



LEARNING FROM SMART PRACTICES OF POOR WOMEN TO STRENGTHEN NATIONAL POLICIES

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Issues



Weak implementation of pro-poor national policies to address and fulfill the needs of poor women.



Unacknowledged smart practices of poor women which are capable of delivering results in areas with limited resources

Entry Points



* Poor village women



* Village apparatus
* Local & National government

Location



East Nusa Tenggara

- * Alor
- * Ende
- * East Manggarai

Creative Solution



Utilising poor women's smart practices to strengthen Indonesia's national policy on poverty reduction

PROTOTYPES



Promote inclusion of Women Friendly criteria in Village Competitions (Lomba Desa)

- * Village competitions are an annual activity supported by the Government of Indonesia
- * CGCK to advocate 'Women Friendly Village' as part of their criteria
- * A Women Friendly Village is a village which supports poor women's innovations and participation in the decision making process to help alleviate poverty and protect women from violence



Document poor women's innovations and advocate their smart practices to policy makers

- * Work with women in the specific areas to get smart practices from poor women who are able to fulfill their basic needs
- * Practices will be compiled to videos, books, blog posts and other social media updates
- * Provide reliable evidence

Innovation Platforms



Strengthening capacity of local government, parliamentarians and civil society organisations to promote pro-poor women's policies, planning and budgeting at various levels