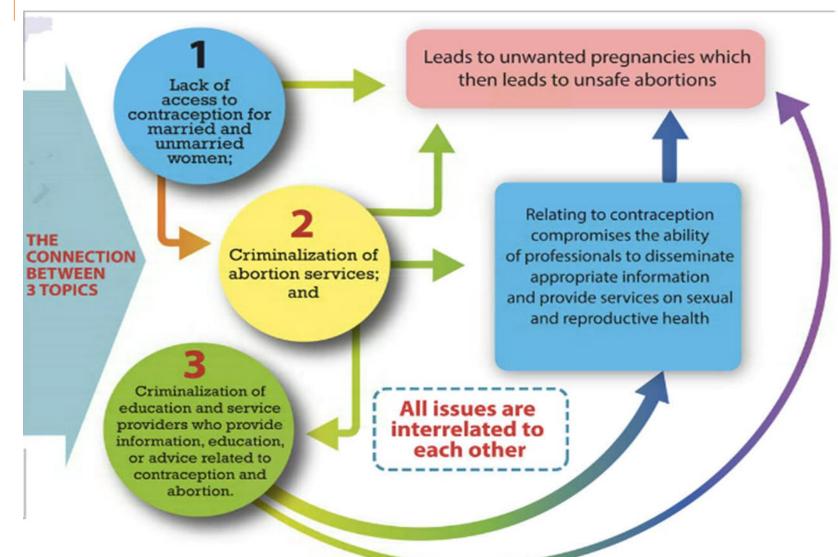
INDONESIA

Submission of Indonesian Civil Society Coalition on SRHR's (IHAP, YKP, Samsara, YPKP and Women on Web)

UN Universal Periodic Review



Content Report



18 Recommendation, including not limited to:



- i. **Repeal all laws** including government, district and local regulations restricting unmarried women from accessing contraception.
- ii. Guarantee access to contraception for all women and girls in Indonesia, regardless of marital status, spousal or parental consent.
- iii. Decriminalize abortion in all circumstances for all women and girls by repealing all laws, legislation as well as all government, district and local regulations which prevent women from accessing safe abortion services, irrespective of their marital status.
- iv. Repeal all legislation as well as all government, district and local regulations which restrict women and girls from accessing information and advice related to their sexual and reproductive health.
- vi. The Government of Indonesia should request technical assistance from OHCHR to implement the recommendations from the UPR, the Treaty Bodies and other mechanisms to fulfill

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Networking with the OHCHR=> Visit UN SR on Heath to Indonesia



Mr. Dainius Pūras: Special Rapporteur on the right of everyone to the enjoyment of the highest attainable standard of health





UPR Info Presession

- Presentation by a representative of the coalition at the UN in Geneva
- Meeting different missions and diplomats in Geneva
- Group in Indonesia meeting with embassies in Jakarta
- Letters sent to like-minded governments for support
- Networking- "speaking to the right person at the right time"





UPR Info Presession

FACTSHEETS

FACTSHEET OF UNIVERSAL PERIODIC REVIEW FOCUS ON 3 ISSUES

The Civil Society Coalition on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights (SRHR)

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Women on Web

FACTSHEET UNIVERSAL PERIODIC REPORT ON RESTRICTION ON ACCESS TO CONTRACEPTIVES

The Civil Society Coalition on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights (SRHR)

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The Civil Society Coalition on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights (SRHR)

Women on Web

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The Civil Society Coalition on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights (SRHR)

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- Statements UN special Rapporteur on Health strong on SRHR after visit Indonesia.
- > UN documentation making reference to the recommendations of the coalition.

Summary of Stakeholders Submission

"60. Joint Submission 19 (JS19) noted that married women could not legally access contraception without the permission of their husband. Access to contraception by unmarried women remained illegal, and the Penal Code restricted abortion and criminalized women who seek abortion, people who assist women seeking abortion information or services, those who provide information and give advice on abortion services, as well as health service providers who provide abortion services"

Compilation of UN Information:

"73. The Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women called upon Indonesia to extend the time limit for undergoing an abortion and decriminalize abortion in cases of incest and where the health of the pregnant woman or girl was in danger, authorize women to undertake abortion without their husband's consent and provide safe abortion and post-abortion services."

- Questions asked by UN member states about the situation in Indonesia
- > Indonesia received SRHR recommendations during its UPR27
- The outcome reports will be adopted in <u>SEPTEMBER 2017</u>
- > Recommendations will provide an important avenue for your advocacy at the national level.



Advocating for controversial issues like Abortion

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Do you have any examples of 1. Advocacy on controversial issues like Abortion that VOU organization deals with on National and or International level?

What do you think about the UPR 2. as a human rights mechanism to hold governments accountable for obligations SRHRregarding **Abortion?**

Does your organization provide 3. TA/CS Advocacy on for controversial issues in countries and can you give an example of this?

Summary/Outcomes of the Simavi Table



A number of issues an ideas were discuss at the Simavi table during the Share-Net event. Some high-lights to be noted in this occasion are the following:

- Going from policy to action. Some ideas where shared on how to bring issues from the ground to the international level but also how can international commitments be useful on national level (implementation of Human Rights treaties, SDGs and other SRHR relevant documents)" How to take policy wins to community level"
- It is good to find the rights language (Key Messages) in advocating for controversial issues like Abortion at national but also international level.
- The case of Simavi is an example of technical assistance at capacity building in-county for local partners. Working with Human Rights Instruments and review mechanism at national, regional and international level can be complex thus there is a need to train partners and relevant stakeholder.
- The local situation and national dialogues should be taken in to account.
- A comment was made on the methods used in Advocating on controversial issues on national and international level. Some experiences where shared on using photo-voice and national champions that can bring key messages over to policy maker.

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