

<p><b>Script</b>  Paliamentarians from around the world gathered in Ethiopia this week to discuss the role of lawmakers in supporting development efforts during a global economic downturn.</p> <p>They visited UNICEF supported grassroots projects in the capital Addis Ababa and met with representatives of local NGOs.</p> <p>Here in Abebech Gobena women and girls benefit from microloan financing ... to open small businesses and fund their children's education even during hard times.</p> <p>In another community, the delegates visited a health extension program set up to train female health workers in life-saving interventions.</p> <p>SOUNDBITE: Siyadah Ethamy Gris, Parliament of Egypt:</p> <p>Pervasive poverty threatens the health of most Ethiopian children and women. Three quarters of all causes of morbidity can be linked to communicable diseases and malnutrition affecting mothers and children primarily.</p> <p>Just as critical to the health of women is education. This primary school promotes gender equality and encourages students to participate in after school clubs where issues like HIV, ethics, and child rights are discussed.</p> <p>SOUNDBITE: Nur Serter, Grand National Assembly, Turkey:</p> <p>Complementing these field trips, UNICEF and the International Parliamentary Union organized a panel discussion on ways to invest in a better future for adolescent girls ... in Ethiopia ... and beyond.</p>	<p><b>Shotlist</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. WS, conference room with MPs discussing girls education</li> <li>2. MS, MPs in seminar</li> <li>3. WS, conference room</li> <li>4. MS, MPs exiting bus</li> <li>5. MS, MPs on field trip</li> <li>6. MS, school children greeting MPs</li> <li>7. WS, MPs at village market stall</li> <li>8. MS, women sorting lentils</li> <li>9. CU, pan of red lentils</li> <li>10. WS, young women screening shirts</li> <li>11. CU, silkscreen</li> <li>12. WS, MPs at field site</li> <li>13. WS, health outpost</li> <li>14. MS, health worker measuring child for malnutrition</li> <li>15. SOUNDBITE: Siyadah Ethamy Gris, Parliament of Egypt: This project touched me very much because for me the field and what we're seeing is the challenge of Ethiopia and countries like Egypt are also facing vis a vis adolescent girls and what we need to do to empower them because they are the mothers of the future.</li> <li>16. MS, women waiting in health outpost</li> <li>17. MS, MPS watching malnutrition screening</li> <li>18. WS, MPs at school</li> <li>19. WS, MP speaking to crowd</li> <li>20. WS, reverse speaking</li> <li>21. MS, young boy</li> <li>22. MS, students</li> <li>23. SOUNDBITE: Nur Serter, Grand National Assembly, Turkey: "Im deeply impressed. I believe that in a very short time a great improvement has taken place in Ethiopia.</li> <li>24. MS, panel discussion</li> <li>25. MS, MPs at panel</li> <li>26. Pan, MPs in school</li> <li>27. MS girl student</li> </ol>
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<p><b>Shotlist</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. MPs on bus ride to NGO</li> <li>2. MPs holding conference on girls education</li> <li>3. MP with school girls in classroom</li> <li>4. MPs on bus to another site</li> <li>5. WS, highway outside capital</li> <li>6. MS, health workers at outreach post</li> <li>7. MS, health workers training parents and grandparents</li> <li>8. SOUNDBITE (English) Canadian MP, Raymonde Falco</li> <li>9. WS, MPs approaching fruit stand</li> <li>10. MS, UNICEF worker talking to MPs</li> <li>11. Bus ride</li> </ol>	

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1. SB, Stuart Nash, MP New Zealand
2. SB, (Amharic) Tsega Gobeye, student: As a class monitor I make my students listen to the teachers when they are teaching and follow along. I also take attendances.”
3. SB, Marleen Temmermann, MP Belgium
4. SB. Sheila D. Nou, MP Botswana
5. SB (Amharic) mother speaking about health worker program: “She has helped me in treating my child properly and she has also educated me on how to prevent my child from sickness. So I have benefited a lot.”