

FGM Services

Greater London

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| Health Services | A list of specialist FGM Clinics | <u>View List</u> |
| Daughters of Eve | Daughters of Eve's aim is to support, advise, advocate and empower young people form FGM practicing and be their unedited voice. While working to end all gender-based violence practically FGM in one generation and gain equality for Young people | <u>View website</u> |
| FORWARD UK | FORWARD work through partnerships in the UK, Europe and Africa to transform lives, tackling discriminatory practices that affect the dignity and wellbeing of girls and women. Our focus is on female genital mutilation (FGM), child marriage and obstetric fistula. | View website |
| The Orchid Project | The Orchid Project Advocate to ensure stakeholders resource and prioritise an end to FGC, communicate the potential to end FGC within a generation and raise awareness about how, why and where FGC happens and partner with organisations that deliver a sustainable, proven end to FGC. | <u>View Website</u> |
| The Dhalia Project | Support group for women who have undergone FGM. The charity has the general aim of improving the mental health of deprived and marginalised women by providing free individual counselling for up to a year and group therapy for up to two years. | <u>View Website</u> |

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| AFRUCA | AFRUCA (Africans Unite Against Child Abuse) is a UK charity, established in 2001 as by Modupe Debbie Ariyo OBE, as a platform for advocating for the rights and welfare of African Children. AFRUCA was set up in response to the deaths of African children in the UK such as Damilola Taylor, Jude Akapa, and Victoria Climbie who suffered abuse. AFRUCA works both nationally across the UK from two bases in London and Manchester, and internationally in partnership with agencies across Europe and in Africa. AFRUCA also rely heavily upon The 1989 United Nation Convention on the Rights of the Child to form the basis of their work. The organisation's stance is that culture and religion should not be a reason to abuse children. | <u>View Website</u> |
| Manor Gardens Welfare Trust | The Manor Gardens Welfare Trust has been promoting health, wellbeing and inclusion services in North London for over 100 years. Their Health Advocacy Service has been helping refugees and newly arrived migrants improve their health and wellbeing. They work with over 3,000 people every year and together speak over 30 languages. Manor Gardens provide health advocacy and support to women affected by FGM, training for frontline professionals as well as running the Dahlia Project. | <u>View Website</u> |
| The Africa Advocacy Foundation | AAF works with communities both in the UK and overseas who are affected by a range of issues including sexual and reproductive health, violence against women and girls, female genital mutilation (FGM) and mental health issues. | <u>View Website</u> |

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| Black Women's Health and Family Support | Established in 1982, Black Women's Health and Family Support's primary area of concern is promoting the eradication of Female Genital Mutilation (FGM). However, we believe that work in this area can only be effective when understood within the overall context of black women's health and this holistic method has lead to a broad scope of work by the organisation, encompassing grassroots projects which support and empower women and their families in Britain and Africa, as well as influencing policy making at the highest levels. | <u>View Website</u> |
| Good Effort for Health and Wellbeing | Good Efforts for Health and Wellbeing is a West London-based, not-for-profit company that works with individuals and organizations in the fight against Female Genital Mutilation (FGM). We provide support and practical assistance to women seeking medical treatment for the effects of FGM. We work with FGM-affected communities to raise awareness of the dangers and legal repercussions of FGM. We also provide services to empower disadvantaged members of the community. Current projects include Healthy Eating workshops in the White City area. | <u>View Website</u> |
| Kurdish and Middle Eastern Women's Rights Organisation | KMEWO aims to: Promote Kurdish and Middle Eastern women's human rights and quality of life, Help women recover from distress and suffering from past and present experiences of domestic abuse and honour-based violence andAdvocate for women's rights and to increase women's opportunities for better education, employment and participation in wider British society They work with women suffering or at risk of domestic violence, forced marriage and honour-based violence and FGM. | <u>View Website</u> |

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| Ocean Somali Community Organisation | The OSCA women's projects have worked with over 300 women, delivered over 10 workshops and have two active projects running: the women's user led project and the community against FGM project. The Community against FGM project, which has been funded by the Trust for London, facilitates a dialogue about FGM, its impact and its status in UK law, bringing together young people, women and other members of the community. By raising awareness and overcoming the taboo nature of FGM, the project aims to increase the skills and capacity of the community, groups as well statutory agencies in dealing with FGM. | <u>View Website</u> |
| Midaye Somali Development Network | Midaye is a charitable organisation based in west London that was established to address the needs of the local community. Midaye has been awarded a grant from the Department for Education to expand its work protecting women and girls from FGM in the UK. We provide: • Somali and Arabic speaking community health advocates • access to specialist support services at FGM clinics • one to one emotional support • information and signposting service • access to other community based specialist health services • FGM community forum events, this is a platform for community members to exchange information, voice their concerns and be informed about the FGM law in UK | <u>View Website</u> |