

TOOLS

IDENTIFICATION OF WOMEN AND GIRLS AT UNACCEPTABLE RISK⁶⁴

- Rape victim/survivor
- Mixed marriage/relationship (across ethnic, religious or clan lines) when conflict is inter-ethnic, inter-racial, inter-religious or inter-clan
- Female head of household
- Unaccompanied and separated girls
- In same-sex relationship
- Widow
- Single woman alone
- Trauma/torture survivor
- Victim of gender-based violence, including domestic abuse
- Victim or potential victim of harmful traditional practices, such as FGM
- HIV+
- Physical, mental or medical disability
- Victim of trafficking
- Lack of male, familial or community support systems
- Escaping forced or early marriage
- Victim of frequent harassment and intimidation
- Former combatant, forced laborer or sex slave with armed factions
- Victim of coerced family planning practices—forced abortion or sterilization—or at risk of such

Many women and girls at risk may meet the criteria in two or more of the above-mentioned categories, which should make them priority cases for implementation of immediate protection solutions.