

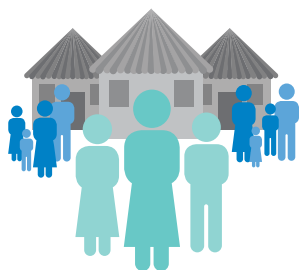
ADDRESSING DEMAND AND SUPPLY-SIDE FACTORS FOR WOMEN'S ACCESS TO SRMNCAH

Demand

Individuals and communities have access to knowledge and capacity to seek services and ensure health-related rights.



Supporting women's demand for health services addresses women's bodily autonomy and integrity at various points at which a woman needs information, services, and opportunities to act upon choices over her lifespan.



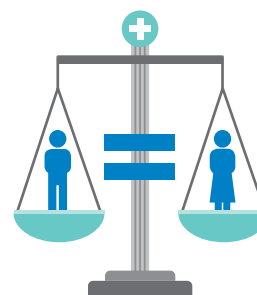
Women's demand for health services is determined not only by individual attributes such as knowledge and skills, but also by relationships with household members, social networks, communities, and broader social and structural policies and norms.

Supply

Delivering quality health services that are available, accessible and acceptable to individuals and communities served.



Removing user fees for maternal health care, especially for deliveries, can both stimulate demand and lead to increased uptake of essential services.



Removing discrimination in health-care settings, and ensuring women and adolescent girls are aware of their rights and able to demand stigma and discrimination-free services is therefore fundamental to upholding their human rights.