

# MACARTHUR

The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation

[www.macfound.org](http://www.macfound.org)

## POPULATION AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH

### AT A GLANCE

- The Foundation's population and reproductive health grantmaking has two goals: to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity; and to advance young people's sexual and reproductive health and rights. Geographic priorities are India, Mexico, and Nigeria.
- The Foundation supports efforts that seek to accelerate progress on the United Nations Millennium Development Goal #5 aimed at improving maternal health. Grantmaking includes a special focus on two of the primary causes of maternal death: postpartum hemorrhage and eclampsia.
- Priorities for grantmaking on the sexual and reproductive health of young people include efforts to increase the availability of high quality sexuality education and confidential, youth-friendly health services.

### OUR GOALS

Two goals form the core of grantmaking:

- Reducing maternal mortality and morbidity; and
- Advancing the sexual and reproductive health and rights of young people.

MacArthur's work on maternal mortality aims to increase the chances that women will have safer pregnancies and deliveries, a worthy goal in itself, but also an indicator of the availability of services that are needed for women to make informed reproductive choices. The focus on young people is expected to increase the likelihood that they will make wise choices about their sexual activities. Given the effects of population momentum and the large cohort of young people, any delay in childbearing will have an effect on population growth rates.

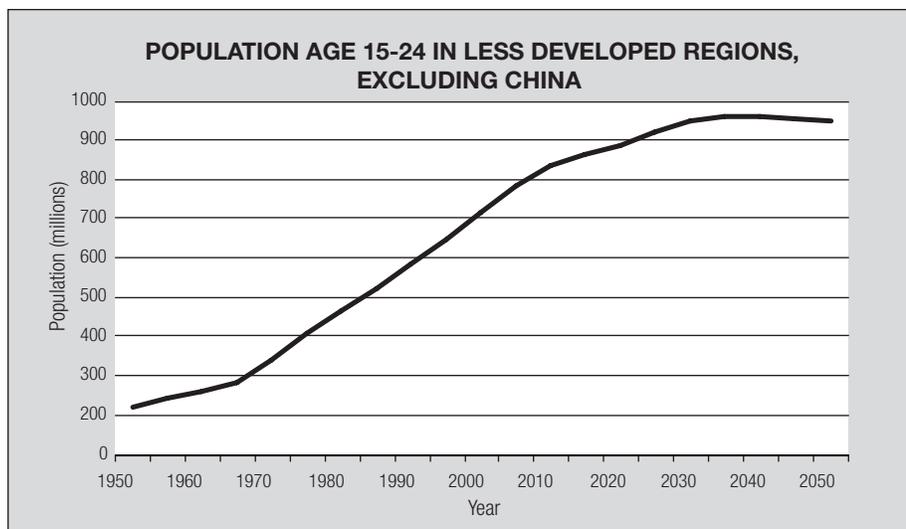
### KEY FACTS

- In the year 2000, the nations of the world reached agreement on the key steps needed to reduce global poverty—the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs). MDG #5 – Improve Maternal Health—is comprised of two targets: 1) reduce the maternal mortality ratio by 75 percent compared to 1990 levels by 2015; and 2) achieve universal access to reproductive health.
- Despite the global target, little progress has been made in reducing maternal mortality during the last two decades. Between 1990 and 2005, the global maternal mortality ratio decreased by only about 5 percent.<sup>1</sup> In sub-Saharan Africa, it decreased by less than 2 percent.
- More than half a million women die every year—about one every minute—due to complications from pregnancy

and childbirth. The vast majority of these deaths occur in the developing world. Approximately a third of maternal deaths occur in two of the Foundation's focus countries combined: India and Nigeria.

- The population of young people in developing countries will continue to increase. The sexual and reproductive decisions made by today's youth will have great impact on their personal lives and on society. From a reproductive health standpoint, adolescents are especially vulnerable. They have high rates of unwanted pregnancy and maternal mortality, are targets of sexual assault, and infection rates of HIV and other sexually-transmitted diseases that are higher than those among adults.

