



The FXBVillage Model



In 1991, FXB pioneered the **FXBVillage Model**, a time-bound, sustainable and holistic methodology that simultaneously tackles the **five drivers of poverty eradication: nutrition, education, health, housing and income**. The FXBVillage Model provides a multidimensional solution to allow participants to permanently escape extreme poverty.

Download *the FXBVillage Toolkit and Planning Guide* at usa.fxb.org/toolkit.



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FXBVILLAGES
WORLDWIDE
SINCE 1989



84,000

CHILDREN AND ADULTS
HAVE BEEN LIFTED OUT
OF POVERTY



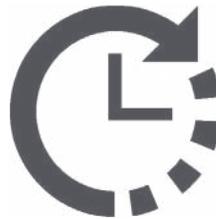


HOW DOES IT WORK?

Working closely with local administrative authorities and community leaders, FXB **selects the most vulnerable households** who demonstrate a willingness to achieve the program’s objective of becoming self-sufficient.



80–100
FAMILIES (ABOUT 600
PEOPLE) ARE SELECTED
TO PARTICIPATE IN EACH
FXBVILLAGE



EACH FXBVILLAGE
OPERATES FOR
3 Years

FXBVillage provides integrated support in nutrition, health, education, and housing to **meet participants’ immediate needs** while building their income capacity to **become economically self-sufficient**. Instead of lending, FXB **provides startup capital complemented by financial literacy training**, which enables participants to secure a portfolio of **income generating activities** before accessing microcredit.



Nutrition



Health



Education



Housing



Income

FXB partners with the **FXB Center for Health and Human Rights at Harvard University**, the only university-wide human rights center promoting the advancement of cross-disciplinary research and policy, to strengthen FXB’s **monitoring and evaluation** system through the **FXB Field Education Internship Program**. This unique program harnesses the FXB Center’s rigorous research methodologies and academic expertise in human rights and FXB’s 27-year impactful trajectory in providing the poorest of the poor families with the tools and support they need to become self-sufficient.





As participants' abilities to meet their basic needs increase, **FXB gradually lessens financial support** to encourage self-sufficiency.

This makes the FXBVillage program remarkably **low-cost**.

\$125 – \$230

AVERAGE YEARLY COST PER PERSON



FXBVillage program is **community-based**.

- Each staff member who works in FXB's country offices is **locally recruited**. They work with community leaders, stakeholders and relevant associations to **tailor the FXBVillage program to local needs** while maintaining its core elements.
- In order to create a broader impact beyond the direct program participants, FXB organizes **training sessions for the community** on topics such as hygiene, nutrition and healthcare.





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OUR IMPACT

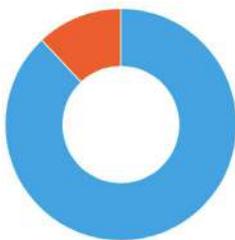
FXB currently operates 16 FXBVillage programs in Burundi, China, Colombia, India, Mongolia, Rwanda and Uganda, empowering the most vulnerable communities around the globe.



FXBVillage programs induced marked improvements related to economic security, health, nutrition, and access to safe water and sanitation.



FXB beneficiaries were multidimensionally less poor than their peers, even three years after graduation.



86% OF PARTICIPATING FAMILIES REMAINED SELF-SUFFICIENT FOUR YEARS AFTER THE PROGRAMS' END

The FXBVillage Model has been recognized by UNICEF and UNAIDS as a

Best Practice

Offering education, healthcare and, above all, the hope of a brighter future, FXB has made a significant impact in the lives of thousands.

Kofi Annan



Former Secretary-General of the United Nations

There are millions of people who could ultimately benefit from the FXBVillage program and the followers it generates.

Amartya Sen



Nobel Laureate in Economic Sciences and Harvard University Professor