YEMEN

18.8 MILLION People in need

10.3 MILLION People in acute need

People lack access to basic health services

11.3 MILLION People in need of protection

8.8 MILLION People targeted for life-saving interventions with acute needs

2.2 MILLION Women of girls of reproductive age

352,000 Pregnant Women

52,285

Women of reproductive age at risk of sexual violence, including rape

2016 BENEFICIARIES OVERVIEW

1 million reached with reproductive health and gender-based violence services
GBV services beneficiaries: 6,800
Dignity kits beneficiaries: 80,000
Reproductive health services beneficiaries: 54,340
Family planning beneficiaries: 740,000
Mobile clinic beneficiaries: 120,000
Obstetric equipment: 133 hospitals

UNFPA, the United Nations Population Fund believes that every Yemeni women and girl has the right to have access to reproductive health care and be effectively protected from gender-based violence. In partnership with local actors on the ground, we are scaling up our efforts to improve the lives of Yemeni women and girls, enabling them to cope with and recover from the crisis.

CHALLENGES

- Lack of humanitarian access to conflict affected areas
- Difficulties in obtaining life-saving medical supplies into Yemen due to air and sea blockades
- Difficulty in organizing services for reproductive health and gender-based violence in conflict areas due to damaged or non-operating health structures, limited movement of partners and limited transportation of supplies to health facilities



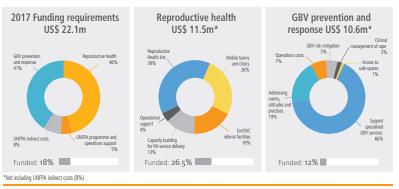
UNFPA RESPONSE TO THE YEMEN CRISIS

UNFPA STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES TO RESPOND TO THE CRISIS Reproductive Health

- Providing life-saving reproductive health drugs, supplies and equipment to health facilities
- Mobile medical teams and clinics providing reproductive health services that include safe deliveries, in remote conflict-affected areas, including referral of complicated deliveries
- Providing family planning methods to health facilities and mobile clinics
- Improving capacities of health providers and scaling up of needed human resources for service provision at the community level
- Establishing reproductive health information management system
- Supporting the development of a national Reproductive Health Strategy 2017-2021
- Supporting re-establishment of the reproductive health supply chain management
- Supporting reproductive health coordination mechanism through the RH Inter-Agency Working Group under the health cluster

Gender-based Violence Prevention and Response

- Providing medical supplies including post-rape treatment kits for survivors of gender-based violence in the clinical management of rape and treatment of sexually transmitted infections
- Providing services to respond to gender-based violence include psycho-social support, legal aid, access to safe houses and referrals to health and other services
- Distributing dignity kits, containing menstrual and personal hygiene items
- Engaging men and boys to address gender-based violence at community level
- Strengthening GBV Information and Management System
- Community awareness on issues of gender-based violence and available gender-based violence services
- Establishing referral pathways, protocols and improving capacities and safe access to resources, support services and livelihoods opportunities for survivors of gender-based violence
- Leading the coordination of gender-based violence response



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