RISE Advocacy Chapter with RESULTS
October Webinar

October 18, 2022
Welcome & Introductions
Together Women Rise’s Mission

Together Women Rise cultivates the collective power of community to achieve global gender equality.

OUR VISION

Together Women Rise envisions a world where every person has the same opportunities to thrive regardless of their gender or where they live.
RESULTS Anti-Oppression Values

RESULTS is a movement of passionate, committed everyday people. Together we use our voices to influence political decisions that will bring an end to poverty. Poverty cannot end as long as oppression exists.

We commit to opposing all forms of oppression, including racism, classism, colonialism, white saviorism, sexism, homophobia, transphobia, ableism, xenophobia, and religious discrimination.

At RESULTS we pledge to create space for all voices, including those of us who are currently experiencing poverty. We will address oppressive behavior in our interactions, families, communities, work, and world. Our strength is rooted in our diversity of experiences, not in our assumptions.

With unearned privilege comes the responsibility to act so the burden to educate and change doesn’t fall solely on those experiencing oppression. When we miss the mark on our values, we will acknowledge our mistake, seek forgiveness, learn, and work together as a community to pursue equity.

There are no saviors — only partners, advocates, and allies. We agree to help make the RESULTS movement a respectful, inclusive space.

Find all our anti-oppression resources at: https://results.org/volunteers/anti-oppression/
Grantee Spotlight

Self-Help International
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**Sustainable Community Development**

- **Education**: Teaching practical skills through experiential learning so families, particularly youth who face limited rural employment opportunities, can generate additional income.
- **Nutrition**: Ending malnutrition by offering students a protein-rich school breakfast to combat hunger, and supporting mothers and newborns in the first 1,000 days to prevent stunting.
- **Clean Water**: Accessing clean water by partnering with communities to access safe drinking water and improve the community’s overall health and productivity.
- **Agriculture**: Improving agriculture by equipping farmers with training in improved techniques, access to the inputs they need when they need them, and post-harvest storage options so they can maximize yields and better feed their families.
- **Economic Opportunity**: Empowering women and girls by supporting girls to stay in school, and offering women financial literacy training and micro-loans to start enterprises and achieve economic self-sufficiency.
Fall 2022 Campaigns Updates
Your advocacy works!
OUR ISSUES

Ending preventable maternal and child deaths

Ending the tuberculosis epidemic

Access to quality education for all children
Global Fund 2022 Advocacy
by the numbers

200+ meetings with Congress

230 congressional letter signers & supporters

$6 billion U.S. pledge

1:2 U.S. match
Global Nutrition Bills

1. HR 4693 passed in House
2. HR 4693 passed Senate Foreign Relations Committee
3. HR 4693 in queue for “unanimous consent” consideration in Senate.

Global Education Bills

1. HR 7420 passed House Foreign Affairs
2. HR 7420 in queue for “unanimous consent” consideration in House.
3. S 3938 needs cosponsors
Fall 2022 Campaigns: End TB Now Act
TB Challenge

- In 2020, over 10 million people fell ill with TB and 1.5 million people died even though most TB cases are curable. Over 95 percent of TB cases and deaths are in developing countries.

- Since COVID, TB detection has dropped by 50 percent and an estimated 1 million fewer people have been diagnosed and enrolled on TB treatment.

- The lack of investment and added stress on the health systems means the global End TB Strategy and United Nations High Level Meeting targets for TB are off track.

- The Stop TB Partnership estimates that delaying or failing to implement the goals will mean an additional 43 million people would develop TB, leading to 6.6 million additional TB deaths by 2030.

- This will cost countries, communities, and families their loved ones and upwards of $1 trillion in economic loss by 2030. Humanity would lose a projected 234 million disability-adjusted life years.
End TB Now Act (H.R.8654, S.3386)

- Requires U.S. to establish bold goals for reaching the most vulnerable TB populations to detect, cure and prevent all forms of TB globally
- Strengthens U.S. bilateral coordination with global organizations, including the Global Fund, to develop and implement a comprehensive global TB response
- Catalyzes support for research and development (R&D) of new tools to prevent, diagnose, treat, and control TB, including drug-resistant TB worldwide
- Improves the capacity of countries and affected communities with high burdens of TB to implement programs to prevent and control the spread of TB
- Requires annual reporting to Congress on U.S. TB activities and their impact, including progress in recovering from the negative effects of COVID-19 on TB
- Evaluates the performance and the focus on impact of TB programs that are supported by U.S. bilateral assistance funding
October Advocacy Action
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Have you taken action on the End TB Now Act yet?

Follow up with your Senators!
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We’re taking it to the House!

Let’s make calls to our Representatives!
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1. Capitol Switchboard Number: (202) 224 – 3121

2. Ask for your Rep.'s office voicemail

3. Leave a message asking them to support H.R. 8654, here is a script to help!
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Want more coaching support to deepen your advocacy action?

Contact your mentors!

Anne Child
Karyne Bury
Ken Patterson
Leslye Heilig
Sarah Leone
Upcoming Events

- **Thursday, October 20 - 9:00 PM ET**
  RESULTS Global Policy Forum, [Register here](#).
  Maggy Ngombi, *TB Survivor and Advocate*

- **Tuesday, November 15 - 8:30 PM ET**
  November Monthly Webinar
  *Bring a friend to take action with you!*
Thank you for your continued advocacy actions!