<sup>1</sup> World Health Organization. 2007. *Maternal Mortality in 2005: Estimates Developed by WHO, UNICEF, UNFPA and the World Bank*. Geneva: WHO.



Source: Population Division of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs of the United Nations Secretariat  
World Population Prospects: *The 2006 Revision* and *World Urbanization Prospects: The 2005 Revision*, <http://esa.un.org/unpp>, Friday, March 06, 2009

## WHAT WE FUND

### Geographic Priorities

For its work on maternal mortality and young people, MacArthur's population and reproductive health area focuses its work (and has offices) in three countries—India, Mexico, and Nigeria. The countries were chosen because they represent different conditions and are influential within their respective regions. Within each country, the Foundation has also selected priority states where grantmaking is concentrated. Some national level activities that support maternal mortality and morbidity and young people's sexual and reproductive health and rights, such as research and leadership development, are also supported.

### Maternal Mortality and Morbidity

In the three focus countries, the Foundation supports efforts that seek to accelerate progress on MDG #5. Grantmaking concentrates on two of the primary causes of maternal death: postpartum hemorrhage and eclampsia. These efforts include the introduction and scaling up of innovative technologies—such as the AntiShock Garment—and community-based models to reach a greater number of women. MacArthur also supports the enhancement of skills of health professionals to improve the quality and availability of services, as well as

informed advocacy on critical issues related to maternal mortality. Finally, we support policy relevant research that fills crucial gaps in knowledge.

### Young People's Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights

The Foundation supports initiatives in India, Mexico, and Nigeria that increase the availability of high quality sexuality education and confidential youth-friendly health services. For example, the Foundation supports model sexuality education programs for in- and out-of-school youth and efforts to scale them up, improving young people's access to reproductive health services, and promoting an enabling environment for young people to seek those services. In Mexico, the Foundation has a particular interest in indigenous youth.

The Foundation also supports selected organizations in the population and reproductive health field whose work promotes innovation in policy, programs, and services.

## REPRESENTATIVE GRANTS

### International

AMERICANS FOR UNFPA  
New York, NY  
\$50,000 in support of a website aimed at building an online community that supports improving global reproductive health.

BIXBY CENTER FOR GLOBAL REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH  
San Francisco, California  
\$1,149,000 in support of continuing, expanding, and beginning to scale up the AntiShock Garment pilot project in Nigeria, and to support an experimental trial of the Garment in Egypt to demonstrate reduction in maternal mortality and morbidity (over two years).

\$230,000 in support of expanded efforts to disseminate information on the AntiShock Garment among health care providers and other potential stakeholders (over 18 months).

\$325,000 in support of research and dissemination of findings on the AntiShock Garment (over two years).

BROWN UNIVERSITY POPULATION STUDIES AND TRAINING CENTER  
Providence, Rhode Island  
\$250,000 in support of research on the potential economic benefits of reductions in fertility (over three years).

CATHOLICS FOR CHOICE  
Washington, D.C.  
\$600,000 in support of educational and advocacy efforts on population and reproductive health in Europe and in the United Nations system (over three years).

CENTER FOR HEALTH AND GENDER EQUITY  
Takoma Park, Maryland  
\$300,000 in support of general operations (over three years).

CENTER FOR REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS  
New York, New York  
\$600,000 in support of the International Legal Program (over three years).

DEVELOPMENT ALTERNATIVES WITH WOMEN FOR A NEW ERA  
Calabar, Nigeria  
\$300,000 in support of analysis and advocacy linking sexual and reproductive health and rights to the Millennium Development Goals in countries of the Global South (over three years).

THE EARTH INSTITUTE AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY  
New York, New York  
\$1,500,000 for incorporating sexual and reproductive health into African national development strategies and the Millennium Villages (over three years).

\$350,000 for a pilot project to address postpartum hemorrhage at the community level in the Bonsaaso, Ghana Millennium Village (over 27 months).

