

Partner Profile: SHARE



In Guatemala, an estimated 59% of adult women and 70% of adults living in poverty do not have access to formal financial services.¹

Asociación SHARE is a Guatemalan nonprofit microfinance institution within Global Partnerships' Women-Centered Finance with Education initiative.²

WHO IS SERVED:

SHARE serves nearly 34,000 micro-entrepreneurs. 79% of SHARE's clients live in rural areas and 66% of its clients are female.³

WHAT IS DELIVERED:

SHARE provides working capital loans for microenterprise, agriculture, and other income-generating activities, along with education programs. Clients receive training on topics including credit, prevention of over-indebtedness, savings, budgeting, business practices, health, and agriculture.

WHY IT IS IMPACTFUL:

Access to working capital loans and related education enables SHARE's clients to make more informed decisions, better deal with shocks, and invest in income-generating activities, resulting in improved economic resilience and food security for their households.

1. Source: [World Bank Global Findex 2017](#)

2. SHARE was a current borrower of Global Partnerships Social Investment Fund 5.0, LLC as of December 31, 2020.

3. SHARE client data in the Who Is Served section is as of December 31, 2020.