Commemorating the International day against FGM/C, with the aim of improving girls’ and women’s conditions and gender equality, under the framework of the EU funded project “Evidence into Action- Applied Research & Knowledge Transfer for Management and Prevention of Female Genital Mutilation/Cutting in The Gambia”, and the Catalan Agency for Development, Wassu Gambia Kafo is organizing the II International Forum on FGM/C, sequel to the first one held in Brufut in 2009.

Since then, several achievements have been accomplished, new challenges have arisen and old ones still remain deeply rooted. Following Wassu’s methodology on applied research and knowledge transfer, on a transnational basis of migration, where FGM/C is in Diaspora, the main purpose of the event is to update research, developments and interventions in The Gambia, Africa and Europe for the management and prevention of FGM/C, seeking to contribute to the 5.3 Sustainable Development Goals.

The audience this Forum intends to reach are Health Professionals, Tutors and students of health sciences, lawyers, judges and magistrates, policy makers, legislators, community and religious leaders, youth, etc.