

# **2022 ORANGE**BOOK OF RESULTS

# **Key Results Achieved** at the Country Level

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# **BACKGROUND**

In 2022, UNFPA embarked on the first year of implementing the second of three consecutive strategic plans that calls for the acceleration of the three transformative results: (i) ending the unmet need for family planning; (ii) ending preventable maternal deaths; and (iii) ending gender-based violence and all harmful practices. UNFPA has operationalized six interconnected outputs to accelerate the achievement of the three transformative results: (i) policy and accountability; (ii) quality of care and services; (iii) gender and social norms; (iv) population change and data; (v) humanitarian action; and (vi) adolescents and youth.

UNFPA remains committed to strengthening transparency and accountability as key principles achieving the outcome and outputs results of the strategic plan. The 2022 Orange Book of Results consists of over 700 output level immediate results achieved during 2022 within 119 offices and 2 sub regional offices in partnerships with governments, civil society organizations and women- and youth-led organizations. The trends of the outcome level indicators can be accessed through the population data portal of UNFPA.

The results included in the 2022 Orange Book of Results can be read as a compendium of the 2022 Executive Director Annual Report of the implementation of the strategic plan, 2022-2025.

# **FOREWORD**

# by the Deputy Executive Director



Diene Keita
Deputy Executive
Director (Programme)

During 2022, UNFPA programmes began implementing the second of three consecutive strategic plans. This second plan calls for the acceleration of the three transformative results: (i) ending the unmet need for family planning, (ii) ending preventable maternal deaths and (iii) ending gender-based violence and all harmful practices against women and girls, including child marriage and female genital mutilation.

During a year of compounding global crises that disproportionately affected women and girls, including those related to conflict, COVID-19, climate change and the global economy, UNFPA programmes worked on the front lines of

the fight for sexual and reproductive health and rights. Key results achieved across UNFPA programme countries in 2022 include 1.4 million safe deliveries assisted in 39 humanitarian-affected countries and 111,425 girls saved from female genital mutilation.

These key results and others achieved by UNFPA country programmes in 2022 and every day would not be possible without our implementing partners, to whom we are grateful for their commitment and continued collaboration to translate our transformative vision into transformative action in more than 150 countries.

We would also like to extend our gratitude to United Nations Member States that continue to prioritize not only sexual and reproductive health and rights but also the acceleration of programmes and funding to achieve the three transformative results by 2030.

The 2022 Orange Book of Results offers a snapshot of our momentum, progress and unwavering commitment to the millions of people served by UNFPA across the world. Let us reflect on an ambitious 2022 and be inspired by the country-level results generated by UNFPA and our partners to continue endeavouring to realize the three transformative results in 2023.

# MESSAGE FROM THE POLICY AND STRATEGY DIVISION DIRECTOR



Arthur Erken
Policy and Strategy
Division Director

As an agency focused on results-based management, UNFPA is committed to delivering transparent results and demonstrating our commitment to adaptation, partnership and learning as an organization.

The 2022 Orange Book of Results features a selection of results achieved at the level of the six interconnected outputs of the Strategic Plan 2022–2025: (i) policy and accountability, (ii) quality of care and services, (iii) gender and social norms, (iv) population change and data, (v) humanitarian action, and (vi) adolescents and youth.

To achieve results at the output level, country programmes applied six accelerators to their activities in 2022: (i) human rights-based and gender-transformative approaches; (ii) innovation and digitalization; (iii) partnerships, South-South and triangular cooperation, and financing; (iv) data and evidence; (v) the principles of leaving no one behind and reaching the furthest behind first; and (vi) resilience and adaptation, and complementarity among development, humanitarian and peace-responsive efforts.

Included in this book are results from the six regions where UNFPA delivers its programmes: the Arab States, Asia and the Pacific, Eastern Europe and Central Asia, East and Southern Africa, Latin America and the Caribbean, and West and Central Africa. In addition to offering transparency on and accountability for the work of UNFPA in 119 country programmes and 2 multi-country programmes, the 2022 Orange Book of Results also functions as a mechanism for knowledge sharing on successes across countries.

While this Orange Book could not capture all of the results achieved by our country programmes during 2022, it offers a glimpse of the strides made by UNFPA around the world to accelerate the achievement of the three transformative results by 2030. With this in mind, I invite you to visit our results portal and the individual country office websites (links to which are provided in this book) for further reading, including on the detailed stories of the hard work behind country-level results.

As sources of evidence-driven information and inspiration, I hope that the 2022 Orange Book of Results and results portal will guide adaptive decision-making and foresight-driven work to accelerate the achievement of the three transformative results and ensure that no one is left behind.

