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*Advocacy, leadership & gross roots organizing & strengthening People with Disabilities in Pakistan*

**NDF MOTTO: BRING INCLUSION – BEAT EXCLUSION**

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## Introduction

National Disability & Development Forum (NDF) is a registered and PCP certified non-profit organization (Tax Exempted Organization) that has been working in Sindh in the fields of Disability Rights, Health, Education, Environment/Alternative Energy, Food Security & Nutrition, Poverty Reduction, WASH, DRR/CBDRM, Democratization and Gender Mainstreaming since 2007. NDF opposes all forms of discrimination; and respects the rights and dignity of people irrespective of their ethnic, social, religious or political differences; and gives priority to meeting the needs and addressing the rights of the most disadvantaged communities and vulnerable segments of society especially PWDs, women and children.

NDF has successfully implemented several projects in collaboration with a number of national and international partners/donors that include Government of Sindh, DAI, USAID, IUCN, Handicap International (HI), US Embassy (USEFP), UNICEF, UNESCO, Focus Pakistan, Plan International Pakistan, Abilis Foundation Finland and LEAD Pakistan & others.

### Mission

Empowerment of people with/without disabilities through awareness, skill development, access to health, education, livelihood & recreational services and enhancing the life standard in qualitative and quantitative terms

### Vision

An inclusive & accessible society in which everybody including poor, marginalized and disadvantaged communities have equal opportunities and facilities

### Objectives

- To empower marginalized and disadvantaged groups i.e. persons with disabilities, children, women, aged people, indigenous people & minorities; promoting their self-reliance and mainstreaming them in society through skills development
- To promote quality education both academic and technical in under privileged communities
- To promote awareness on climate change adaptation and create disaster resilience in the most vulnerable communities and CBDRM approach







### Thematic Areas

- Human Rights (Disability Rights, Women, Children & Labour Rights, Indigenous Rights)
- Rehabilitation of Children with Intellectual Disabilities/Mental Health
- Education (Formal and Non-Formal, Vocational and Special Education)
- Climate Change, CBDRM & Emergency Response
- Environment & Alternative/Renewable Energy
- Livelihoods, Food Security & Nutrition
- Health (Preventive and Curative)& Democratization

### Cross Cutting Themes

- Inclusiveness



- Gender Mainstreaming

