

CONGO 2018



Buffeted by humanitarian crises, the Republic of Congo has a weak health system and a high maternal death rate, even though trained personnel attend most births. To accelerate development, the Government is committed to free maternal and child health care as well as gender equality, both goals supported by UNFPA. Active in the country since 1972, UNFPA has helped reduce maternal mortality, increase contraceptive prevalence and lessen HIV/AIDS rates. Current programmes focus on better health for mothers and newborns, including in indigenous communities. They promote family planning, and reproductive and sexual health education for young people.

KEY RESULTS ACHIEVED IN 2018



ADOLESCENT FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

Quality assured, adolescent-friendly sexual and reproductive health services were provided in at least 25 per cent of public health facilities



MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICES PACKAGE

43 Health service providers and managers were trained on the minimum initial service package



LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMMES FOR GIRLS

12,596 Marginalized girls were reached with health, social and economic asset-building programmes



MULTI-SECTOR PLATFORMS

Platforms were established for dialogue on reproductive rights, fully engaging civil society, including faith-based and state actors



ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

552 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



SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH COORDINATION BODY DURING CRISIS

During a humanitarian crisis, a functioning inter-agency sexual and reproductive health coordination body was in place



YOUTH PARTICIPATION IN HUMANITARIAN RESPONSE

During a humanitarian crisis, young people were included in decision-making mechanisms in all phases of humanitarian response



INDIGENOUS WOMEN

210 indigenous pregnant women were visited at home for prenatal checks








GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE IN EMERGENCIES




355 victims of gender-based violence in humanitarian situations received lifesaving services

EMERGENCIES KEY RESULTS

PEOPLE REACHED

-  UNFPA-assisted safe deliveries **746**
-  Affected population reached with Adolescent SRH **2,001**
-  Affected population reached with family planning services **342**
-  GBV survivors reached **105**
-  Women and girls accessing services provided through Service Delivery Points (SDPs) that are equipped with Post-Rape Kits **35**

SERVICES DELIVERED

-  Number of Dignity Kits distributed **50**
-  Safe spaces supported by UNFPA (includes women's, girls' and youth spaces) **1**
-  Maternity health facilities/tents/homes operationalized with UNFPA support **2**

CAPACITY STRENGTHENED

PROGRAMME ACTIVITIES

Integrated sexual and reproductive health services

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.

Total Spending:	\$863,408
Implemented by:	UNFPA \$749,272 (87%) NGO \$85,090 (10%) Gov \$29,046 (3%)
Funded by:	Core Resources (51%) Non-core Resources (49%)

Adolescents and youth

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:	\$206,028
Implemented by:	UNFPA \$184,180 (89%) Gov \$21,848 (11%)
Funded by:	Core Resources (76%) Non-core Resources (24%)

Gender equality

Gender equality, the empowerment of all women and girls, and reproductive rights are advanced in development and humanitarian settings.

Total Spending:	\$266,751
Implemented by:	UNFPA \$184,616 (69%) NGO \$21,198 (8%) Gov \$60,936 (23%)
Funded by:	Core Resources (2%) Non-core Resources (98%)

Organizational effectiveness

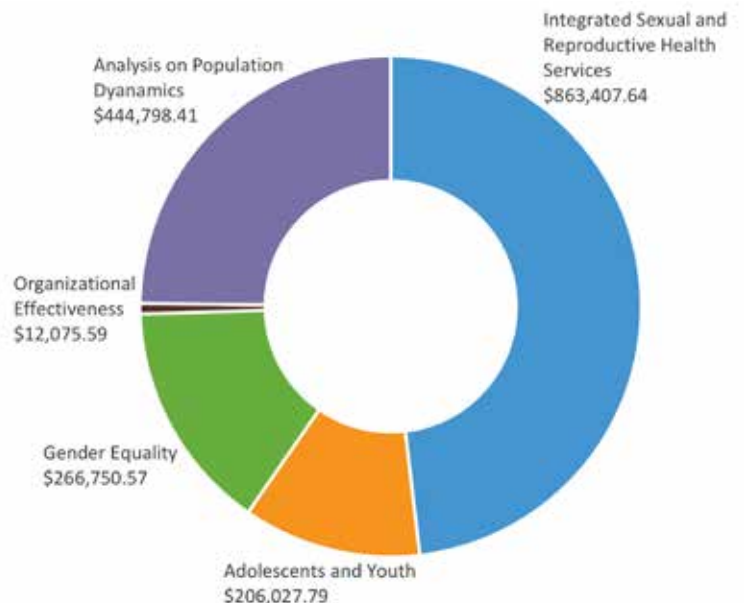
Organizational effectiveness and efficiency, with improved programming for results and partnership coordination.

Total Spending:	\$12,076
Implemented by:	UNFPA \$12,076 (100%)
Funded by:	Core Resources (36%) Non-core Resources (64%)

Analysis on population dynamics

Everyone, everywhere, is counted, and accounted for, in the pursuit of sustainable development.

Total Spending:	\$444,798
Implemented by:	UNFPA \$402,309 (90%) Gov \$42,490 (10%)
Funded by:	Core Resources (85%) Non-core Resources (15%)



TECHNICAL NOTES AND SOURCES