

Alola Foundation

Strong Women Strong Nation

Empowering women in Timor Leste

Creating employment opportunities Promoting human rights Strengthening community participation in development Increasing the status of women

Maternal and Child Health

Reducing infant and maternal mortality

- Promote exclusive breastfeeding for first six months
- Create a supportive environment for improving women's & children's health
- Strengthen community action for women's health
- Increase health service competencies

Education

Expanding opportunities

- Support implementation of Timor Leste National Development Goals of
 - ◆ *Education for all*
 - ◆ *Improving the quality of teaching*
 - ◆ *Increasing the retention rate*
- Increase community support for education
- Increase status and opportunities for girls & young women
- Improve life skills & health

Economic Development

Developing economic independence

- Create employment for women
- Develop handcraft industry
- Provide family friendly workplace role model
- Maintain cultural traditions in women's handcrafts
- Strengthen support services for women in enterprise

Advocacy

Women leaders

- Women's resource centre
- Campaigns for women's rights & women's health
- Provide development opportunities for women
- Create a woman friendly space
- Provide humanitarian assistance

Management

Effective administration

- Create a caring work environment
- Ensure transparent financial management
- Establish Alola facilities management process
- Responsive programs