EAST-WEST CENTER  
Honolulu, Hawaii  
\$380,000 in support of two workshops and follow up activities to advance research on the demographic dividend by generating a new set of research results and contributing to the creation of a new generation of developing country scholars with relevant knowledge.

ENGENDERHEALTH  
New York, New York  
\$185,000 in support of an international effort to reduce maternal mortality by identifying barriers to the availability and use of magnesium sulfate for the management of eclampsia and developing strategies to overcome those barriers.

\$310,000 in support of the use of magnesium sulfate for the treatment of eclampsia, via the development of an e-learning module.

EUROPEAN NGOS FOR SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AND RIGHTS, POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT  
Hilversum, Netherlands  
\$300,000 for efforts to increase the effectiveness of its member organizations (over three years).

FAMILY CARE INTERNATIONAL  
New York, New York  
\$500,000 in support of a longitudinal study on the costs and consequences of maternal death and morbidity, and global advocacy efforts to build political will for Millennium Development Goal #5 (over three years).

GUTTMACHER INSTITUTE  
New York, New York  
\$355,000 in support of an analysis of recent trends in maternal morbidity and mortality and in the reproductive health of young people in India, Mexico and Nigeria (over two years).

GYNUITY HEALTH PROJECTS  
New York, New York  
\$400,000 in support of a pilot test of the Springfusor® pump for providing magnesium sulfate to treat pregnant women with pre-eclampsia and eclampsia (over two years).

\$250,000 in support of an Arabic language web-based resource center on reproductive health.

HARVARD UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
Boston, Massachusetts  
\$500,000 in support of the development and application of a maternal morbidity and mortality policy model (over two years).

INSTITUTO PROMUNDO  
Rio De Janeiro, Brazil  
\$100,000 to support a multi-country research program on men's influence on reproductive health trends.

INTER-EUROPEAN PARLIAMENTARY FORUM ON POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT  
Brussels, Belgium  
\$250,000 in support of educational and advocacy efforts on population and reproductive health with European Parliamentarians (over 18 months).

INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR RESEARCH ON WOMEN  
Washington, D.C.  
\$330,000 in support of strengthening the evidence base on the linkages between youth and demographic change (over 30 months).

INTERNATIONAL PLANNED PARENTHOOD FEDERATION  
London, United Kingdom  
\$520,000 in support of building the capacity of member associations to enhance governance, management, and quality services (over three years).

INTERNATIONAL PLANNED PARENTHOOD FEDERATION – WESTERN HEMISPHERE REGION  
New York, New York  
\$450,000 in support of international and national level advocacy aimed at increasing resources for sexual and reproductive health and rights (over three years).

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S HEALTH COALITION  
New York, New York  
\$1,000,000 in support of general operations (over three years).

JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY  
Baltimore, Maryland  
\$200,000 to improve capacity in developing countries to estimate maternal mortality levels and trends.

MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS INTERNATIONAL  
Washington, D.C.  
\$680,000 to scale up interventions to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity and improve young people's sexual and reproductive health in Foundation focus countries (over two years).

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY  
Cambridge, Massachusetts  
\$1,600,000 in support of the Abdul Latif Jameel Poverty Action Lab's study to measure the effectiveness of school-based strategies to prevent HIV/AIDS among youth in rural Kenya (over 44 months).

NEW WOMAN FOUNDATION  
Cairo, Egypt  
\$100,000 in support of establishing an Arabic language website for the organization (over three years).

PARTNERS IN EXPANDING HEALTH QUALITY AND ACCESS  
Ann Arbor, Michigan  
\$200,000 in support of building capacity to scale up successfully tested health interventions (over three years).

PATHFINDER INTERNATIONAL  
Watertown, Massachusetts  
\$10,950,000 to implement a package of interventions for reducing maternal mortality and morbidity due to postpartum hemorrhage in Indian and Nigeria (over four years).

