While Benin remains a poor country, the Government is committed to poverty reduction, especially among vulnerable populations. Maternal mortality rates are high, for reasons including insufficient emergency obstetric and newborn care, and a high unmet need for family planning. UNFPA supports programmes to improve services in both areas and expand reproductive health care specific to adolescents and youth. It helps strengthen statistical information systems as well as national capacities to manage and coordinate population programmes. Support for gender equality includes initiatives to prevent and respond to violence against women.

**KEY RESULTS ACHIEVED IN 2018**

**FISTULA TREATMENT**
148 Fistula repair surgeries provided with the support of UNFPA

**MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICES PACKAGE**
80 Health service providers and managers were trained on the minimum initial service package

**LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMMES FOR GIRLS**
9,950 Marginalized girls were reached with health, social and economic asset-building programmes

**FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION**
20 Girls and women received, with support from UNFPA, prevention, protection services, and/or care related to female genital mutilation

**COMMUNITY DECLARATIONS ON HARMFUL PRACTICES**
15 Communities made public declarations to eliminate harmful practices, with support from UNFPA, including child, early and forced marriage and female genital mutilation

**ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS**
207 Women and girls who were subjected to violence have accessed the essential services package

**CENSUS DISAGGREGATION**
Census results disaggregated by age and sex were available and publicly accessible online

**LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM**
470 health facilities experienced zero stock-outs in the most recent six-month period (exceeding the goal of 443)

**ADVOCACY PLATFORMS AGAINST HARMFUL SOCIAL NORMS**
14 communities developed advocacy platforms to eliminate discriminatory gender and sociocultural norms which affect women and girls

**CHILD, EARLY AND FORCED MARRIAGE**
103 girls received, with support from UNFPA, prevention, protection services, and/or care related to child, early, and forced marriage

**ADOLESCENT FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES**
45,312 adolescents and youth received services for reproductive health/family planning/HIV

**SCHOOL-BASED COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION**
Comprehensive sexuality education was integrated into nationwide teacher training
Organizational effectiveness
$0.00 (0.0%)
Organizational effectiveness and efficiency, with improved programming for results and partnership coordination.

Analysis on population dynamics
$457,057.29 (9.3%)
Everyone, everywhere, is counted, and accounted for, in the pursuit of sustainable development.

Integrated sexual and reproductive health services
$2,476,606.87 (50.4%)
Every woman, adolescent and youth everywhere, especially those furthest behind, has utilized integrated sexual and reproductive health services and exercised reproductive rights, free of coercion, discrimination and violence.

Gender equality
$603,048.93 (12.3%)
Gender equality, the empowerment of all women and girls, and reproductive rights are advanced in development and humanitarian settings.

Adolescents and youth
$1,375,061.06 (28.0%)
Every adolescent and youth, in particular adolescent girls, is empowered to have access to sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights, in all contexts, with consideration for their active participation and leadership.

Total Spending:
$2,476,607
Implemented by:
UNFPA $1,981,992 (80%)
NGO $204,351 (8%)
Gov $229,531 (9%)
UN agencies $60,733 (2%)
Fund by:
Core Resources (43%)
Non-core Resources (57%)

Total Spending:
$603,049
Implemented by:
UNFPA $126,154 (21%)
NGO $303,122 (50%)
Gov $173,773 (29%)
Fund by:
Core Resources (19%)
Non-core Resources (81%)

Total Spending:
$0.00
Implemented by:
Fund by:

Total Spending:
$457,057
Implemented by:
UNFPA $340,294 (74%)
Gov $72,616 (16%)
UN agencies $44,148 (10%)
Fund by:
Core Resources (85%)
Non-core Resources (15%)

Total Spending:
$1,375,061
Implemented by:
UNFPA $95,704 (7%)
NGO $754,382 (55%)
Gov $507,830 (37%)
UN agencies $17,146 (1%)
Fund by:
Core Resources (0%)
Non-core Resources (100%)

TECHNICAL NOTES AND SOURCES

Key Achievement Results as of December 2018. Emergency Key Results for 2018 as of May 2019. Data for the Emergency Key Results will be updated on the UNFPA website on a rolling basis as it becomes available from reporting countries. For most up to date data access the online results portal.