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Jordan

Lebanon

Libya

Morocco

Oman

Somalia

State of Palestine

Sudan

Syrian Arab Republic

Tunisia

Yemen





#### **MATERNAL DEATH** NOTIFICATION



# QUALITY OF CARE



#### COMMUNICATION TRAINING

The maternal death audit system was strengthened The reference framework for the clinical care of women victims of violence was developed

50 officials from the Ministry of Youth and Sports were trained in communication techniques regarding non-violence



# CENSUS



### YOUTH-FRIENDLY **SERVICES**



### **MATERNAL DEATH NOTIFICATION**

The capacities of the National Office of Statistics were strengthened on census best practices

The coaching guide dedicated to youth listening/counselling units was updated

The capacities of 40 Heads of Population Offices were strengthened in the use and adaptation of the monitoring/ supervision tool on maternal mortality at the national level



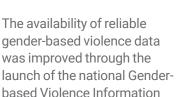
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## DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE





# HEALTH POLICY

A new National Pharmaceutical Policy and a National Medicines and Health Products Supply Chain Strategy were developed to strengthen the pharmaceutical sector



# **CENSUS**

The pilot phase of the third Population and Housing Census was implemented



### **FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION**

1,162 cases of genderbased violence including female genital mutilation were received in service delivery structures

Management System



## **SEXUAL AND** REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**

2,172 adolescents and young people were provided with sexual and reproductive health services



## **EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE**

10 protocols were validated for the management of obstetric emergencies leading to preventable maternal mortality and the main preventable causes of neonatal mortality







MENSTRUAL HEALTH AND HYGIENE



SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY



To learn more about the work and impact of UNFPA Egypt, visit https://egypt.unfpa.org

COMPREHENSIVE REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AND POPULATION EDUCATION

A menstrual health management training module was developed by UNFPA and the Ministry of Health and Population; it is tailored specifically to the needs of adolescent girls, providing gender-sensitive and age-appropriate information on menstrual health in Arabic

The national governorate-costed implementation plans were revised and re-endorsed to ensure that the Ministry of Health and Population has a fully fledged plan with costed activities that will enhance the reproductive health commodity security system in the country

Comprehensive reproductive health education and population education were integrated into the preparatory and secondary school curricula



### **SAFE SPACES**



# GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



# DATA ON DISABILITY

1,380 people, including refugees and migrants, were provided with reproductive health knowledge through women and girls safe spaces 29 units dedicated to preventing violence against women were established to operate on university campuses to ensure a safe educational environment and facilitate the reporting of sexual harassment incidents

The Violence against Women with Disabilities national study generated important key evidence-based findings on the accessibility of services for women and on women's opportunities and decision-making

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# GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

The Government endorsed the multisectoral response plan and the related action plan to address gender-based violence



# BEHAVIOUR CHANGE STRATEGY

A nationwide Behavior Change Communication strategy and action plan were developed with the Ministry of Health



# YOUTH EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMES

The standard operating procedures for educational programmes addressing adolescents and youths with disabilities were developed



## SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

2,531 young people benefited from sexual and reproductive health and psychological services in the central and southern region and in the Kurdistan Region



# **DATA ON WOMEN**

The Ministry of Planning, the Kurdistan Region Statistics Office and UNFPA published the results of the second Iraqi Women Integrated Social and Health Survey in the Kurdistan Region, offering integrated data showing changes in women's economic and social status in Iraq since 2011



### **QUALITY OF CARE**

23 members of staff from primary health-care centres across 10 priority governorates received training for trainers and conducted training for 90 staff in their respective governorates; as a result, 5,366 adolescents and youths received counselling and referral services for health issues, including family planning, sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights



# **JORDAN** 2022

To learn more about the work and impact of UNFPA Jordan, visit https://jordan.unfpa.org

# **Key Results Achieved in 2022**



# POPULATION POLICY



## SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH STRATEGY



# GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE POLICY

A National Action Plan for the National Population Strategy 2021–2030 was developed The National Reproductive and Sexual Health Strategy three-year action plan (2022–2024) was launched in collaboration with national sexual and reproductive health stakeholders The Executive Plan for the National Priorities for Strengthening the Response to Gender-based Violence, Domestic Violence and Child Protection 2021– 2023 was launched



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES



# SAFE SPACES



# SAFE SPACES

115,972 people received sexual and reproductive health services, including family planning, and 64,833 people, particularly women and girls, received a comprehensive set of gender-based violence services 855 women and girls with disabilities benefited from a variety of services provided in women and girls safe spaces, including case management and empowerment activities

The Adolescent Girls Empowerment Led Center, which hosts the "Girl Leaders Towards Change" programme, was opened in Zaatari refugee camp









# YOUTH POLICY



## **ESSENTIAL SERVICES** FOR GENDER-BASED **VIOLENCE SURVIVORS**



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

The National Youth Policy Action Plan was launched by the Government

The Essential Services Package for gender-based violence was rolled out to members of the Internal Security Forces, health-care providers and social workers

More than 2,100 doctors, nurses, midwives, social workers and other paramedical staff strengthened their skills in antenatal and postnatal care, near-miss cases, nutrition in crises, clinical management of rape and maternal mental health, in order to decrease maternal mortality and morbidity and increase awareness of sexual and reproductive health



## **NURSING AND MIDWIFERY GOVERNANCE AND OVERSIGHT**



# DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



### **CASH AND VOUCHER ASSISTANCE**

A midwifery network was established, and 930 women received midwifery care for high-risk pregnancies as a result

