



General questions

1. What problems can you identify in this story? Are solutions presented?
2. In what way might this story be relevant in your community?

Further exploration

1. Can you think of a problem in your community that might be addressed by trying to shift attitudes on a wide scale ?
2. Why has Molly Melching been successful where so many others have failed?
3. Melching compares the shift in attitudes toward FGM to the shift in America's social perception of smoking. What are some similarities and differences between those two examples?
4. Are there other harmful social attitudes that Tostan's method might be effective in changing? How so?