

ZONTA INTERNATIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE

Criteria for Clubs and Districts to select a Service Project

1. A service project should meet the following criteria:
 - (a) It must focus on Zonta's mission
 - (b) it must benefit women or girls on the local or district level
 - (c) It must address one or both of the following factors:
 - i. empowerment of women in general to achieve equal rights and secure their access to legal, political, economic, educational, health and professional resources
 - ii. prevention of violence against women and girls.
2. A service project is an activity carried out by Zonta members in which they participate actively and personally in organizing and giving 'hands-on' service, not only providing fundraising for the project.
3. It can be a 'once only' project or be ongoing.
4. A hands-on service project may be partnered with another like-minded organization or organizations in accordance with the Affiliation with Other Organizations policy and guidelines.
5. An advocacy aspect is desirable.
6. Zonta's credibility must be protected.
7. The project should give visibility to Zonta and have wide media coverage, especially in terms of the beneficiaries.