Situation Analysis on Gender-Based Violence against Women and Girls with Disabilities in Lebanon was published

2.000 women received cash and information on menstrual health, pregnancy and hygiene practices through a pilot project integrating cash and voucher assistance into menstrual hygiene management

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#### NURSING AND MIDWIFERY POLICY AND STRATEGY



# MIDWIFERY EDUCATION



# **MOBILE CLINICS**

The Nursing and Midwifery
Policy and Strategy (2023–2033)
was validated by the Ministry of
Higher Education and Scientific
Research, and a National Nursing
and Midwifery Department
was established

Eight fully functional skills labs for midwifery education were established 10 health facilities were provided with mobile medical teams, and 12 health facilities were provided with mentors; they provided essential sexual and reproductive health services to an estimated 150,000 people



### SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES



## MULTISECTORAL RESPONSE TO GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

129,877 Libyans, including 7,989 internally displaced people and 25,222 migrants, were provided with life-saving and high-quality sexual and reproductive health services 57,633 women and girls were reached by multisectoral services provided in women and girls safe spaces or through the national hotline

UNFPA-funded health facilities supported 1,262 institutional deliveries in the Ghat and Weryemma Polyclinics









# **YOUTH POLICY**



### **HEALTH POLICY**



# YOUTH POLICY

The National Strategy for the Health of Adolescents and Young People was validated The first memorandum on guaranteeing the rights of women and girls to health in the municipal action plan of the city of Fes was developed

The new operating model for health spaces for young people was validated and disseminated to strengthen access for young people and improve the quality of health services at the level of youth health spaces



### **MIDWIFERY**



# MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICE PACKAGE



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION

12 midwives received awards from the Ministry of Health

As a result of South-South cooperation among participants of an e-learning course on the minimum initial service package from sub-Saharan African countries, Morocco was able to reinforce its minimum emergency system on sexual and reproductive health

More than 200 girls and young women aged 14–25 were reached through cascade training and a peer-to-peer awareness mechanism, led by Youth Peer Education Network Morocco, to increase their knowledge of sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights, strengthen the fight against gender-based violence and promote women's rights





# **CENSUS**



# POPULATION POLICY



### GENDER MAINSTREAMING

The 2022 population and housing census of Saudi Arabia was successfully implemented

The population policy of Oman was developed

Gender mainstreaming was strengthened in the work strategies of the Ministry of Social Development



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES



## MULTISECTORAL RESPONSE TO GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

Awareness of healthy lifestyles among Bahraini youths was enhanced through an intensive contextualized media and communication campaign School students' awareness of drug harms and abuse was strengthened through a joint collaborative project with national stakeholders The integration and inclusion of people with disabilities into the health-care system was strengthened through signlanguage capacity-building for the Ministry of Health



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# **SOMALIA** 2022

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# **Key Results Achieved in 2022**



### **MENSTRUAL HEALTH** AND HYGIENE



#### **FAMILY PLANNING** SERVICES



## **SEXUAL AND** REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**

Nearly 23,000 adolescent girls were provided with sanitary supplies and menstrual hygiene information

The percentage of health facilities providing at least three modern family planning methods increased from 66.8 per cent in 2021 to 84.4 per cent in 2022

587,319 people affected by the drought crisis in Somalia were provided with sexual and reproductive health services



### **EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE**



#### MODERN **CONTRACEPTIVES**



## **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

Emergency obstetric and newborn care facilities facilitated 168.959 antenatal care consultations, 47,952 deliveries with skilled birth attendants and 3,932 caesarean sections, and managed 18,551 pregnancyrelated complications

68,058 women were provided with modern methods of contraception

192 women received obstetric surgical repairs free of charge







### HEALTH SERVICES FOR SEXUAL VIOLENCE SURVIVORS



# **YOUTH POLICY**



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

The clinical management of rape protocol was adopted by the Ministry of Health, and 75 social and health service providers were trained in the protocol

The National Strategy for Adolescent and Youth Health for 2022–2026 was launched 40 per cent of medical staff from the Ministry of Health and nongovernmental organizations in the Gaza Strip received training on clinical management of maternal sepsis, and, in 2022, only one maternal mortality case due to sepsis was registered, compared with more than five cases in 2021



# MOBILE CLINICS



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES



# CASH AND VOUCHER ASSISTANCE

The physical adaptation of five facilities targeted by mobile clinics improved health service accessibility for people with disabilities 41,184 women, men, youths, boys and girls in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip were provided with life-saving health care, primary health care and sexual and reproductive health services 1,983 women were provided with cash assistance, in response to the urgent needs of economically vulnerable families and women at risk of gender-based violence in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip

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MIDWIFERY CURRICULUM



ESSENTIAL SERVICES
FOR GENDERBASED VIOLENCE
SURVIVORS



HIV-RELATED HEALTH SERVICES

The midwifery diploma was endorsed by the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research

