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English News

Majority in Iraqi Kurdistan oppose female genital mutilation

The majority of people in Iraqi Kurdistan think female genital mutilation (FGM) should be eradicated and blame traditional beliefs for its continued practice. [More...](#)

Female Genital Mutilation Trial Sheds Light on Egyptian Practice

BEIRUT— A Health Ministry inspector testified Thursday in Egypt's first-ever female genital mutilation (FGM) trial, saying a 13-year-old girl died after undergoing the procedure despite her doctor's claims otherwise. [More...](#)

Border Force officers issue warning about FGM 'cutters' flying into UK

UK Border Force officers have warned of an emerging trend of "cutters" flying into Britain to practise female genital mutilation (FGM). [More...](#)

Not A Single Person Has Been Convicted For FGM In Britain - Despite It Being Illegal For 30 Years

Police have blamed a lack of evidence for the failure to convict a single person in Britain for female genital mutilation (FGM), despite recent estimates that 137,000 women in the UK have undergone the procedure. [More...](#)

GAMCOTRAP continues anti-FGM campaign

The Gambia Committee on Traditional Practices (GAMCOTRAP) has announced that it is to target 118 communities across Upper Badibou and Sabach Sanjal Districts as part of a three-year project to eradicate female genital mutilation (FGM). [More...](#)

Kenya: Dpp Office Watching Women Circumcisors

MORE than 100 women who circumcise girls have been identified. Prosecutors from the Director of Public Prosecutions office have been deployed to 14 counties to monitor the circumcisors and other people accused of supporting female genital mutilation. [More...](#)

Kenya: Exclusive - Kenya Launches FGM and Child Marriage Hotline

Nairobi — Kenya has launched a hotline to rescue girls from female genital mutilation (FGM) and child marriage and to help prosecute these crimes. [More...](#)

The International Network to Analyze, Communicate and Transform the Campaign against FGM/C (INTACT), is an international group of researchers, scholars, and activists committed to bringing scientific evidence to bear on the campaign to end FGM/C. INTACT serves as a forum for FGM/C debate and helps bridge gaps in knowledge and information relevant to FGM/C on the local and the international levels. INTACT helps communicate lessons learned, disseminate research, and promotes the utilization of research findings to assist in the campaign against FGM/C. INTACT is managed by the Population Council.

