

Supplementary Table 1 Dimensions and different indicators for measuring Women's Empowerment (Tariq Khan *et al.* 2020)

Dimension	Description	Indicators
Economic	Ability to gain and control economic resources	Independent income, savings, asset generation, control over household income, savings and purchases
Social	Ability to live life freely outside home, interaction with diverse people and enjoy social status.	Visiting friends, relatives, participation in social functions, respect/status, interaction with government officials, visit to market/bank/hospital

Tariq K S, Bhat M A and Sangmi M D. 2020. Impact of microfinance on economic, social, political and psychological empowerment evidence from women's self-help groups in Kashmir Valley, India. *Fortune Institute of International Business Review* 1–16.