

Forum des Organisations Nationales de Droits Humains (FONADH)

Country: Mauritania

Organisation responsible: FONADH

Period: Since 2000

Activity: FONADH is a non-governmental organization composed of 17 national humanitarian associations with the mission to promulgate the human rights in Mauritania and to fight in favor of them.



Objectives

Promoting and protecting human rights in Mauritania.

Promoting the establishment of the rule of law, in which all citizens of the various national components are equal and enjoy the same rights.

Raising the awareness among civil society, politics and public authorities on the need for tolerance.

Strengthening each of the member organizations of the Forum through training and good practices exchanges.

Description

FONADH focuses its regular activities related to the promotion and the defence of human rights. It also works on providing research and training of the militants of the different organizations that are parties of the network to spread good knowledge of the concepts specific to the culture of human rights.

Beneficiaries

Mauritanian human rights organizations and society as a whole.

GOAL 7: Promote democratic values and protect civil society space

(116) Promote the enjoyment of democratic values, economic, social and cultural rights, including human rights-based initiatives that help eliminate the conditions conducive to violent extremism.

GOAL 4: Ensure the protection of Human Rights in Counter Terrorism laws

(85) Protect Human Rights Defenders and other civil society actors who are struggling and working for justice, dignity and social change in their societies.

(86) Assist and protect human rights defenders who document all kinds of human rights violations, including those committed by state actors with the purpose of preventing indoctrination.