

TWININGS COMMITMENT SELF-REPORTING QUESTIONNAIRE 2019



EWEC Secretariat, PMNCH, FP2020 self-reporting questionnaire to assess progress on implementation of commitments to the Global Strategy on Women's, Children's and Adolescents' Health.

COMMITMENT SUMMARY NARRATIVE

We are committed to continuing to support programmes to raise women's health awareness and improve access to health services, particularly concerning reproductive health and family planning, to smallholders and tea workers in Kenya. Our goal is to reach 40,000 women in our supply chain—about 60% of our supply chain in Kenya—in order to create healthier, empowered, and more sustainable tea communities. We will expand our work on HERhealth by working with producers, other companies, civil society and industry bodies, to achieve this goal and bring change for women in the tea industry in Kenya. This commitment will be implemented between September 2017 and December 2020.

COMMITMENT PROGRESS SUMMARY NARRATIVE

Since making a commitment in 2017, Twinings expanded its workplace women's health and empowerment program in Kenya from reaching 6,000 women workers and farmers to reach 35,000 women workers and farmers in its supply chain across eight sites to date. The program has already shown returns. Health knowledge on key topics such as family planning, HIV, Hepatitis B, and pregnancy health have improved significantly. Women able to name a family planning method increased from 30 to 100 percent; women's knowledge of mother to child transmission of HIV increased from 10 percent to 60 percent; and women able to name three or more pregnancy risk factors increased from 11 percent to 86 percent. Twinings has also seen improved health behavior with an increase in the use of health facilities following trainings; improved worker relations with management, with workers feeling more comfortable discussing issues with their managers; and reductions in absenteeism, leading to improved productivity in the workplace. Twinings continues its efforts to reach 40,000 women by 2020, and is also committed to advocating for workplace women's health and empowerment through the tea sector in Kenya.

Original Commitment Value?

USD 250,000 will be invested through Twinings direct contribution and leveraging funding from other stakeholders (producers organization, industry bodies and institutional donors)

THEMATIC COMMITMENT PROGRESS

Reduce global maternal mortality to less than 70 deaths per 100,00 live births

Proportion of women aged 15-49 who received 4 or more antenatal care visits

Reduce by 1/3 premature mortality from non-communicable diseases and promote mental health and well-being

Proportion of women aged 30-49 who report they were screened for cervical cancer

Ensure universal access to Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights (SRHR)

Percentage of women of reproductive age (15-49) who have their need for family planning satisfied with modern methods

Proportion of women aged 15-49 who make their own informed decisions regarding sexual relations, contraceptive use and reproductive health care

Proportion of men and women aged 15-24 with basic knowledge about sexual and reproductive health services and rights

Geographic Coverage. Check all the geographical levels that you implement your commitment-related activities in?

Country

Linkage to National Health Strategies. Are commitment-related objectives and/or targets aligned with the national health strategy of the country or countries in which activities take place in?

Don't Know

EVERY WOMAN EVERY CHILD FOCUS AREAS

Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights

Applicable

Current Status: Ongoing

Activities Implemented:

FP awareness session with men and women

Results Achieved:

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Community Engagement: Yes

Individual Potential: Yes

Service Delivery Included: No

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Through **HERhealth**,
TWININGS is promoting
women's health
and empowerment
in its supply chain in Kenya

1 Twinings is committed to gender equality and to empowering women and young people in our supply chain through health and education. Find out more at www.sourcedwithcare.com <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=REsXSIF3yN4>

Meet Josefina

"I have decided to take good care of my health and that of my family by eating a balanced diet as well as spreading the information to anybody I meet."

Across our supply chain in Kenya, we are supporting people like Josefina to get the right knowledge on essential health issues from reproductive rights to family planning, so they can live an empowered life.



2 Increasing Health Awareness For Women in Kenya <https://sourcedwithcare.com/en/case-studies/meet-josefine-1/>

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