

# UNFPA UKRAINE

GBV PROGRAMME NEWSLETTER

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## ALMOST 5 000 GBV SURVIVORS RECEIVED AVON'S CHARITABLE ASSISTANCE

Valentyna is one of them.

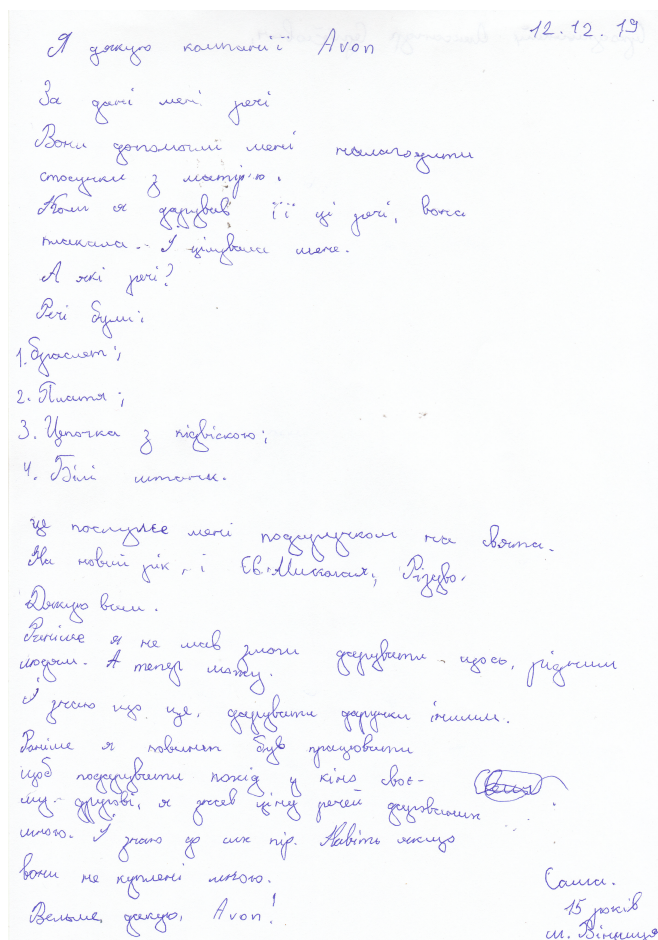
She barely held back tears. The woman could not believe her happiness, because last week during the consultation the psychologist told her that our thoughts needed to be voiced so that the universe could hear them.

"I laughed, but through tears voiced my dream. Now, holding all these things, I realize what the psychologist meant. I could never get such good and expensive items on my own, I couldn't even dream of them, I really needed new shoes and I did not know how to find money".

A week later at the next meeting, the woman said: "If you only saw how happy my daughter was, how she cried from happiness and so did I with her. It helped us to step forward with faith".

In November 2019, UNFPA received AVON's charitable assistance — clothing, shoes and accessories worth more than \$ 416,000. These items were donated to domestic violence survivors via PSS mobile teams, shelters and day care centres.

## "WHEN I GAVE THE PRESENTS TO MY MUM - SHE CRIED"



Letter of thanks from 15-year-old boy, Sasha

# SAVE THE DATE!



## 20-21 FEBRUARY 2020 INTERNATIONAL FORUM "ON THE WAY TO ZERO GBV IN UKRAINE"

The International Forum aims to review progress in developing a robust national system of GBV response and prevention and discuss national strategy of meeting Nairobi Summit commitment of achieving Zero GBV by 2030.



Review lessons learned from development and implementation of GBV response and prevention policy at the national and regional levels.



Present best practice in GBV response and prevention work, including services provision models, multi-sectoral response and coordination.



Discuss strategic directions for further development of GBV response and prevention systems at the national, regional and local levels and develop vision of the national strategy for making Ukraine free from gender-based violence by 2030.

## UPCOMING EVENTS (UNFPA)

### WORKSHOPS

24-25.02.2020	Kyiv	GBV MSR Workshop for multisectoral teams from Kyiv
24-25.02.2020	Lviv	GBV MSR Workshop for multisectoral teams from Lviv region
27-28.02.2020	Kryvyi Rih	GBV MSR Workshop for multisectoral teams from Kryvyi Rih
27-28.02.2020	Kharkiv	GBV MSR Workshop for multisectoral teams from Kharkiv

### SUBCLUSTER MEETING

25-27.02.2020 Kramatorsk-Sieverodonetsk



# UPCOMING EVENTS (IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS)

10.11.2020	Kyiv	2 day Workshop for new MTs (ATO training) Workshop for PSS MTs on community-based work: creation of community based early warning and “community safeguards” system based on the developed curriculum
11.02.2020-13.02.2020	Mariupol	Workshop for PSS MTs on community-based work: creation of community based early warning and “community safeguards” system based on the developed curriculum
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12.02.2020	Mykolaiv	1 day MSR Workshop (police, social services, health) on health system response to GBV
13.02.2020	Kherson	1 day MSR Workshop (police, social services, health) on health system response to GBV
17-18.02.2020	Mykolaiv	2 day Workshop for new MTs (ATO training)
17.02.2020-21.02.2020	Mariupol	Workshops for community/family advisors in 5 target
24.02.2020-28.02.2020	Mariupol	Workshops for community/family advisors in 5 target
24-25.02.2020	Vinnytsia (tbc)	2 day Workshop for new MTs 1 day MSR Workshop (police, social services, health) on health system response to GBV
25-26.02.2020	Mykolaiv	1 day MSR Workshop (police, social services, health) on health system response to GBV
26-27.02.2020	Poltava (tbc)	2 day Workshop for new MTs
26-27.02.2020	Kyiv	2 day Workshop for shelter staff
27-28.02.2020 (tbc)	Kyiv	Workshop for national Hotline 1545 operators 1 day MSR Workshop (police, social services, health) on health system response to GBV
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