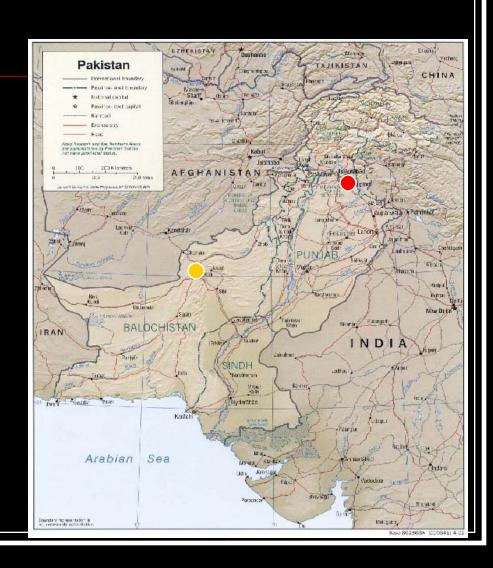
Putting the Gender into GBV

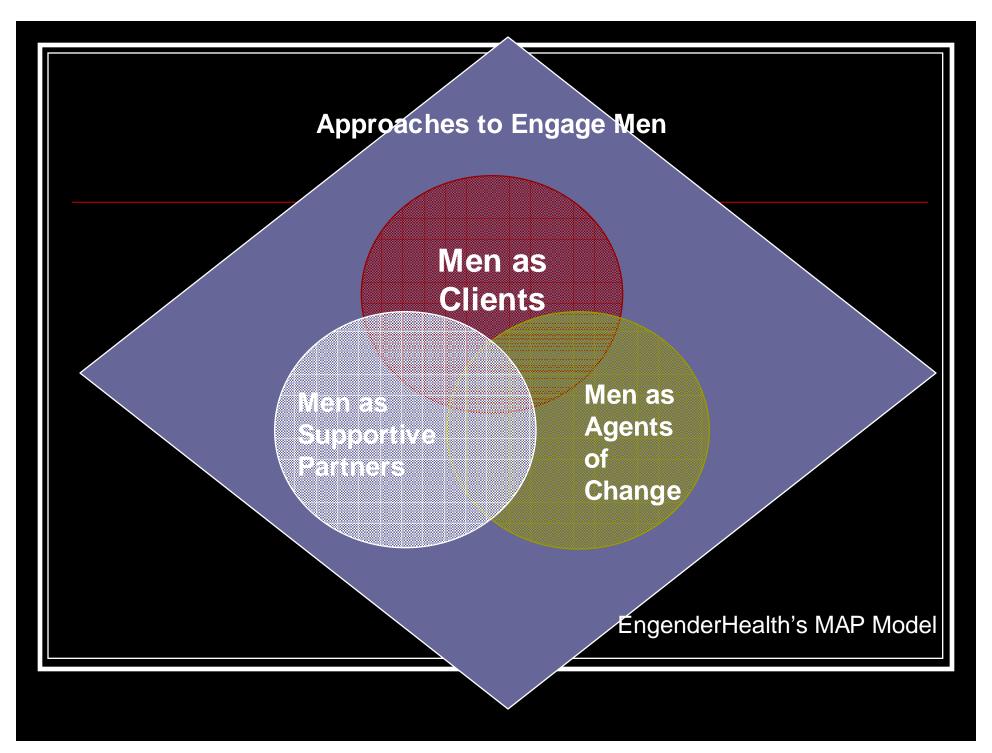
Engaging Men and Boys among the Afghan Refugee Community in Pakistan



Context

- Baluchistan Province since 2002
- Afghan refugees-170,000
- Camp based
- Primary and Reproductive Health
- RH includes GBV







Men as Clients

- Men are encouraged to use ARC services to decrease health and RH complications for their partners and to improve their own health.
- Men/boys sought services (small number).
- Awareness raising for men on services.
- ARC provider training to respond to male clients.

Clients





Mentas Suppositor Parases

- Men can be positive influences.
- Men pay a major role in decisionmaking, planning and resource allocation.
- ARC view's men as allies and resources in women's development.

Men as Partners





Men as Agents of Change

- Men on ARC staff:
 - Training on gender norms that put women and men at risk. Master trainers
 - Training on SEA for all staff
- Men in the Community:
 - Curriculum, where men examine gender norms their negative affects on families. Men then develop healthier alternatives.

Men as Change Agents



Challenges

- Behaviour Change Challenges
- Challenging Environment
- Honour/obligation and sense of duty
- Sexual abuse of young boys unacknowledged
- Access to the female population

Successes

- Male MasterTrainers
- Engaging elders
- Links to Islam
- Youth



Conclusion