POPULATION COUNCIL  
New York, New York  
\$2,400,000 in support of research, evidence-based interventions, and policy activities on maternal mortality and young people's sexual and reproductive health and rights in India, Mexico, Nigeria and globally (over three years).

\$250,000 to establish a web-based Arabic language resource and documentation center in population and reproductive health (over two years).

\$275,000 for a pilot project to address postpartum hemorrhage at the community level in the Amhara region of Ethiopia (over two years).

POPULATION REFERENCE BUREAU  
Washington, D.C.  
\$75,000 in support of the translation of documents and online content on population and reproductive health into Arabic.

REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH MATTERS  
London, United Kingdom  
\$600,000 in support of general operations (over three years).

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY  
MAXWELL SCHOOL OF CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS  
Syracuse, New York  
\$125,000 in support of historical case studies of the political dynamics of safe motherhood policy in Nigeria, India, and globally (over 18 months).

UNITED NATIONS POPULATION FUND  
New York, New York  
\$300,000 in support of advocacy efforts in Europe to promote universal access to reproductive health (over two years).

UNIVERSITY OF ABERDEEN  
Aberdeen, Scotland  
\$130,000 in support of the first phase of a project investigating the effectiveness of infection control practices for reducing maternal deaths from sepsis.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA – IRVINE  
Irvine, California  
\$500,000 in support of research and policy activities related to low fertility and its consequences in China (over three years).

UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN  
POPULATION RESEARCH CENTER  
Austin, Texas  
\$250,000 in support of research and policy analysis to help Mexico and Brazil take advantage of the potential demographic dividend inherent in their current age structure (over 30 months).

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION  
Geneva, Switzerland  
\$350,000 in support of the Partnership for Maternal, Newborn and Child Health project to increase global awareness and action aimed at reducing maternal mortality and morbidity (over three years).

### India

ACADEMY FOR NURSING STUDIES  
Hyderabad, India  
\$200,000 in support of a project to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity through skill building and gender sensitization of Auxiliary Nurse Midwives in rural Gujarat (over three years).

ACTION RESEARCH & TRAINING FOR HEALTH  
Udaipur, India  
\$230,000 in support of a project to enhance the skills of nurse-midwives to provide a continuum of maternal-newborn health services in a primary care setting in southern Rajasthan (over three years).

BBC WORLD SERVICE TRUST  
London, United Kingdom  
\$125,000 in support of a project to produce a radio drama serial promoting young people's sexual and reproductive health in India (over 18 months).

CENTRE FOR DEVELOPMENT AND POPULATION ACTIVITIES  
Washington, D.C.  
\$200,000 to support an alliance for advocacy to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity in the Foundation's priority states of Rajasthan and Maharashtra (over two years).

CENTRE FOR STUDIES IN ETHICS AND RIGHTS ANUSANDHAN TRUST  
Mumbai, India  
\$350,000 to strengthen the monitoring and evaluation capacity of non-governmental organizations working in the fields of maternal mortality and morbidity and young people's sexual and reproductive health in India (over three years).

CREATING RESOURCES FOR EMPOWERMENT AND ACTION, INC.  
New York, New York  
\$25,000 in support of the translation and publication of two editions of the journal Reproductive Health Matters in Hindi (over two years).

FEDERATION OF OBSTETRIC AND GYNECOLOGICAL SOCIETIES OF INDIA  
Mahapalika Marg, India  
\$185,000 in support of a project to prepare general practitioners to provide quality emergency obstetric care in rural areas of India (over two years).

INSTITUTE OF HEALTH MANAGEMENT  
Pachod, India  
\$430,000 in support of a program to increase access to maternal and reproductive health information and services among married adolescents in Maharashtra and its scaling up (over three years).

INTERNATIONAL CENTER FOR RESEARCH ON WOMEN  
Washington, D.C.  
\$250,000 to implement, evaluate and disseminate results from pilot tests in India on a youth sexual and reproductive health initiative (over three years).

INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR POPULATION SCIENCES  
Deonar, India  
\$185,000 in renewed support of a research program on young people's sexual and reproductive health in six states in India (over four years).