More than 2,000 women and girls sought support and information on different forms of gender-based violence, including domestic violence, sexual and gender-based violence, female genital mutilation and child marriage, from the gender-based violence helpline

250 peer outreach sessions in 18 states reached 2,082 individuals through the Positive Health Dignity and Prevention Package and 2,450 people living with HIV; 1,995 people were tested for HIV, with 65 testing positive and being referred for care and treatment; 12,153 condoms were distributed; 3,268 people were provided with sexually transmitted infection services; and 2,990 people were provided with family planning information and services



COORDINATION
OF SEXUAL AND
REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH
IN HUMANITARIAN
EMERGENCIES

80,000 internally displaced people and refugees, including 3,122 pregnant women, in seven states were provided with sexual and reproductive health consultations



COORDINATION BODY FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

39 community-based referral pathways were established, providing 400 women and girls with services for gender-based violence survivors



SAFE SPACES

31 "confidential corners" were established/supported to provide services and information for gender-based violence survivors in the conflict-affected areas, reaching approximately 657 women and girls





SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES



ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS



CASH AND VOUCHER ASSISTANCE

Around 750,000 women and girls were provided with sexual and reproductive health services in 14 governorates

Around 500,000 women and girls accessed gender-based violence services through women and girl safe spaces, integrated mobile teams and community wellbeing centres

120,000 pregnant and lactating women benefited from cash support to buy hygiene items from the Cash and Voucher Assistance Project, in partnership with World Food Programme



ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH INFORMATION AND SERVICES



**DIGNITY KITS** 



HEALTH SERVICES FOR SEXUAL VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

52,206 young people (33,803 women and girls and 18,403 men and boys) were provided with reproductive health information and a package of services

23,000 dignity kits were distributed to women and girls

2,345 service providers, schoolteachers, school health counsellors and volunteers were trained in updated sexual and reproductive health guidelines on the Clinical Management of Rape Survivors and Menstrual Hygiene Management

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# YOUTH POLICY



### DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



### GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

An operational strategic plan on youth, peace and security was developed The Status Report on Femicides in Tunisia 2022 study was published by UNFPA in partnership with the Faculty of Legal, Political and Social Sciences of Tunis; it highlighted root causes and risk factors, and included policy recommendations

An assessment tool on the safety of women victims of violence was developed and disseminated nationally



### **AGEING POLICY**



### **MIDWIFERY**



## ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

A national strategy for the elderly was developed

A National midwifery core competencies framework was developed in collaboration with the Tunisian Association of Midwives 1,309 women victims of violence received gender-based violence care services in seven women's safe havens







MULTISECTORAL RESPONSE TO GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION



GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

10,5657 women and 5,034 girl gender-based violence survivors were provided with multisectoral services

6,374 youths were empowered through capacity-building, psychological support, legal support, health and reproductive health support, case management and sports activities at the Taiz Youth Centre

A gender-based violence case management system was established to enhance service-delivery-related prevention and response to gender-based violence



# FORMAL EDUCATION



# **MIDWIVES TRAINED**



# **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

259 girls were reintegrated into formal education following the completion of UNFPA literacy programmes in 16 districts

194 midwives from the South Yemen and North Yemen Governorates received training on new family planning methods, reaching 197,113 family planning service users 100 women living with obstetric fistula received surgical repair

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# **ASIA AND THE PACIFIC**

Afghanistan

Bangladesh

Bhutan

Cambodia

China

Democratic People's

Republic of Korea

India

Indonesia

Islamic Republic of Iran

Lao People's

Democratic Republic

Malaysia

Maldives

Mongolia

Myanmar

Nepal

Pacific Sub-Regional

Office

Pakistan

Papua New Guinea

**Philippines** 

Sri Lanka

Thailand

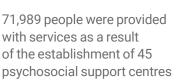
Timor-Leste

Viet Nam





## MENTAL HEALTH AND PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT





# LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

The supply chain management system was strengthened through the expansion of the electronic logistic management information system



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

3,884,293 women of reproductive age were provided with family planning supplies distributed to more than 1,159 health facilities covered by the Basic Package of Health Services, maternity hospitals and family health houses across the 34 provinces



in 26 provinces

# **MOBILE CLINICS**

1,657,552 people in 23 provinces were reached as a result of the scaling up of mobile health teams from 54 to 117



# INNOVATION AND DIGITIZATION

A safe delivery mobile application for Afghanistan was launched in Dari (a national language), with 112 users (82 per cent of whom are midwives) who received technical support and continued personalized learning to ensure safe deliveries for women and newborns



# YOUTH HEALTH LINE

175,951 young people (90,197 women and girls and 85,754 men and boys) were provided with counselling, information and referral services through the Youth Health Line

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### **MENTAL HEALTH** AND PSYCHOSOCIAL **SUPPORT**



## **PREVENTING** CONTRACEPTIVE STOCK-OUTS



### CHILD MARRIAGE **AND ADOLESCENT PREGNANCY**

As a result of UNFPA's advocacy, the national police and the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare agreed to integrate tailored gender-based violence modules, created by UNFPA and stakeholders, into their regular training programmes, to enable the delivery of informed, sensitive and empathetic mental health and psychosocial support for survivors

