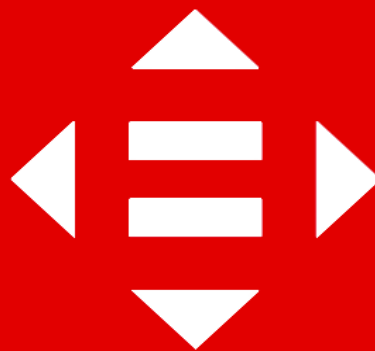




# 10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES



The aim of Sustainable Development Goal 10 is to reduce income inequality, promote social, economic, and political inclusion of all, regardless of age, sex, disability, race, ethnicity, origin, religion, or economic or other status. The Sustainable Development Goal 10 targets various forms of inequality, including those related to income, social status, gender, disability, and regions within and among the countries. In this perspective, Sharda University contributes to SDG 10 in the following ways.

## **I. Inclusive Curriculum:**

**COMMUNITY NUTRITION-I (BND220)**

**HEALTH POLICY AND HEALTHCARE DELIVERY SYSTEM (DSC056)**

**CROSS CULTURAL MANAGEMENT (MBA145)**

**PUBLIC HEALTH AND NUTRITION (MFN110)**

## **II. Research Initiatives:**

Sharda University endeavour to promote empirical research on inequality-related issues and advocates for policies that aim to reduce inequalities. This empirical research not only portray the social evils but immensely contribute to evidence-based decision-making in the literature that can be later on utilized by the policymakers.

Some examples of the research undertaken are as follows:

- **An Evaluation of the Utility and Sustainability of Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme to Providing Jobs in Rural India'**
- **A Perspective On the Increasing Gender-Based Violence Against Women and The Role of Cybersecurity**

## **III. University Processes and Procedures:**

- **Minority Cell and Social Cell:**  
The objective of the cell is to create and promote an environment that endorses student diversity and respects everyone irrespective of colour, caste, culture or religious belief and commits to ensure protection of the students belonging to the minorities, scheduled-castes, scheduled tribes and Other Backward Classes and differently abled students.
- **International Student's Cell:**  
The cell aims to assist international students across the globe to acclimatise with the culture of Sharda University, in order to pursue their academic goals.
- **Promoting Equal Access to Education:**  
Sharda University also work for providing equal access to education irrespective of socio-economic background, race, gender, or disability through scholarships, grants and outreach programs which make education more accessible to students coming from underprivileged or marginalized communities.
- **Diversity and Inclusion Policies:** Sharda University implements and enforces policies that promote diversity and inclusion in campus. This includes ensuring equal opportunities for all students and staff, regardless of their background.

- **Community Engagement:** Sharda University engages with local communities, offering educational programs, skill development workshops, and healthcare services. By addressing the needs of surrounding communities, Sharda University contributes to reducing local inequalities.
- **Promoting Gender Equality:** Sharda University is a noteworthy illustration of an institution that has effectively promoted gender equality by guaranteeing equal participation of women in leadership and academic roles. In order to empower women in our traditionally male-dominated society, the university offers programmes and support system to inspire women to seek further education and employment in substantial fields.
- **Global Partnerships:** Sharda University collaborates with institutions globally, sharing knowledge and best practices in reducing inequalities.

#### IV. Partnerships

- Sharda School of Medical Sciences and Research, Sharda University has a well-equipped skilllab with basic and advanced simulators for Basic Life Support (BLS) training and First Aid Programme. The same has been offered to the upcoming Naveen Hospital, through an MoU, for imparting training for health care workers (nursing staff, technical staff and other support staff).
- **Voluntary blood donation camp on Mega Blood Donation Drive (10)**

In order to build solidarity and bonding among social masses, Sharda Hospital has collaborated with Fortis Hospital, Greater Noida, through a technical agreement towards securing the provisions of blood components and related services (to a level that satisfies the requirements of Blood Safety and Quality Regulations, 2005), wherein build solidarity and blood bank operating at Sharda Hospital will be assisting Fortis to meet the requirements of social and physical well-being.

- An MoU has been signed with MGM Implants, Germany, to enter into an academic partnership for acquiring knowledge regarding German implant system which will help the post graduate students in learning implantology.

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