IPAS  
Chapel Hill, North Carolina  
\$400,000 in support of the scaling up of Comprehensive Abortion Care services in the public sector in the state of Maharashtra, Gujarat and Rajasthan (over three years).

JHPIEGO  
Baltimore, Maryland  
\$185,000 in support of a project to develop the training capacity of Federation of Obstetrics and Gynecological Societies of India to prepare general practitioners to provide quality emergency obstetric care in rural areas of India (over two years).

MAHILA SEWA TRUST  
Ahmedabad, India  
\$200,000 to scale up health insurance to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity in Gujarat and nationally (over three years).

MAMTA-HEALTH INSTITUTE FOR MOTHER AND CHILD  
New Delhi, India  
\$330,000 to support a project on young people's reproductive and sexual health and rights with special focus on early marriage and early pregnancy in the state of Rajasthan and nationally (over three years).

NEHRU FOUNDATION FOR DEVELOPMENT  
Ahmedabad, India  
\$250,000 in support of a project to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity through traditional birth attendants and auxiliary nurse midwives in rural Gujarat (over three years).

PUBLIC SERVICE BROADCASTING TRUST  
New Delhi, India  
\$315,000 in support of the production of a series of documentary films for national public television in India related to population and reproductive health with a special focus on increasing awareness of young people's sexual and reproductive health and rights.

RITINJALI  
New Delhi, India  
\$120,000 to train school teachers in a sexuality education curriculum in Rajasthan (over two years).

\$25,000 in support of a program to assess and scale up a sexuality education program in public schools in two districts of Rajasthan.

SANGATH  
Alto Porvorim, India  
\$500,000 in support of an intervention, training and research program addressing reproductive and sexual health of young people in India (over four years).

\$350,000 in support of a new service, training and research center for young people in India.

SEVA MANDIR  
Udaipur, India  
\$280,000 in support of a project to develop and evaluate community-based interventions to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity in the Udaipur district of rural Rajasthan (over three years).

SOCIETY FOR EDUCATION WELFARE AND ACTION-RURAL  
Dist. Bharuch, India  
\$350,000 in support of a new training and resource center for maternal mortality reduction in India.

\$200,000 to test model interventions to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity in the state of Gujarat (over three years).

SOCIETY FOR EDUCATION, ACTION & RESEARCH IN COMMUNITY HEALTH  
Gadchiroli, India  
\$390,000 in support of a program to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity in Maharashtra and its scaling up (over three years).

\$300,000 in support of a new research center to study maternal mortality and morbidity and young people's sexual and reproductive health in India.

SOCIO LEGAL INFORMATION CENTRE  
New Delhi, India  
\$220,000 in support of a legal advocacy program on young people's sexual and reproductive health and rights with a focus on delaying the age of marriage in India (over three years).

TALKING ABOUT REPRODUCTIVE AND SEXUAL HEALTH ISSUES  
New Delhi, India  
\$65,000 in support of publication and dissemination of two books to advance young people's sexual and reproductive health and rights in India (over two years).

## Mexico

AFLUENTES  
Mexico City, Mexico  
\$235,000 to develop teacher training programs for sexuality education (over three years).

ASESORIA, CAPACITACION Y ASISTENCIA EN SALUD, A.C.  
San Cristobal de las Casas, Mexico  
\$180,000 in support of the design, piloting and implementation of a community-based intervention for improving reproductive and sexual health among indigenous adolescents in a municipality of Los Altos, Chiapas (over thirty seven months).

CATOLICAS POR EL DERECHO DE DECIDIR  
Mexico City, Mexico  
\$270,000 to improve the implementation at the state level of federal policy that promotes young people's sexual and reproductive health and rights in Mexico (over three years).

