

Can women become equal to men in Pakistan?

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① Introduction:

② Current status of women in Pakistan; not equal to men.

③ Why women cannot become equal to men in Pakistan:

→ Existing structural inequalities at government levels impede women progress in Pakistan.

→ Social and cultural restrictions on women in Pakistan.

→ Existing stereotypes and male dominance in the society.

→ Unequal access of women to education in Pakistan.

→ Lack of health and reproductive rights.

→ Less representation of women at political sphere and decision making.

→ Lack of women empowerment in Pakistan.

→ Structural and institutional violences against women.

→ Economic dependence of women over men in Pakistan.

How can women become equal to men in Pakistan:

→ Introducing various policies on girls

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- levels to incorporate women equality
to women in all spheres of govt
levels
- providing equal access to education, health and employment to women.
 - Ending social and cultural restrictions on women progress.
 - Formulating policies to protect women against gender based violence.
 - providing equal access to women in decision-making and policy formulation of the state.

Conclusion:

In the annals of history, human beings have struggled to assert their status of being, in the society. From the revolution to the lost of votes, the only ambition was to gain their due rights. However, women remained estranged from all the spheres of life. Women were considered as an object to reproduce in the society - a only job of reproduction. Moreover, women were called an evil soul and a witcher by the men. Although, after centuries of oppression, the dim picture of women's fate had turned into a hope of better future by the feminist movements. It has started struggle for women's social, political, and economic rights in the society. As a result, women have progressed in the society, but the question still remains - can women be equal to men? This query is debated in Pakistan.

for decades, but still the status of women is not equal to men. There are a lot of chains on women's feet that hinder women progress. For instance, existing structural inequalities, social and cultural restrictions, existing male dominance, lack of women representation, economic dependence over men, and unequal access to resources. However, by introducing certain reforms women status can become equal to men in Pakistan; changes in structural policies of govt, incorporation of women in governmental levels, equal access to education, protection against violence, quality education, proper health facilities, and incorporate women in decision making. In short, by above means the status of women can be enhanced and women in Pakistan can become equal to men but it needs dedication at state levels.