

THE MANY EXTREMITIES OF A MONSTROUS POLICY

DEFUNDING OF COMPREHENSIVE SERVICE PROVIDERS

- Health facilities provide fewer services
- Clinics increase fees or close
- Women unable to access reproductive health care
- Fewer people in communities are served
- Results in more unintended pregnancies, maternal deaths and abortions

EROSION OF RIGHTS & DEMOCRACY

- Attacks women's autonomy
- Emboldens those targeting women's rights, LGBTQ rights & NGO work
- Impedes participation in coalitions working to liberalize abortion laws
- Usurps authority from local governments
- Dictates how NGOs use private money

TRUMP'S GLOBAL GAG RULE

CENSORSHIP

- Stifles information about legal abortion services
- Suppresses communication and partnerships between NGOs
- Chilling effect leads to over-implementation
- Damages advocacy for positive local policies

NGO BURDEN

- Resources and time diverted to added compliance and monitoring
- Less funding for services
- Fear of losing funding causes paralysis
- Loss of technical assistance

DEVASTATION OF HEALTH SYSTEMS

- Harms integrated care
- Forces cutbacks/layoffs of health workers
- Blocks access to supplies
- Leaves countries vulnerable to pandemics and crises

HARM TO GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT

- Forfeits U.S. leadership in global development
- Diminishes economic potential for individuals and countries
- Threatens global health security