99.9 per cent of service delivery points reported no stock-outs of any contraceptives during 2022 in **UNFPA-supported districts** 

The Ministry of Women and Children Affairs developed an evidence-based district-level plan for implementation in 10 districts to address child marriage and adolescent pregnancy in line with the ministry's National Plan of Action to End Child Marriage



#### **CERVICAL CANCER** SCREENING SERVICES



### **SEXUAL AND** REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**



#### **QUALITY OF CARE** AND SERVICES

361,384 women were screened for cervical cancer using the visual inspection with acetic acid method in UNFPAsupported districts; 7,552 of these women tested positive, of whom 2,331 received follow-up colposcopy services

In Cox's Bazar, UNFPA provided life-saving sexual and reproductive health services, through its 284 deployed midwives, to 283,907 community members and Rohingya refugees through 22 health facilities, 54 women-friendly spaces and community health workers

2,486 post-partum haemorrhage and 1,809 pre-eclampsia/ eclampsia cases were initially stabilized and managed at Upazila Health Complexes, an increase of 68 per cent for postpartum haemorrhage and 62 per cent for pre-eclampsia/eclampsia cases from 2021





ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

96 per cent of hospitals across all 20 districts had at least one member of staff trained in enhancing adolescent-friendly health service availability



QUALITY OF CARE

80 per cent of district hospitals had at least three service providers trained in rightsbased and gender-responsive standards of contraceptive information and services



SCHOOL-BASED COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

The national school curriculum was revised to integrate comprehensive sexuality education and implementation was initiated in schools



COORDINATION MECHANISMS FOR ADOLESCENT HEALTH

69 schools in 11 districts had improved coordination mechanisms for easy referral and follow-up for adolescent health-related issues



HEALTH SCREENING SERVICES

In three districts, 89 per cent of targeted women were screened with the human papillomavirus DNA test and 3.98 per cent were found to be human papillomavirus-positive



LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND

More than 500 community members in one of the most remote districts were reached through high-level advocacy on sexual and reproductive health and rights, comprehensive sexuality education and gender-based violence prevention

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# YOUTH DEVELOPMENT



## **HEALTH POLICY**



### **FAMILY PLANNING** SERVICES

The National Action Plan on Cambodia Youth Development 2022-2026 was approved by the Council of Ministers, the Prime Minister and the President of the National Youth Development Council, and officially launched

The National Action Plan on School Health 2021-2030 was approved by the Interministerial **Technical Working Group** on School Health and officially launched

Every health facility across the country provided at least three modern family planning methods, with the majority providing up to seven modern methods



#### **MIDWIFERY** CURRICULUM



## ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**



## **EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE**

The Associate Degree in Midwifery curriculum was developed with the Ministry of Health and senior midwives in Cambodia

93,501 adolescents and youths (60,757 women and girls) used adolescent-friendly health services at health facilities in eight **UNFPA-supported provinces** 

The number of basic emergency obstetric and neonatal care facilities increased from 10 in 2018 to 19 in 2022







# LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND



# EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS PLANS



# QUALITY OF CARE

A manual on sexual and reproductive health knowledge for deaf and hard-of-hearing women was developed and disseminated The National Center for Women's and Children's Health developed a new edition of the service package for reproductive health in crisis situations

Service provider capacity improved through training, which allowed more than 90,000 women to receive better-quality reproductive health care closer to their homes



### CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING SERVICES



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION



# **HUMAN RIGHTS**

The number of women being screened for cervical cancer at Yusuan Maternal and Child Health Hospital increased by 100 per cent in January to June in 2022, compared with the total number for 2021, due to improved service provider capacity and proactive health promotion

The Comprehensive Sexuality
Education Technical Guideline:
Adaptation of Global Standards
for Potential Use in China
(First Edition) was released,
in partnership with the United
Nations Educational, Scientific and
Cultural Organization (UNESCO)

1,280 people from civil society organizations, women's groups and gender experts trained on international conventions including the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women, the revised national law on Women's Rights and Interests Protection, the implementation of the Anti-Domestic Violence Law and the bodily autonomy of female domestic workers

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### **SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT** STRATEGY

There was a continuous supply of life-saving sexual reproductive health drugs and related supplies, covering over 260,000 pregnant women annually



# CENSUS

The 2019 Census Tabulation Report was disseminated



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

Service delivery guides and handbooks were updated regarding health care for pregnant women, sexually transmitted infection/ reproductive tract infection management and guidelines for obstetric and gynaecological doctors working at primary health-care facilities



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

150 health staff built their capacities to accelerate the reduction of maternal morbidities and mortalities



### **DATA FOR EVIDENCE-BASED DECISION-MAKING**

25 staff from the country's statistical institutions were trained to be trainers of trainers on research and data analysis, to continue to support the production and utilization of data for evidence-based decisionmaking by policymakers



## POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT **TRAINING**

A training module was developed for increasing understanding regarding population and development interlinkages among senior government officers





#### **MIDWIFERY** CURRICULUM



## ADOLESCENT-**FRIENDLY SEXUAL** AND REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**



### **FAMILY PLANNING** SERVICES

Two national midwifery training institutes, the third and fourth in the country, were established in Patiala and Udaipur

The number of service delivery points providing adolescentfriendly health services increased from 400 in 2021 to 476 in 2022

Over 90 per cent of health facilities provided at least five reversible contraceptives and safe delivery services in the 14 UNFPA priority districts



## **MENTAL HEALTH** AND PSYCHOSOCIAL **SUPPORT**



### ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY HELPLINE



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

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578,081 people accessed mental health and psychosocial services in UNFPA priority states, as a result of UNFPA technical support at the state and district levels

56,000 adolescents in the State of Madhya Pradesh accessed counselling services through a dedicated helpline

1,772 medical officers from across the country were trained to support the expansion of adolescent-friendly services, especially those providing sexual health, mental health and psychosocial support for adolescents and young people

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### **SEXUAL VIOLENCE** CRIMINAL LAW



# **HEALTH POLICY**



#### MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICE PACKAGE

The Law on Sexual Violence Crimes, which provides a legal framework for handling sexual violence, was endorsed by the Government

The National Action Plan for Improving the Well-being of School-aged Children and Adolescents was launched; it is a joint commitment by 20 ministries and government institutions to advance the well-being of young people aged 8-16

The minimum initial service package national accredited training module and curriculum were endorsed by the Government and disseminated



### **EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE**



## FAMILY PLANNING AND SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH



### **CASH AND VOUCHER** ASSISTANCE

An emergency obstetric care assessment tool was developed, and baseline indicators for the District of Garut were obtained

UNFPA supported the Government to establish two South-South and triangular cooperation centres of excellence in family planning and sexual and reproductive health

300 pregnant mothers in Lumajang, Sleman, Pasaman and Pasaman Barat, 20 gender-based violence survivors in Pasaman and Pasaman Barat and 10 women champions from West Sumatra were provided with cash and voucher assistance





# **CENSUS**

A register-based census action plan was developed after South-South and triangular cooperation with the United Nations Statistics Division and the Economic Cooperation Organization, with Tajikistan in particular serving as a knowledge provider



#### HEALTH AWARENESS-RAISING SESSIONS

21,020 Afghan refugee girls and women were reached through individual and group awareness-raising sessions conducted by trained Afghan and Iranian community health volunteers across four provinces



# **DIGNITY KITS**

9,000 dignity kits were distributed to Afghan refugee women in Kerman, Golestan, Isfahan and Razavi Khorasan



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

750 experts received multisectoral training on innovative approaches to HIV prevention



# **MIDWIVES TRAINED**

200 midwives in Zahedan (Sistan and Baluchestan Province) were empowered to conduct deliveries as a result of training jointly organized by UNFPA and the Ministry of Health and Medical Education



# QUALITY OF CARE

Three women-friendly spaces were established and equipped in the Gotvand, Bardsir and Seman settlements to provide high-quality gender-based violence psychosocial, awareness-raising and knowledge-building sessions and referrals for women and girls

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#### MIDWIFERY CURRICULUM

Three midwifery schools achieved national accreditation and were assessed by the International Confederation of Midwives



## NURSING AND MIDWIFERY GOVERNANCE AND OVERSIGHT

Membership of the Lao Association of Midwives increased by 1,113, from 276 in 2021 to 1,389 in 2022



### SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

165,946 young people from the four intervention provinces accessed sexual and reproductive health services through facilities, hotlines and outreach services



## SCHOOL-BASED COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

730,000 primary school students received comprehensive sexuality education as a result of it being integrated into the national primary school curriculum for Grade 5



# LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMMES

The Nang-Noi Girls Groups life skills curriculum was delivered to 1,780 out-of-school adolescent girls by 184 female mentors in Savannakhet, Bokèo and Oudomxay Provinces; boys' engagement sessions were conducted for 1,200 boys by 126 male peer educators



# ENGAGING BOYS AND MEN

The male engagement manual for ending violence against women was rolled out in 18 communities and used to train facilitators, chiefs, elders and village health volunteers; pre- and post-training surveys showed an increase in knowledge and improvement in attitudes





### **HEALTH POLICY**

The updated sexual and reproductive health and education policy and action plan (PEKERTI) was launched, incorporating components of the *International Technical Guidance on Sexuality Education*, including by recommending comprehensive sexuality education as a stand-alone subject



# DATA ON SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH

The research report Enhancing Human Capital through Sexual and Reproductive Health Investments and Family Support Policies in Malaysia provided evidence of the return on investment in investing in sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights, and offered policy recommendations



# **WOMEN'S RIGHTS**

Malaysia Women and Girls
Forum 2022, on the theme
"Expanding Women's Rights
through Economic Equity",
raised awareness that
investing in women and their
reproductive rights and choices
expands women's productive
choices and Malaysia's socioeconomic prosperity



