

Project Keshet
**Halting Traffic: Raising Awareness to
Stop the Flow of Sex Slaves Between
the CIS and Israel**

\$10,150

Reduces the influx of women as sex slaves into Israel from the Former Soviet Union by empowering women at the grassroots level through education, advocacy, and legislation; this cutting-edge social action project improves the lives of all women in Israeli society.

*Jerusalem Shelter for Battered
Women*
**Empowering Battered Women to
Break the Cycle of Violence in Their
Lives**
\$13,000

Educates battered women after they leave the shelter, helps their children escape the cycle of violence, and works to prevent further violence through emotional and financial empowerment.

Haifa Rape Crisis Center
Youth Violence Prevention Project
\$5,000

Educates 4th through 12th graders and school professionals on gender issues, sexuality, safe internet use, healthy relationships, and date rape; prevents future therapy and rehabilitation by investing in education.

Kol Ha-Isha-Women's Center
**Comprehensive Program for the
Economic Empowerment of Women
in Israel**

\$15,000 (Renewal Grant)

Empowers Israeli women by giving them the skills and opportunities they need to become economically self-sufficient, break out of the cycle of poverty, and support themselves and their families.

*Yad L'Isha Legal Aid
Center and Hotline*
**Women's Advocacy for Agunot and
Other Women in Distress**
\$10,000 (Renewal Grant)

Advocates for economically disadvantaged women, whose husbands refuse them a get in the rabbinical courts in Israel; raises awareness of the needs of Jewish women trapped in unhealthy and abusive marriages; promotes progressive change for all women under Jewish law.

Nishmat
**Ethiopian Women College
Preparatory Program**
\$20,000 (Matching Grant)

Educates young Ethiopian-Israeli women and provides them the opportunity attend university or professional school, affecting real change in their lives, the lives of their families, their communities, and Israeli society as a whole.

WEPOWER
**Empowerment of Women
into Leadership**
\$10,000

Empowers Israeli women by identifying and supporting female community activists in the early stages of their political lives, giving them the resources and tools to enter politics and win elections; increasing the number of women in leadership and decision-making roles in Israel, enabling women to affect change through political power.

Haifa Rape Crisis Center
**Helping "Survivors" Survive the
Criminal Justice Process**
\$10,000

Creates change in the criminal justice system as a whole through public awareness and education to lawyers, judges, police, and investigators, on how to respond to survivors of sexual violence. Survivors are empowered by reporting their abuse rather than being further traumatized by the experience.

Help us “repair the world” by
improving the lives of Jewish women
and girls in our community and around
the world.

*Jewish Teen Initiative and Temple
Judea Rosh Hodesh: It's A Girl Thing*
\$9,750 (Renewal Grant)

Empowers and prepares Jewish middle and
high school girls in Palm Beach County to
navigate through their adolescent years, using
Jewish values and tradition in an educational
and preventive program that helps them build
self-esteem and reach their full potential.

*Alpert Jewish Family & Children's
Service* **Teens Teaching Teens: Dating
Abuse Prevention Through a Jewish
Lens \$8,240**

Raises awareness about violence against women
in our community through a preventive and
empowering program for teenage girls based on
Jewish values, where girls teach their younger
peers about how to prevent dating abuse.

To find out about how you can become
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Jewish women and girls*