OUR PARTNERSHIP

An ally in responding to humanitarian crises

Core funding provides UNFPA with the flexibility to plan ahead and respond to emerging crises. As one of UNFPA's top humanitarian donors, the United Kingdom helps deliver life-saving aid, sexual and reproductive health services, and gender-based violence prevention, protection, and response services to vulnerable women and girls in places such as Afghanistan, the Occupied Palestinian Territory, and Ukraine.

A long-term partner with a lasting impact

The UK has been a leading donor to UNFPA for many years. This investment supports the UK's commitment to advancing the rights and choices of women and girls worldwide. The UK has been an indispensable partner in programmes aimed at ending child marriage and eliminating harmful practices, such as female genital mutilation, so girls can continue their education and realize their full potential.

Provider of life-saving supplies

In 2024, the UK maintained its position as the top donor to the UNFPA Supplies Partnership, which provides critical maternal health medicines in many of the world's lowest-income countries. Between 2008 and 2020, the programme is estimated to have prevented 89 million unintended pregnancies, 1.6 million child deaths, and 254,000 maternal deaths.



ABOUT UNFPA

UNFPA is the United Nations sexual and reproductive health agency. Our mission is to deliver a world where every pregnancy is wanted, every childbirth is safe and every young person's potential is fulfilled.

All UNFPA funding is voluntary – we rely on partners and donors like you to champion our mission and support our programmes!

Our three transformative results:



end preventable maternal deaths



end the unmet need for family planning



end gender-based violence and all harmful practices

Read more about the United Kingdom and UNFPA engagement on UNFPA's website:





UNFPA and the United Kingdom

A partnership for women and girls

The United Kingdom's support to UNFPA means more women and girls worldwide are empowered to realize their full potential while being shielded from violence and harm.

Discover how the United Kingdom is making an impact.



RESULTS FOR RESOURCES IN 2024

1,660,900 unintended pregnancies prevented

3,600 maternal deaths averted

697,000 unsafe abortions prevented

1,323,000

women and young people reached with sexual and reproductive health services



637,800

sexually transmitted infections prevented by providing female and male condoms

6,957,300

years of protection provided from unintended pregnancy

14,600

HIV infections prevented by providing female and male condoms



Key results are illustrative only and reflect a calculation based on the donor's contribution proportionally to UNFPA's overall results.



980,700

marginalized girls reached by life skills programmes



26,600

girls saved from female genital mutilation

