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Women and Development

Women's work remains a key part in achieving economic development in all countries of the world, including the Arab world and the Middle East. The need of societies in the Middle East for women's work is increasing especially in areas of war, conflict and conflict in which many men are killed, Iraq, and others, there is no other family but the woman and her work. Studies have also shown that twothirds of working Arab women work under the pressure of economic conditions in support of their families, while only 12% are self-motivated.

Despite this importance, everyone knows that working Arab women face many challenges and obstacles that prevent them from attaining leadership positions or equal pay with their male colleagues. They may excel in efficiency and loyalty, face clear discrimination in work, while in some societies face harsh criticism. Interest in her work and feel the permanent lack of right to husband and son, despite their psychological and mental ability to balance their responsibilities.