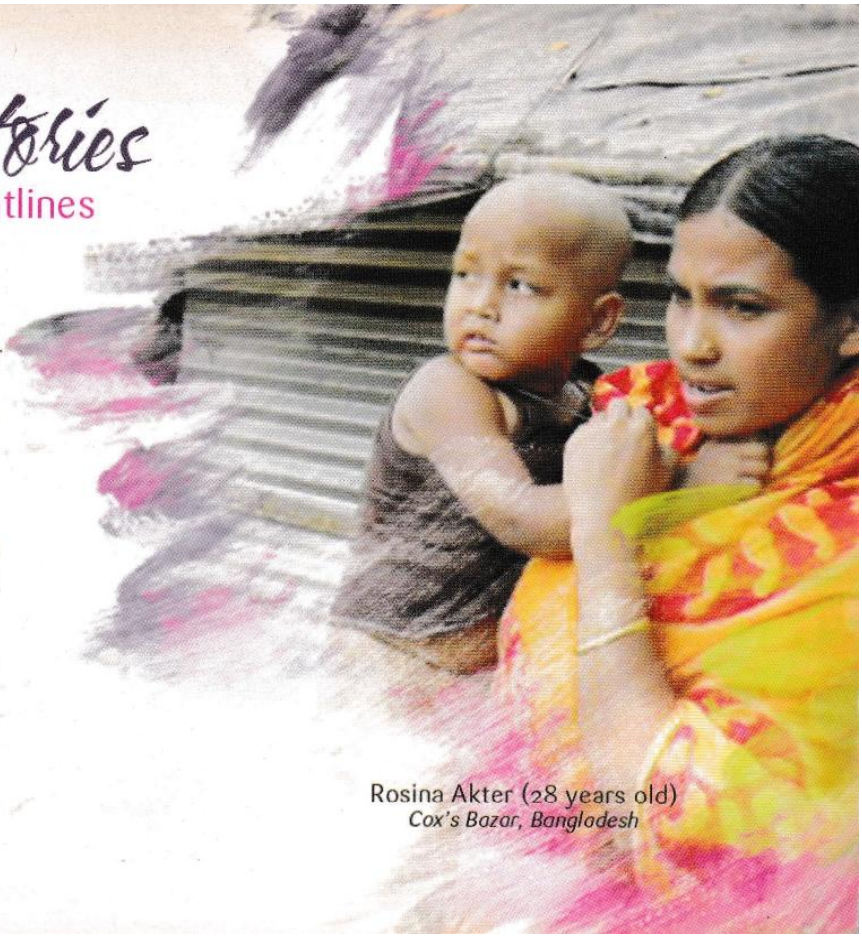
Women's Stories

from the Climate Frontlines

In Bangladesh, climate change is causing frequent and intense climate disasters in the form of floods, which have consequently led to increased exposure to contaminated water in affected communities. During the aftermath of a particularly devastating flood, 28-year-old Rosina Akter from Cox's Bazar, who was at the time pregnant with her second child, had little choice but to consume unsafe drinking water. Her second child was later born with disabilities. Doctors confirmed this was a direct result from being exposed to contaminated water in utero. Climate change is undeniably affecting women's sexual and reproductive health and rights (SRHR). Rosina's story is one of the many stories that reveal the urgent need to prioritise women's SRHR in disaster management and relief responses, as the consequence of not doing so can be intergenerationally devastating.



Rosina Akter (28 years old)
Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh

Women demand the fulfilment of their sexual and reproductive health and rights (SRHR) in the face of climate change.

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