

WVD THEORY OF CHANGE

What is our long-term vision?
P1: By inspiring men to share responsibility for family planning, we promote healthier families and a more just and equitable society.

To increase men's responsibility in FP and SHR...

What changes are needed to accomplish that vision?

R1: FP organizations and MoH need to strengthen their institutional capacity to provide quality reproductive health care to men, more research on male engagement is required and more resources should be allocated by governments, donors and multilateral organizations.

R2: Narratives and gender norms around men need to shift so men see themselves as active and co-responsible agents for FP.

R3: Doctors need to be educated in the latest and best vasectomy techniques, so men have easy and safe access to FP and contraceptive methods.

To support these changes, WVD takes a three pronged approach:

How are we planning to get there?

Institutional Capacities and Alliances

Social change through creative storytelling

Medical education and vasectomy Access to men

1. Local capacity building:
WVD forges institutional alliances with FP organizations and institutions to help them create new programs for vasectomy and male engagement in FP.

1. Creative storytelling:
WVD develops cutting-edge communication and educational resources culturally contextualized and collective driven with simple and compelling messages.

1. WVD Academy:
WVD creates an online and in person educational program for medical students to learn the latest vasectomy techniques with the best doctors to assure standard quality.

2. WVD Yearly Global Summit:
WVD organizes academic conversations, reunions and panels to discuss with researchers and institutions around vasectomy and male engagement in FP.

2. WVD Men's Movement:
WVD creates a platform to promote male engagement in broader issues such as self care, health, violence prevention, among others.

2. WVD Doctor Directory:
WVD creates a doctor's directory on its webpage to easily connect vasectomy users with doctors and clinics.

3. WVD Advocacy
WVD advocates with local and national governments and institutions for law changes and the creation of public policies in FP.

WVD Clinics: We are working towards our first pop up clinic in Mexico which will offer best practices and hands-on training.

Congregate our three areas of work in a single day to connect the planet to WVD. .

How do we want to measure our work?

Institutional Alliances 2021; 31 organizations in 26 countries participated in WVD activities.

Creative storytelling:
We have produced over 100 short films and animations.
Over 75,000 men have gotten a vasectomy because of our efforts.

WVD Academy: Over 1,000 doctors have participated in WVD events.

Research Exchange: We are in the process of writing our first IRB approved research project and will be submitting at least 3 presentations to the ICFP conference in Thailand.

WVD Doctor Directory: 542 doctors are members of the Vasectomy Google Group.

Advocacy: We have initiated national strategic plans on vasectomy with MoHs in two countries (Haiti, and Ecuador). The objective is to promote better practices and set high standards for vasectomy and male engagement in FP.

**WVD global event: 43 institutions participate in WVD
We have generated over 100 million views and interactions of WVD on multiple social media platforms.**