CENTRO DE INVESTIGACIONES Y ESTUDIOS SUPERIORES EN ANTROPOLOGIA SOCIAL

Mexico City, Mexico

\$235,000 to develop educational tools for the prevention of maternal mortality in Chiapas and municipal outreach activities (over three years)

\$35,000 in support of a high-level summit on maternal mortality for Chiapas, Guerrero and Oaxaca and follow up activities for Oaxaca.

CHILTAK

San Cristobal de las Casas, Mexico

\$150,000 to improve youth sexual and reproductive health and rights in the state of Chiapas (over three years).

COMUNICACION E INFORMACION DE LA MUJER

Mexico City, Mexico

\$180,000 in support of using new Internet-based technologies to increase the quantity and improve the quality of media coverage on maternal mortality and morbidity in Mexico (over three years).

CONSORCIO PARA EL DIALOGO PARLAMENTARIO Y LA EQUIDAD, ASOCIACION CIVIL

Mexico City, Mexico

\$190,000 in support of strengthening public policy on maternal mortality and young people's reproductive and sexual rights in Mexico (over three years).

DEMOCRACIA Y SEXUALIDAD

Mexico City, Mexico

\$240,000 in support of a national sexuality education campaign and improvement of government reproductive and sexual health services to youth (over three years).

ELIGE, RED DE JOVENES POR LOS DERECHOS SEXUALES Y REPRODUCTIVOS

Mexico City, Mexico

\$120,000 for activities to increase the use of services related to sexual and reproductive health and rights in Mexico City (over three years).

FORO NACIONAL DE MUJERES Y POLITICAS DE POBLACION CAPITULO DISTRITO FEDERAL

Mexico City, Mexico

\$150,000 in support of improving federal public policy for maternal mortality and morbidity reduction and increasing visibility of the issue among policymakers (over three years).

\$190,000 in support of increasing access to emergency obstetric care in the Southern Sierra region of Oaxaca state (over three years).

FUNDACION MEXICANA PARA LA PLANEACION FAMILIAR, A.C.

Mexico City, Mexico

\$255,000 in support of a model program to promote the sexual rights and health of rural and indigenous young people and to implement the program in 80 communities in Oaxaca and Guerrero (over three years).

FUNDAR, CENTRO DE ANALISIS E INVESTIGACION

Mexico City, Mexico

\$270,000 in support of research and dissemination of information regarding public budgetary allocations for maternal health and reducing maternal death (over three years).

GRUPO DE INFORMACION EN REPRODUCCION ELEGIDA

Mexico City, Mexico

\$270,000 in support of the defense and promotion of reproductive rights in Mexico through recording, documenting, and litigating reproductive rights violations and training government, nongovernmental organizations, and members of the local community (over three years).

INSTITUTO DE LIDERAZGO SIMONE DE BEAUVOIR

Mexico City, Mexico

\$150,000 to implement a distance training program for individuals working in the field of young people's sexual and reproductive health and rights (over three years).

INVESTIGACION EN SALUD Y DEMOGRAFIA Mexico City, Mexico

\$255,000 in support of strengthening NGO skills in monitoring and evaluation of work to advance youth sexual and reproductive health and rights and decrease maternal mortality (over three years).

\$200,000 to continue and disseminate a longitudinal survey on sexual and reproductive health of young women ages 12-19 in rural communities of Oaxaca (over 27 months).

IPAS

Chapel Hill, North Carolina

\$295,000 for efforts to increase access to legal abortion services in Mexico (over three years).

K'INAL ANTSETIK

Mexico City, Mexico

\$150,000 in support of community-based work to decrease maternal mortality and morbidity in the states of Chiapas, Guerrero, and Oaxaca (over three years).

LETRA S, SIDA, CULTURA Y VIDA COTIDIANA Mexico City, Mexico

\$250,000 to increase media coverage of young peoples' sexual and reproductive health and rights (over three years).

MARIE STOPES MEXICO

San Cristobal de las Casas, Mexico

\$150,000 in support of in-school and community programs to improve the reproductive and sexual health of young people (over three years).