# **ECONOMIC JUSTICE**

The 2022 Road to Justice Virtual Forum highlighted economic violence as a key issue, advocating for understanding, prevention work and law/policy reforms and solutions



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

21 faith-based organizations were supportive of comprehensive sexuality education being taught in government and faith-based schools



# DATA ON ADOLESCENT PREGNANCY

Findings from the regional study on understanding pathways to adolescent pregnancy in South-East Asia were disseminated to partners in Malaysia to provide evidence on the importance of comprehensive sexuality education, contributing factors and implications of unplanned pregnancies

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# **CENSUS**

The Maldives Bureau of Statistics conducted the 2022 Population and Housing Census, which included questions on disability from the Washington Group on Disability Statistics



# LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND

A women's self-help group was established and has begun reaching the furthest left behind, especially women, through outreach and awareness-raising sessions to address harmful social and gender norms that promote violence against women and girls



# GENDER EQUALITY ACTION PLAN

A costing of the first two years of the National Gender Equality Action Plan 2022–2026 provided information for the implementation of the action plan through the identification of financial gaps and resources required to achieve the objectives and targets



## HEALTH MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

A country-level analysis of the health management information system used a data collection tool to identify and document the good practices, gaps and challenges of the system, with attention paid to the inclusion of reproductive, maternal, newborn, child and adolescent health coverage



# INNOVATION AND DIGITIZATION

An online sexual reproductive health glossary for people with disabilities was developed



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION

23 youth volunteers from across the Maldives were trained as change-makers through peer-led initiatives and delivered youth peer education network training

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### COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

Health education cabinets were established at two schools for people with disabilities and enabled the delivery of effective and inclusive comprehensive sexuality education



### COORDINATION BODY FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

31 national and subnational multisectoral coordination committees to prevent and respond to violence against women were strengthened



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

Three molecular biology laboratories were established at maternity and women's hospitals in Ulaanbaatar to improve the quality of diagnostic and treatment services to ensure safe pregnancy and delivery



### EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE

The Ministry of Health organized emergency obstetric care training at Darkhan-Uul Health Department, during which 38 obstetricians, gynaecologists and midwives from the Darkhan-Uul and Selenge Provinces updated their knowledge and practical skills



# **DIGNITY KITS**

650 dignity kits were distributed to 31 one-stop service centres and shelters nationwide



### DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

Three gender-based violence related database systems were created and rolled out

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FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES



HEALTH SERVICES IN HUMANITARIAN EMERGENCIES



ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

371,388 couples received family planning information and services

5,197 people with disabilities received humanitarian assistance including sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights services; gender-based violence mental health and psychosocial support services; knowledge and information; maternal and family planning support; referral support for safe delivery and antenatal care; and dignity kits

Over 2,100 adolescents and youths were reached by implementing partners through the provision of adolescent and youth sexual and reproductive health services through mobile delivery units, youth centres/corners, vocational training centres, women's and girls' centres and static/mobile clinics



**DIGNITY KITS** 



LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM



**QUALITY OF CARE** 

1,300 adolescent dignity kits were distributed following consultations with adolescent girls and customization of the contents 618 health facilities in the private sector and international non-governmental organizations or non-governmental organization were equipped and set up the e-logistics management information system to ensure UNFPA-supported commodities were distributed to the last mile with visibility

31 midwives were recruited and deployed life-saving interventions in the midwifeled clinics, including for the urban poor, in collaboration with implementing partners





# GENDER LAWS AND POLICIES

34 gender equality and women's empowerment/gender equality and social inclusion laws, policies and strategies (4 federal, 7 provincial, 23 local) were formulated and/or reviewed at all three tiers of government



# ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

The Ministry of Health and Population certified six health facilities in four UNFPA priority districts for the provision of highquality adolescent-friendly sexual and reproductive health services



# **CENSUS**

The Central Bureau of Statistics released the preliminary results of the 2021 population and housing census and disseminated the report on the preliminary results to a range of stakeholders



## ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

84,795 adolescents (42,199 boys and 42,596 girls) received adolescent-friendly sexual and reproductive health services from adolescent-friendly service sites in five UNFPA priority districts, with 10 per cent receiving adolescent-friendly sexual and reproductive health services for the first time



### **DIGNITY KITS**

At the community level, 13,669 dignity kits and 'kishori kits' were distributed to women and girls of reproductive age, elderly women, women heads of households and marginalized and vulnerable women affected by landslides, earthquakes and flash floods



### SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

A compact agreement for the UNFPA Supplies Partnership was signed between UNFPA and the Government; the Ministry of Health and Population will contribute 1 per cent of the total cost of UNFPA-supplied family planning and reproductive health commodities in 2023

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# CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES



# HEALTH FACILITY READINESS AND SERVICE AVAILABILITY ASSESSMENTS

Cervical cancer elimination policies and strategies were developed for the Marshall Islands, Samoa, Tonga and the Solomon Islands, in collaboration with the Cook Islands Centre for Research All 31 health facilities across Tonga offered youth-friendly, disability-inclusive family planning services Seven Health Facility Readiness and Service Availability Assessments were completed in Fiji, Kiribati, the Federated States of Micronesia, Samoa, the Solomon Islands, Tonga and Vanuatu



