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English News

From FGM victim to teacher: 'You are always running from it. But you get tired. You have to confront it'

When Hibo Wardere was six, she was forced to undergo female genital mutilation. She suffered in silence for many years. But an encounter with a 10-year-old girl in London changed her life – and led her to write a searing memoir about her fight against the barbaric practice. [More...](#)

Somalia enlists Irish FGM campaigner to rid country of practice

An Irish woman who survived female genital mutilation as a child is to become the Somali prime minister's adviser on gender issues. [More...](#)

Doctors comment on best practice for reporting FGM

Reporting all cases of female genital mutilation (FGM) as child abuse may not be the best way to tackle the problem, it has been suggested. [More...](#)

Steps Towards Ending Female Genital Mutilation

Female genital mutilation affects over 200 million women worldwide, with around 3,780 of those affected living in Ireland. Patrick Kelleher looks at the steps that are being taken to end FGM on a global scale, as well as within Ireland. [More...](#)

Nigeria: 19.9 Million Women Have Been Mutilated- Specialist

Nkiru Igbelina-Igbokwe is a gender specialist with the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA). In this interview she speaks about the prevalence of FGM in Nigeria and why the practice must stop. [More...](#)

TEDx Warwick: Female Genital Mutilation

Aissa Edon was absolutely fearless from the moment that she walked onto the stage. Female genital mutilation (FGM) has been an increasingly controversial issue, and Edon's honest story put the picture in a stark context. [More...](#)

Actualités en Français

L'excision bientôt interdite en Somalie?

Les chiffres ont beau être connus, ils restent affolants. D'après le Fonds des Nations unies pour l'enfance (Unicef), près de 98 % des femmes somaliennes ont subi des mutilations génitales à des degrés divers : ablation du clitoris, des petites et grandes lèvres, couture du vagin ou infibulation... [Plus...](#)

"Pourquoi refuses-tu la tradition?" Enquête sur les ravages de l'excision en Ethiopie

L'excision continue de faire des ravages en Ethiopie. Dans le nord-est du pays, une association tente d'éduquer les femmes et leurs proches pour que cesse cette pratique. Nous sommes allés sur le terrain. [Plus...](#)

Mali: Lutte contre les mutilations génitales féminines (MGF) Plaidoyer à l'endroit des parlementaires maliens

Le Réseau des parlementaires maliens pour la lutte contre les violences faites aux femmes et aux filles, en partenariat avec Plan Mali, a procédé, le vendredi 25 mars dernier, à un plaidoyer à l'endroit des députés et du personnel de l'Assemblée nationale sur les méfaits et les conséquences des MGF et de l'excision. [Plus...](#)

رئيس الوزراء الصومالي يوقع عريضة حظر "ختان الإناث"
انتصرت الناشطة الصومالية "إفراج أحمد" في معركتها ضد جريمة "ختان الإناث" حيث حصلت على دعم رسمي من رئيس الوزراء "عمر عبد الرشيد" الذي وقع على عريضة لحظر تشويه الأعضاء التناسلية للإناث. [المزيد...](#)

نائب وزير الصحة: أي طبيب يجري عملية ختان إناث يعرض نفسه للمساءلة القانونية
قالت الدكتورة مايسة شوقي نائب وزير الصحة، إن هناك استراتيجية قومية للحد من ظاهرة الزواج المبكر، تقوم في الأساس على التوعية المجتمعية بأضرار الزواج المبكر والتأثير السلبي على الأسرة والمجتمع، وكذلك تمثل ظاهرة ختان الإناث أيضا استراتيجية قومية. [المزيد...](#)

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.

