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Accelerating Action to End Child Marriage

VISION

Unlock the potential of girls and women to stop poverty before it starts
Empower girls and women to have **voice, choice and control**. Leaving no one behind.

All girls complete primary and secondary education

Universal Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights for girls and women

All girls and women economically empowered
(jobs, incomes, assets, access to markets)

All girls and women live free from violence
(including in humanitarian response)

VOICE

CHOICE

CONTROL

Increased collective action for change

Participation and leadership in politics, peace negotiations, business and civil society

Legal rights and access to justice for all women

Discriminatory social norms ended e.g. FGM/C, early and forced marriage

Sustainable access to food, water and energy for all girls and women

Enabling environment of open economies and societies that unlock girls' and women's potential

Boys and men engage as active citizens for change

Equitable, accountable public services

Inclusive political settlements

Accessible new technologies

Infrastructure that benefits women

Responsible business provide safe, quality employment

Legal frameworks & systems uphold women's rights

Natural resource management

Markets that enable women to trade

GIRL SUMMIT 2014

A FUTURE FREE FROM FGM AND
CHILD AND FORCED MARRIAGE





Progress Since the Summit

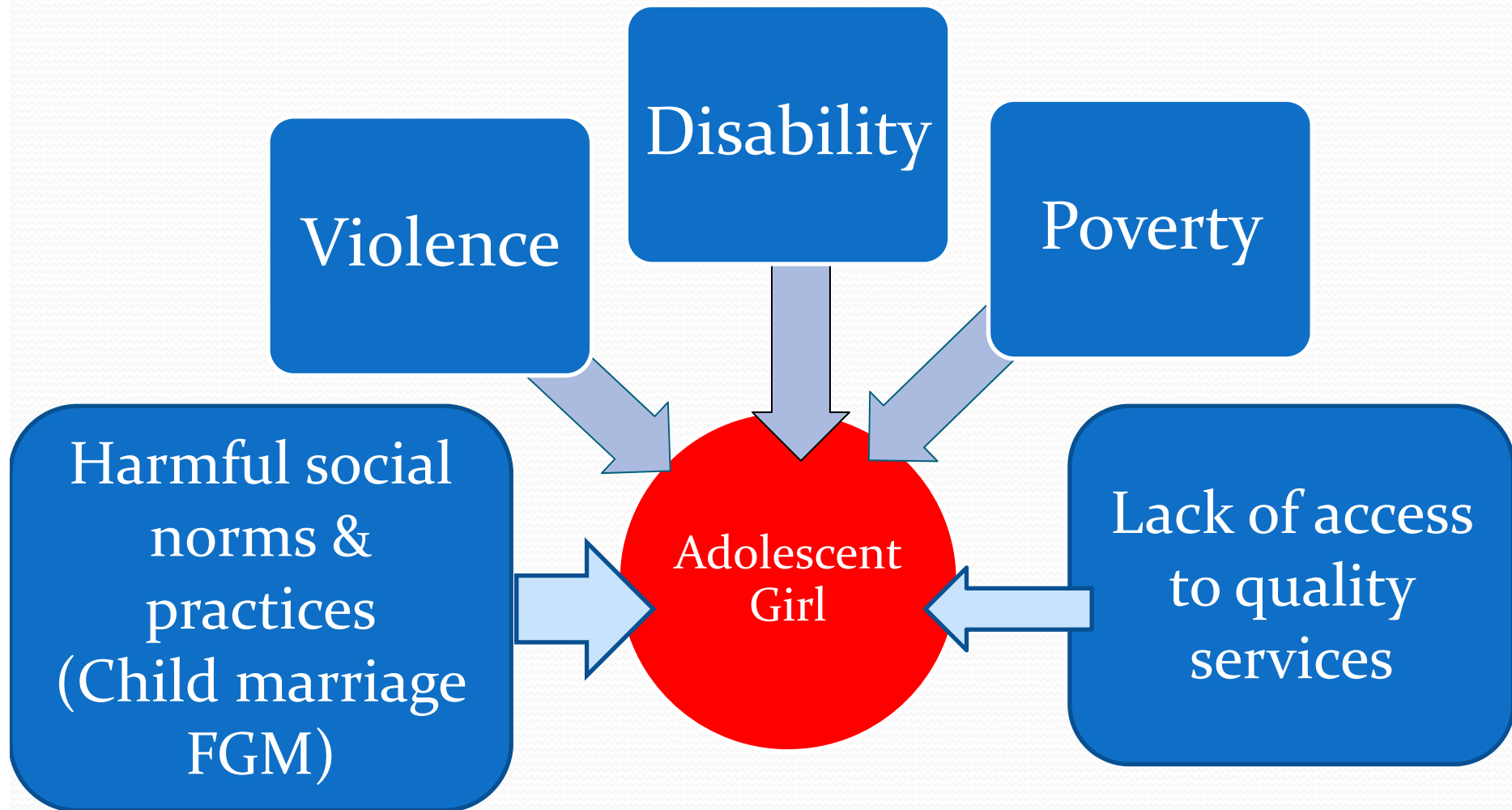
- Dec 2014 New Business Case on Child Marriage Approved
- £25 million for UN Global Programme to End Child Marriage
- Launch of UN Global Programme inception phase – with funding from Canada, Netherlands, UK
- £8 million on AmplifyChange – neglected SRHR issues including CEFM and FGM
- Global Girls Research Initiative
- Resolutions – UNGA 3C Resolution plus HRC- June 2015

Challenges

- Building evidence on what works AT SCALE.
 - Robust evaluation
 - Core indicators – measure progress across countries
- Costing interventions early – does it have potential to grow?
- Tackling consequences of child marriage – adolescent SRHR
- Effective co-ordination – at national and international level



Tackling multiple deprivations and building resilience



Opportunities for Action

- Unprecedented National, international and regional leadership e.g. AU
- Development of national plans of action.
- Increased funding for tackling harmful social norms
- More co-ordinated international actions e.g UNICEF-UNFPA
- Leveraging large sectoral investments, child protection, social protection, SRHR
- Systems strengthening for sustainable responses
- Showcasing success 'One Year on' Report



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