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ADDRESSING AND PREVENTING GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE AND MENTAL TRAUMA

Services in operation:



100

Psychosocial support mobile teams in Ukraine



5

Survivor relief centres



24

UNFPA-supported specialized facilities for GBV survivors



37

Service delivery points



16

Other services for vulnerable women (career hubs, "Vilna" women friendly spaces)

Type of service	Reporting period*	Since March 2022
People who sought help at survivor relief centres	710	7,564
People who received psychosocial services from the hotline	1,308	16,946
People who received psychosocial counselling of psychosocial mobile teams to address GBV cases	2,127	14,562
Men who received professional mental health counselling via the men's helpline	254	975
People who downloaded mobile application for GBV survivors	571	8,000

^{*}Individuals may receive multiple services.



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ENSURING SAFE BIRTH, REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AND THE RESILIENCE OF YOUNG PEOPLE

Services in operation:



19 Sexual and reproductive health (SRH) mobile clinics in Ukraine



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Mobile maternity unit

Type of service	Reporting period*	Since March 2022
Women and girls who have accessed SRH services from mobile clinics or mobile maternity units	3,689	16,559
Women who have received dignity kits and essential packs	-	33,804
Inter-agency reproductive health kits delivered to maternity hospitals	-	104 tons

LATEST NEWS FROM UNFPA IN UKRAINE:

- ◆ People in Donetsk Oblast require assistance with evacuation from dangerous areas. Displaced people request a wide range of legal, social and psychological services and also help to find places to stay and employment in new communities. To meet these needs, UNFPA and UNDP have partnered with the "Slavic Heart" Charity Fund and the "MARTIN Club" NGO to open the "Zatyshok" Anti-Crisis Transit Hub for internally displaced people in Dnipro.
- ◆ There are five survivor relief centres operating in Ukraine including a newly opened centre in Chernivtsi to provide comprehensive social and psychological support to people who have left zones of active hostilities and/or temporarily occupied territories. Read more about the centre in Chernivtsi.
- When the Government of Ukraine lost control of the city of Kherson, social workers carried on with their work. A shelter for survivors of domestic violence continued to operate so that women and girls could receive essential assistance during the occupation. However, the shelter was looted before the city returned to the control of the Government of Ukraine. Read about how social workers in Kherson continued providing assistance when the city was temporarily occupied.

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H.E. Ambassador of Canada to Ukraine, Larisa Galadza-Kronin, visited Uzhhorod to see how the system for response to, and prevention of, GBV works and how mobile teams provide social and psychological assistance to survivors of violence. She held a meeting with the Deputy Mayor of Uzhhorod, Vadym Borets, the Assistant Representative of UNFPA in Ukraine, Pavlo Zamostian, and with representatives from the mobile teams.



UNFPA UKRAINE FUNDING STATUS (AS OF 31 JANUARY)

- ♦ In 2023, UNFPA Ukraine launched its emergency appeal for US\$70.1 million. This will provide support for life-saving reproductive health and GBV interventions to address the needs of women and girls in Ukraine.
- ◆ As of 31 January, the UNFPA Appeal for Ukraine was 39 percent funded, which includes funds committed for ongoing projects started in 2022. This includes support from the USAID's Bureau for Humanitarian Assistance (BHA), Australia, the United Kingdom, France, Norway, Korea, Denmark, CERF, Spain, Finland, Belgium the EU (DG-ECHO, DG-NEAR), Netherlands, Ireland, OCHA-Ukraine Humanitarian Fund, Japan, Sweden, Canada, Iceland, Estonia, Czech Republic and the UN Partnership to Promote the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNPRPD) and Portugal.
- UNFPA is also grateful to our donors for contributing to the essential core resources that ensure programmes are delivered in a predictable and sustainable manner.



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INTER-AGENCY COORDINATION

GBV Sub-Cluster (GBV SC)

- ◆ There are 19 regional Working Groups coordinating the humanitarian response to GBV: in Rivne, Volyn, Dnipropetrovsk, Chernihiv, Vinnytsia, Kherson, Ivano-Frankivsk, Kyiv, Cherkasy, Odesa, Zhytomyr, Chernivtsi, Zakarpattia, Lviv, Kharkiv, Kirovograd, Mykolaiv, Ternopil and Sumy Oblasts.
- ◆ In January, regional meetings were organized in Kharkiv, Odesa, Kirovograd and Ivano-Frankivsk Oblasts to coordinate the humanitarian response to GBV. The main priorities of the GBV Sub-Cluster in 2023 information about available GBV services to be included in the referral system in the region and GBV safety audits were among the main issues discussed during the meetings.
- On 25 January, a national GBV Sub-Cluster coordination meeting was held. During the meeting, participants discussed the outcome of the 2022 Flash Appeal. Vinnytsia, Poltava, Kyiv and Odesa Sub-National Coordination Hubs informed the GBV SC members about their regional activities including the GBV risk prevention/mitigation action plan in collective centres and the outcome of the first working group meeting on the needs of male survivors.

Sexual, Reproductive, Maternal and Child Health Technical Working Group (SRMCH TWG)

- In January, the SRH TWG held a meeting to discuss how the 2023 strategy should align with the Humanitarian Response Plan. Members of the working group presented their current activities, described challenges and shared good practices. The group agreed that it is vital to discuss planned activities to avoid service duplications. To cover existing gaps, the joint needs assessment will be discussed at upcoming meetings.
- During their meeting, the Clinical Management of Rape (CMR) Sub-Working Group agreed on the importance of training SRH TWG partners in CMR. In January, UNFPA, in cooperation with the "Woman Health & Family Planning" Charity Foundation trained 777 primary health-care staff to establish a pool of certified trainers to facilitate the integration of CMR into the work of international and national partner organizations.