

World Day of Social Justice!

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Sent: Tuesday, February 21, 2017 12:10**To:** Karina Weinstein

Hi Karina,

FXB honors the United Nations' World Day of Social Justice!

Through FXB's pioneering community development programs in ten countries, we understand that poverty eradication and social justice are very much intertwined. Every time we help a family overcome stigma because of their HIV status, reintegrate a child into formal schooling, or empower communities to honor and respect women, we are making strides towards social justice.



Social justice is at the core of who we are.

The FXBVillage Model is based on the Public Health Paradigm taught by the late Dr. Jonathan Mann of Harvard University, which emphasizes the inextricable link between health and human rights and the need for holistic approaches to break the cycle of poverty. This is why the FXBVillage Model tackles interconnected drivers of poverty-health, education, nutrition, housing, and economic empowerment-in a simultaneous and integrated manner. FXB has lifted 84,000 people out of extreme poverty through 168 FXBVillages.

In order to increase our effectiveness in advancing social justice, FXB formed a strategic partnership with the FXB Center for Health and Human Rights at Harvard University (Harvard FXB Center), a leading interdisciplinary center that conducts

rigorous investigation of global public health threats to children, adolescents and youth. This partnership improves FXB program effectiveness, harnesses FXB's field work to shape policy, and enhances FXB's impact through critical advocacy on human rights.



- [FXB Field Education Internship Program](#) engages Harvard students in global community service projects, which connect academia and practice in a university-wide effort to measure the impact of FXB's social justice programs. Since 2014, the FXB Field Education Internship Program has provided field learning opportunities to 28 Harvard students who completed their internships in China, Colombia, India, France and Rwanda.
- FXB collaborated with the Harvard FXB Center to launch the [FXBVillage Toolkit and Planning Guide](#) that provides step-by-step guidance on the FXBVillage methodology, from its history and guiding principles to specific details of FXBVillage operations. Since its launch, the FXBVillage Toolkit and Planning Guide has been downloaded by nearly 1,500 individuals. FXB is the first non-governmental organization to share its successful methods, contributing to the learning of other organizations and the attainment of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.
- [FXB India Suraksha](#) contributed its expertise in human trafficking prevention to "[Is this Protection? Analyzing India's Approach to the Rescue and Reintegration of Children Trafficked for Labor Exploitation](#)" report published by the Harvard FXB Center in March 2016.

Join us today to empower families to provide a brighter future for their children!

Best Wishes,

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