Women and girls make up 60% of the world’s hungry.  

Poverty is a main driver of malnutrition. The United Nations estimates that 70% of the 1.3 billion people in poverty worldwide are women.

Undernutrition contributes to around 45% of deaths in children under 5, mostly in low- and middle-income countries.

In nearly two-thirds of countries, women are more likely than men to report food insecurity.

Women make up more than 45% of farmers in developing countries. If women farmers had the same access to resources as men, the number of hungry people in the world could be reduced by up to 150 million.

Empowered women can take hunger to zero.

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Sources: WHO, UN Women, IWPR, FAO