

#SheCaresCovid19 Women's Testimonies Around the Globe



Tunisian women take initiative in fighting the COVID-19 pandemic by isolating themselves in a factory for the duration of the lockdown to make masks and other protective gear for healthcare workers and hospitals.



Yemeni women stepped up to prepare for the threat of the [#COVID19](#) virus by reopening an old factory and making face masks, as the dangers for women in worn-torn [#Yemen](#) grow daily.



Let's take a moment to celebrate the positive experiences of this pandemic: the resilience of strong women who put up a fight against this pandemic. In the Netherlands, a 101-year-old woman has successfully recovered from COVID-19.



Women are at the forefront of the fight against the COVID-19 pandemic. An all-female scientists' team in the United States is feverously working on the creation of the first viable COVID-19 vaccine.



During this challenging period, Gender Concerns advocated for the increasing role and input of women in leadership positions. We fervently support Dr. Maria Van Kerkhove, who has assumed the position of WHO's technical lead for COVID-19.



Women in leadership positions are vital in the fight against the COVID-19 pandemic. Great examples include Anne Schuchat, the Principle Deputy Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Dr. Deborah Brix, CDC's Coronavirus Response Coordinator.