



ZONTA
INTERNATIONAL

EMPOWERING WOMEN
THROUGH SERVICE & ADVOCACY

Safe Birth Even Here

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Zonta International

- Founded 1919 in Buffalo US
- 30 000 members in 66 countries
- Consultative status with ECOSOC and UNESCO
- Participatory status with Council of Europe
- Mission:
Zonta International is a leading global organization of professionals empowering women through service and advocacy.

The dream for everyone



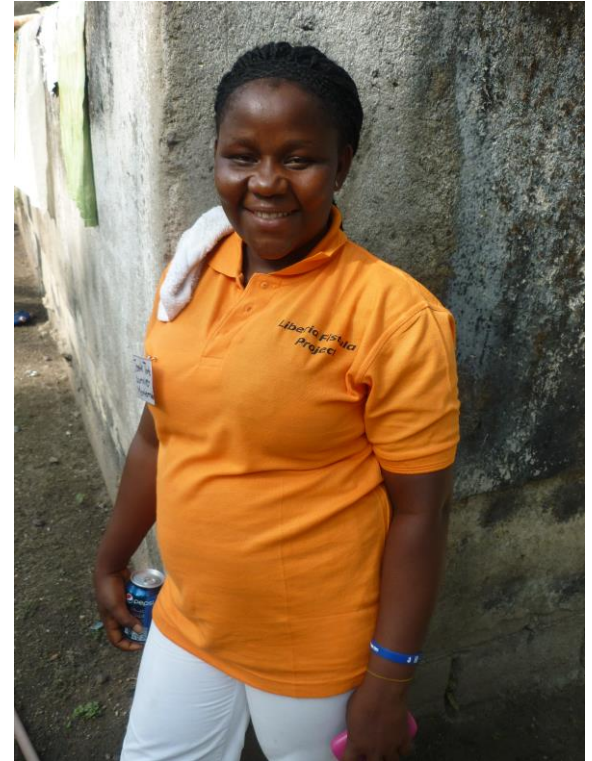
Birthing kits – Club Activities



Birthing kit assembly days to put together simple clean birthing kits that are sent to help birthing assistants in developing countries.

ZI International Service Project

- The Global Campaign to End Fistula launched in 2003 by UNFPA and partners
- ZI has been a major funder since 2008
- Focussed on Liberia
- ZI has contributed with a total of USD 2,6 million and will add USD 1 million 2016-2018



What is Fistula?

An obstetric fistula is a hole between the vagina and rectum or bladder that is caused by prolonged obstructed labor, leaving a woman incontinent of urine or feces or both (fistulafoundation.org)



Project activities



Prevent



Treat

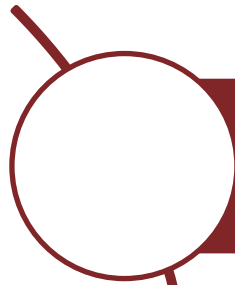


Rehabilitate

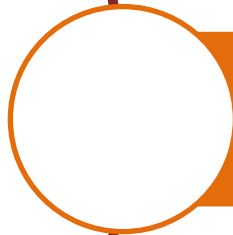


Support

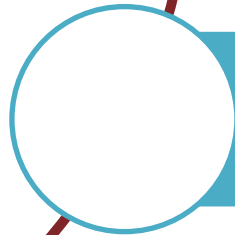
My reflections



Education



Early Marriages



Violence against women

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