MEXICO NATIONAL SAFE MOTHERHOOD COMMITTEE / COMITE PROMOTOR POR UNA MATERNIDAD SIN RIESGOS EN MEXICO

Mexico City, Mexico

\$350,000 in support of efforts to decrease maternal mortality in Mexico (over three years).

NUEVE LUNAS

Oaxaca, Mexico

\$150,000 for a project to reduce maternal deaths in Oaxaca State (over three years).

ROSARIO CASTELLANOS – GRUPO DE ESTUDIOS SOBRE LA MUJER  
Oaxaca, Mexico  
\$210,000 in support of scaling up of a training model for preventing maternal mortality with government health workers from the Oaxaca Ministry of Health and IMSS Oportunidades (over three years).

SALUD INTEGRAL PARA LA MUJER  
Mexico City, Mexico  
\$190,000 in support of consolidating and scaling up a model for increasing use of reproductive and sexual health services by public high school students (over three years).

SALUD Y GENERO  
Xalapa, Mexico  
\$300,000 to expand a reproductive and sexual health and rights model for young people (over three years).

SISTEMA NACIONAL DE PROMOCION Y CAPACITACION EN SALUD SEXUAL  
Mexico City, Mexico  
\$300,000 for projects promoting the reproductive and sexual health and rights of young people (over three years).

SOCIEDAD MEXICANA PRO DERECHOS DE LA MUJER  
Mexico City, Mexico  
\$470,000 in support of a program to strengthen the leadership capacity of indigenous women to decrease maternal mortality and improve the population's reproductive health (over three years).

THAIS, CONSULTORIA EN DESARROLLO SOCIAL  
Mexico City, Mexico  
\$225,000 in support of scaling up and refining a youth outreach model for rural adolescents, linked to IMSS Oportunidades (over three years).

UNIDAD DE ATENCION SICOLOGICA, SEXOLOGICA Y EDUCATIVA PARA EL CRECIMIENTO PERSONAL  
Merida, Mexico  
\$150,000 in support of documenting and scaling up a model of reproductive and sexual health services for young people (over three years).

WORKING GROUP FOR SAFE MOTHERHOOD IN CHIAPAS  
San Cristobal de las Casas, Mexico  
\$370,000 in support of a pilot model to reduce maternal mortality in Chiapas (over three years).

## Nigeria

ACTIONAID INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION, NIGERIA  
Abuja, Nigeria  
\$250,000 in support of activities towards promoting citizens participation in HIV/AIDS response and maternal mortality mitigation efforts through budget monitoring and advocacy (over two years).

ACTION HEALTH, INCORPORATED  
Yaba, Nigeria  
\$576,000 in support of the evaluation of the implementation of a sexuality education curriculum in public schools in Lagos State, Nigeria (over three years).

\$500,000 in support of expanded educational activities to increase the impact of sexual and reproductive health education in Nigeria and the region.

\$430,000 in support of Family Life HIV/AIDS Education and pre-service training of teachers in Nigeria (over three years).

ADOLESCENT HEALTH AND INFORMATION PROJECTS  
Kano, Nigeria  
\$330,000 in support of implementation of the Family Life and HIV/AIDS Education Curriculum in Kano State (over three years).

BAOBAB FOR WOMEN'S HUMAN RIGHTS  
Lagos, Nigeria  
\$400,000 for work to promote the reproductive health and rights of women whose lives are governed by Sharia'h (over three years).

CAMPAIGN AGAINST UNWANTED PREGNANCY  
Ikeja, Nigeria  
\$300,000 in support of media education, research, and strengthening medical school curricula and teaching related to reproductive health and maternal mortality (over three years).

CENTRE FOR DEVELOPMENT AND POPULATION ACTIVITIES  
Washington, D.C.  
\$400,000 for an advocacy campaign to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity in Nigeria (over three years).

COMMUNITY LIFE PROJECT  
Apapa, Nigeria  
\$200,000 for activities to increase access to reproductive and sexual health services for out-of-school youth in Lagos State (over three years).

