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الأمين العام للمجلس الأعلى للمرأة
مملكة البحرين

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تمثيل المرأة البحرينية في المنظمات الإقليمية والدولية
Representation of Bahraini Women in Regional and International Organizations

الشراكات مع المنظمات الإقليمية والدولية والاتفاقيات والتقارير الدولية
Partnerships with regional and international organizations.
International conventions and reporting.
"women in public life: from policies to impact"
«المراة في الحياة العامة: من وضع السياسات إلى صناعة الأثر»

"Women in Public Life: From Policies to Impact"

The National Plan for the Advancement of Bahraini Women received the Royal blessings and support of His Majesty King of Bahrain

Integration of the National Plan in the Government Action Plan (2015-2018) in cooperation with the legislative and executive authorities

Government Action Plan

Empowerment of Bahraini women and increasing their contribution to the development process:

- Effective coordination with the Supreme Council for Women to implement the National Plan for the Advancement of Bahraini Women 2015-2022.
- Following up and addressing women’s issues and mainstreaming their needs in development programs, to ensure the sustainability of family stability and family bonds.
- Improve services provided to violated women in order to rehabilitate them.
Committee between the Supreme Council for Women and the Legislative Authority to follow-up Mainstreaming Women’s Needs in Development

The National Model for Mainstreaming Women’s Needs

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Outcomes of the Equal Opportunities Impact

- Ensuring the principles of justice and equal opportunities through mainstreaming the needs of women into development programs
- Achieving competitiveness in all sectors, specializations and levels through women empowerment and raising the society’s awareness of women’s rights and duties
- Enhancing sustainable development programs through the implementation of the Bahraini Model of Mainstreaming the Needs of Women into development programs

عدالة
تنافسية
استدامة
The National Model for Mainstreaming Women's Needs

- Legislative Authority.
- Ministry of Finance.
- Supreme Council for Women (SCW).

Budgets

- Legislative Authority.
- Supreme Council for Women (SCW).
- Civil Service Bureau (Public Sector).
- Ministry of labor & Social Development (private Sector & Civil society).

Measuring Impact

The National Model for Mainstreaming Women’s Needs

Policies

- University of Bahrain (UOB).
- Bahrain Institute for Public Administration (BIPA).
- Supreme Council for Vocational Training / Bahrain Institute for Banking & Finance (BIBF).
- Ministry of labor & Social Development.
- Supreme Council for Women (SCW).

Knowledge Management

- Legislative Authority.
- Executive Authority.
- Private Sector.
- Civil Society.

Coordination committee with the legislative authority.
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نسبة عضوات مجلس الشورى
Percentage of women in the Shura Council

نسبة عضوات مجلس النواب
Percentage of women in the Council of Representatives

نسبة عضوات المجلس البلدي وامانة العاصمة
Percentage of women in the Municipality Council and Capital Municipality
Capacity building and training

Women Incubator “Riyadat”

Financial fund in support of women entrepreneurs

Percentage of individual commercial registrations owned by women

Growth rate of the number of businesses owned by women

100 million fund to support women entrepreneurs

22%

41%

23,793

19,429

2014

2010

Percentage of individual commercial registrations owned by women
Bahrain occupies the 123rd place progressing one rank.
Bahrain is among the best countries in reducing the gender gap in the Economic Participation and Opportunity Subindex.

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**2006–2015 CHANGE**

- **ECONOMY**: 0.214
- **POLITICS**: 0.013
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Women employed in civil service middle and top management

Percentage of women in Cabinet of MENA countries, 2012

Representation of women and men in cabinets of MENA countries, 2012

Percentage of women

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Percentage points

- Bahrain: 0% - 70%
- Tunisia: 0% - 70%
- Jordan: 0% - 70%
- Egypt: 0% - 70%
- Palestinian Authority: 0% - 70%
- Morocco: 0% - 70%

Percentage of women in different roles:

- Top management
- Middle management

Percentage data for each country and year is represented in the chart.
Thank You