



**1.4.1 - Does your university as a body provide assistance in the local community supporting the start-up of financially and socially sustainable businesses through relevant education or resources? (e.g. mentorship programmes, training workshops, access to university facilities)?**

The projects developed by our students and researchers within the Imam Ja'afar Al-Sadiq University turn into social benefits through their implementation in the areas needed by society, within the scope of cooperation between the university and industry in partnership with official institutions and non-profit institutions. There is also a special section in each college for extra-curricular student activities, where a number of willing and interested students are selected from all scientific departments to carry out volunteer work within the university.

The Continuing Education Center at the university has also conducted many seminars and training courses aimed at raising awareness among women on how to take advantage of modern technology to support the start of financially and socially sustainable businesses.

The university has also held a lot of activities aimed at teaching women in sewing and other handicrafts. Furthermore, workshops targeted at preventing violence against women were organized by university formations.