FEDERAL MINISTRY OF HEALTH  
Abuja, Nigeria  
\$500,000 in support of promoting the use of magnesium sulfate (over two years).

GIRLS' POWER INITIATIVE, NIGERIA, CALABAR  
Cross River State, Nigeria  
\$330,000 in support of the implementation of the National Sexuality Education Curriculum in Cross River State (over three years).

GLOBAL HEALTH AND AWARENESS RESEARCH FOUNDATION  
Enugu, Nigeria  
\$300,000 to implement the National Sexuality Education Curriculum in Enugu State (over three years).

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S HEALTH COALITION  
New York, New York  
\$250,000 to evaluate the impact of the implementation of the National Sexuality Education Curriculum in Lagos State, Nigeria (over 18 months).

IPAS  
Chapel Hill, North Carolina  
\$400,000 for efforts to increase access to safe abortion care services in six Nigerian states (over three years).

MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES FOR AFRICA  
Iford, United Kingdom  
\$240,000 in support of building a constituency to advocate for and ensure the successful implementation of the national sexuality education curriculum (over two years).

NATIONAL COMMISSION ON COLLEGES OF EDUCATION  
Abuja, Nigeria  
\$250,000 in renewed support for the training of pre-service teachers in colleges of education (over three years).

ONEWORLD UK  
London, UK  
\$300,000 in support of developing and implementing computer and mobile phone based sexuality education for Nigerian adolescents (over two years).

\$525,000 in renewed support of the Learning About Living project in Nigeria (over three years).

PATHFINDER INTERNATIONAL  
Watertown, Maryland  
\$690,000 for a program to develop leadership skills in individuals working for the promotion of young people's sexual and reproductive health and the reduction of maternal mortality and morbidity (over three years).

SOCIETY OF GYNECOLOGY AND OBSTETRICS OF NIGERIA  
Benin, Nigeria  
\$250,000 for work to improve the management of emergency obstetric complications (over three years).

UNIVERSITY OF IBADAN  
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY  
Oyo, Nigeria  
\$200,000 in support of building capacity for monitoring and evaluation of sexuality education programs (over three years).

YOUTH, ADOLESCENT, REFLECTION & ACTION CENTER  
Jos, Nigeria  
\$324,000 to implement the National Sexuality Education Curriculum in Plateau State (over three years).

---

**For More Information** about MacArthur's population and reproductive health grantmaking

**Judith F. Helzner**  
Director (Chicago)  
jhelzner@macfound.org

**Poonam Muttreja**  
Director (India)  
pmuttreja@macfound.org.in

**Dipa Nag Chowdhury**  
Program Officer (India)  
dnagchowdhury@macfound.org.in

**Kole Shettima**  
Director (Nigeria)  
kshettim@macfound.org

**Sharon Bissell Sotelo**  
Acting Director (Mexico)

**About the MacArthur Foundation**  
The MacArthur Foundation supports creative people and effective institutions committed to building a more just, verdant, and peaceful world. In addition to selecting the MacArthur Fellows, the Foundation works to defend human rights, advance global conservation and security, make cities better places, and understand how technology is affecting children and society. More information is available at [www.macfound.org](http://www.macfound.org).

**The John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation**

**Jonathan F. Fanton**  
President  
140 South Dearborn Street, Suite 1200  
Chicago, Illinois 60603-5285

Phone: (312) 726-8000  
Fax: (312) 920-6258  
E-mail: [4answers@macfound.org](mailto:4answers@macfound.org)  
TDD: (312) 920-6285

[www.macfound.org](http://www.macfound.org)

**MacArthur in India**  
Phone: (91 11) 2464 4006  
[info@macfound.org.in](mailto:info@macfound.org.in)

**MacArthur in Mexico**  
Phone: (52 55) 3004 1692  
[mexico@macfound.org](mailto:mexico@macfound.org)

**MacArthur in Nigeria**  
Phone: (234 9) 234 8053  
[info-ng@macarthur.org](mailto:info-ng@macarthur.org)