

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS: A GLOBAL ACTION PLAN

In 2015, world leaders agreed on the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development—a global action plan to eradicate poverty and build peace around the world. The 2030 Agenda's 17 universal goals and 169 targets are integrated and indivisible; they balance the social, economic and environmental dimensions of sustainable development.

Sustainable Development Goal 5—achieving gender equality and empowering all women and girls—is at the heart of Canada's approach to implementing the 2030 Agenda because it will drive progress toward achieving the other Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). We believe that the best way to eradicate poverty and leave no one behind is through a feminist international assistance policy. We are committed to helping achieve the SDGs in Canada and in developing countries.

