



YOUR IMPACT THROUGH OPPORTUNITY

IMPACT REPORT, OCTOBER 2020

Your support is driving sustainable change as Opportunity International Australia partners with microfinance institutions, community leaders, service providers, schools, and teachers to help families break free from the cycle of poverty and live empowered lives.

6,545,997

families accessing small loans and financial services

MICROFINANCE REPORT

5,331,590 families in India and **1,214,407 families in Indonesia** are currently accessing the small loans and financial services that can turn their business ideas into reality. With a sustainable income, these families can invest in the essentials—food, healthcare, sanitation, safe shelter, and education—that allow them to leave poverty behind for good.

7,132,530

people being reached with essential health knowledge

HEALTH REPORT

The awareness programs and training provided by Community Health Leaders are resulting in **improved health and cleaner neighbourhoods**, helping prevent health emergencies and reducing the expenses on healthcare. Opportunity's **health leaders in Indonesia, India and Bangladesh** have provided crucial information to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

100,163

families using loans to educate their children in India

EDUCATION REPORT

Opportunity's partners in EduFinance currently have **107,260 active loans in Asia**. These loans include school fee loans and school improvement loans, offered through both long-standing partners and more recent partners. While schools in India and Pakistan were closed due to COVID-19, interest in education loans remains strong.

2,444,441

people benefitting from trafficking prevention

SAFETY REPORT

As part of Operation Red Alert, the Safe Village Program is **addressing sex trafficking** in India by teaching girls and their families how to identify and avoid human trafficking situations. Operation PeaceMaker gives those experiencing domestic violence access to **essential legal aid and counselling services** to help create safer communities.

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