

## **Mercy Global Action Launches the Mercy Justice Advocacy Guide**

The team at Mercy Global Action will launch their flagship Mercy Justice Advocacy Guide on the 24 of September 2023 (Mercy Day). This Guide is a culmination of years of learning, research and experience working with grassroots organisations as well as institutional players at the United Nations. The Guide is aimed at anyone interested or engaged in justice advocacy, particularly those working through a Mercy lens. It is appropriate for a wide viewership, including ministry and congregational leaders, activists and students. Importantly, the Guide includes interviews with a number of people from across Mercy World who hold tangible experience of advocating for social and environmental justice at different levels. There is a deep dive on the Mercy Justice Advocacy Framework created by Srs Angela Reed and Áine O'Connor, as well as plenty of practical tools, case studies, templates and evaluation methods.

Angela Read, Head of MGA states “I celebrate that this publication is a contribution that the Mercy World makes to the often hidden impact of advocacy work. It is, of course, not the final word on advocacy, but we can continue to celebrate our contribution to making our world a better place for earth and people. In celebration then, I offer this publication in the hope that it may inspire others to recognise that they are indeed advocates whether working at the grassroots level to make changes at the local level or whether working on policy at the national or global level”.

Please look out for more details on this Guide as it is launched on Instagram @MIAGlobalAction, the MGA newsletter and the Mercy World website.