



TERRE DES FEMMES

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We are looking for you as a Community Trainer for our new project

The Project

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The new EU funded project **Join our CHAIN - to prevent and tackle female genital mutilation/cutting (FGM/C) and early and forced marriage (EFM)** has started on the 1st of March. This project is dedicated to two forms of gender-based violence that are often intertwined. The long-term goal is to eliminate these practices.

To achieve this goal, support and awareness-raising activities for people affected by FGM/C and EFM will be promoted and further developed through continuous empowerment of the involved communities.

The community trainers are the heart of the project. We are looking forward to people who are willing and have the time to support us in our two-year project and to work towards giving more women and girls the chance to lead a self-determined life.

Your tasks as a community trainer

include either sensitizing several community leaders from various diaspora communities to the issues of FGM/C and EFM and entering into dialogue with them. This will particularly empower girls and women affected by and at risk of FGM/C and EFM.

Or you will be responsible for training and sensitizing professionals from authorities, the health and social sector on how to support and deal with affected persons and those at risk.

We'll provide you with a reasonable expense allowance and you will receive a certificate at the end of the project.

Following activities are part of the project ...

- Participation in 3 training sessions on FGM/C and EFM; methodological and communication skills are also trained
- Organizing and participating in a community event and activities for your own community
- Participation in 4 empowerment and strategy meetings, to share experiences
- Participation in the international conference in Brussels
- Involvement in the awareness-raising campaign and possible participation in the advocacy meeting
- Input into the development of intervention chains

You are qualified to be a community trainer if ...

you live in Berlin or Brandenburg and are at least 18 years old. You have contacts to a country in which FGM/C and EFM is practiced and reject all forms of violence against girls and women. You are active and well connected in your respective community and are willing to bring about changes in these communities and to break down stereotypes and prejudices. You are already familiar with the topics of FGM/C and EFM, but you are also willing to continue your training. You are reliable and motivated to work on the project for two years and to travel occasionally to professional conferences.

If you have any questions ...

We offer a first information meeting on **March 30, 2023 at 6:30 pm** via Zoom. You will learn more about our organization and be able to ask

numerous questions about the project and your tasks. For the Zoom meeting, please register at the following email address:
fgm-eu@frauenrechte.de.

If you already want to apply, please use the attached form. The application deadline is **April 15, 2023.**

We would be very happy to welcome you as part of our team soon and stand together for more awareness and support for girls and women affected by violence.

Attachment: Application Form