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CHIME THROUGH THE YEARS

“CORONA #IRL” BY GLOBALGIRL MEDIA

CHIME FOR CHANGE Through the Years: The Female Fabric is a series curated by CHIME Managing Editor Mariane Pearl featuring stories from the CHIME journalism platform archives by women around the world.



GlobalGirl Media mobilized its reporter alumna base to produce a video series documenting COVID-19 from young women’s point of view, titled Corona #IRL (In Real Life). The full impact of these times cannot be documented without the perspective of our youth, especially those from under-reported populations and regions.

Discover three films from the video series below.

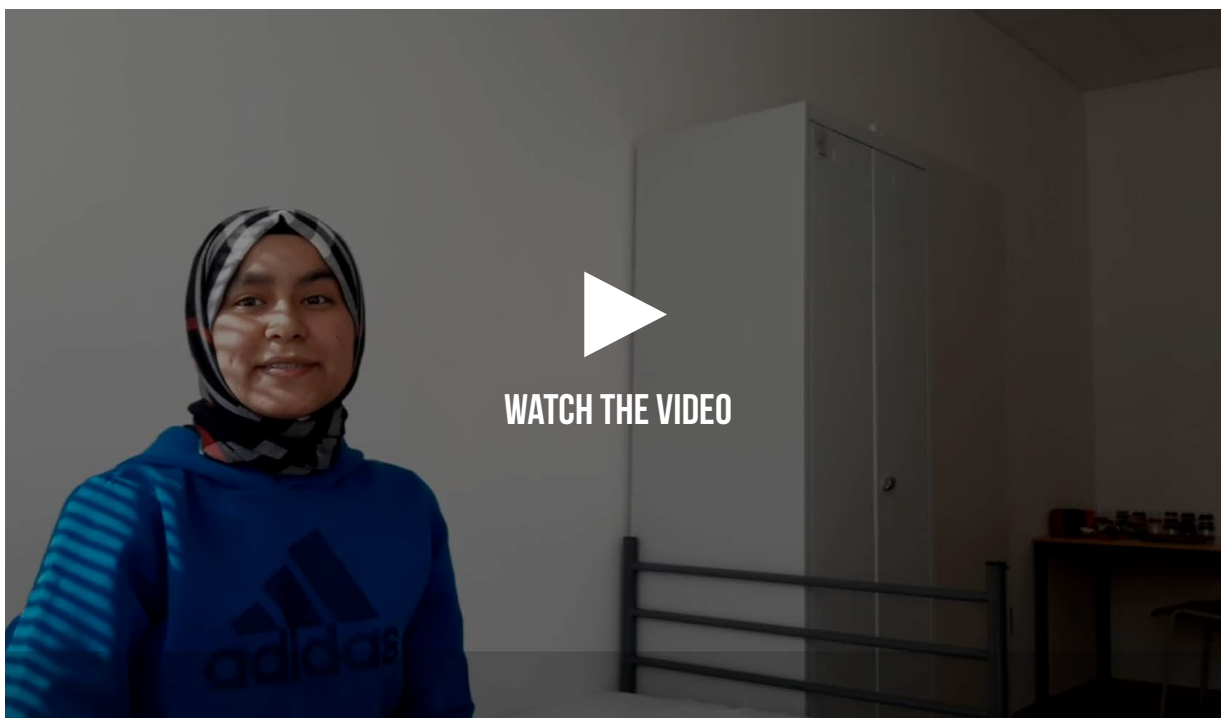
Hiyab – Los Angeles

Taking part in the nationwide racial justice protests against police brutality, violence and murder which grew out of the COVID-19 pandemic response and how it highlighted racial inequities. Hiyab shares how difficult this moment in history is for young black women. "Their leadership has given me hope, has given me healing."



Aryan – Afghanistan

Aryan, a 15-year-old refugee from Afghanistan, tries to shoot her living center in Berlin but is not allowed to show the crowded conditions, with many refugees coming and going, how hard it is to maintain social distance. When her family is moved to a remote location in the midst of the COVID-19 lockdown, she wonders what her future holds.



Karmen – Chicago

Karmen is a single mom trying to balance motherhood, online classes, and parenting a toddler... all while dealing with COVID-19. Her story is relatable for young mothers everywhere.