# MATERNAL DEATH NOTIFICATION



# MULTIPLE INDICATOR CLUSTER SURVEY



# GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE IN EMERGENCIES

Maternal death surveillance and response systems were established in Fiji, Kiribati, the Solomon Islands and Vanuatu

The Fiji Bureau of Statistics published the results of Fiji's first-ever Multiple Indicator Cluster Survey (for 2021), which revealed that 98 per cent of women in Fiji had received at least one health visit during their last pregnancy, the highest coverage of antenatal care in the region

In Tonga, training on genderbased violence in emergencies was conducted for 39 front-line service providers from national civil society organizations and government line ministries, which resulted in action plans for coherent and coordinated mechanisms for genderbased violence responses during emergencies





# POPULATION PROJECTIONS



### MIDWIFERY CURRICULUM



## NURSING AND MIDWIFERY GOVERNANCE AND OVERSIGHT

Population projections until 2050 at the national and provincial/ regional levels were completed in collaboration with the National Institute of Population Studies The curriculum of the first-ever direct-entry Bachelor of Science midwifery programme in Pakistan was approved by the Government The National Midwifery
Strategic Framework was
finalized, becoming the firstever comprehensive guiding
document to strengthen
midwifery in the country



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES



# WOMEN FRIENDLY HEALTH SPACES



# **CENSUS**

345 outreach camps in hard-toreach areas of Gilgit-Baltistan and Chitral benefited over 9,000 women and girls, enhancing access to high-quality family planning and sexual and reproductive health services 67,159 women and girls received information and services related to sexual and reproductive health, family planning and gender-based violence at 26 women-friendly health spaces established in health facilities in intervention areas

As a result of a study visit to Cairo to learn from Egypt's experience in conducting a digital census, the Pakistan Bureau of Statistics identified issues and gaps in the preparations for the 2023 census and began preparations for future digital censuses

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PREVENTING ESSENTIAL MEDICINES STOCK-OUTS



NATIONAL FACILITY ASSESSMENT



INNOVATION AND DIGITIZATION

The Certificate in Basic Pharmacy Management twoyear programme was launched to minimize stock-outs of essential medicines A national facility assessment for reproductive health commodities and services was conducted by UNFPA in partnership with the National Department of Health, which provided an overall picture of availability and the level of stock-outs

A reproductive health virtual store and dashboard were finalized and became operational, a standard operating procedure was developed and orientation training for 12 logistics managers of area medical stores (facilities for storing medical drugs and supplies) was conducted



**HEALTH STRATEGY** 



**DIGNITY KITS** 



SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

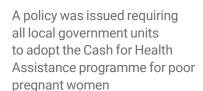
The Comprehensive Condom Programming Strategy was launched 2,004 dignity kits were distributed to women and girls affected by election-related violence, ensuring their safe movement, with solar-powered lights being a critical item

60 health workers from 55 health facilities were trained, in three groups, in the Reproductive Health Commodity Security training programme





### **CASH AND VOUCHER** ASSISTANCE





### **COORDINATION BODY** FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

Policies updating existing gender coordination mechanisms including the provincial Inter-Agency Council against Trafficking and Violence against Women and Children in both the Province of Surigao del Norte and the Province of Dinagat Islands were adopted by the provincial governments



### COMPREHENSIVE **SEXUALITY EDUCATION**

777 million Philippine pesos were allocated to the training of teachers for the implementation of comprehensive sexuality education and HIV education under Republic Act Nos 10354 and 11166, respectively, of the HIV and AIDS Policy Act; this allocation was not part of the original proposal of the Department of Education and was added as a special provision



# **QUALITY OF CARE**



# SCHOOL-BASED COMPREHENSIVE **SEXUALITY EDUCATION**

337 schools implemented comprehensive sexuality education based on international standards



### CASH AND VOUCHER **ASSISTANCE**

345 gender-based violence survivors were supported through cash for protection schemes for various humanitarian responses to Super Typhoon Odette

2.898 safe deliveries were assisted and 5,317 women were provided with family planning information and services as a result of four regions adopting UNFPA's service delivery models and implementing interventions

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### **GENDER-BASED** VIOLENCE IN **EMERGENCIES**

The Handbook on Gender, Sexual and Gender-based Violence in Disasters was launched in collaboration with the Disaster Management Centre and the Ministry of Women, Child Affairs and Social Empowerment



# **NATIONAL TRANSFER ACCOUNTS REPORT**

UNFPA published the national transfer accounts report, which provided evidence in support of counting women's full contribution to the economy by adding value to domestic and care work



### **CASH AND VOUCHER ASSISTANCE**

61,230 pregnant and lactating women and women-headed households received cash assistance to access health services and meet their hygiene needs



### **HEALTH SERVICES IN HUMANITARIAN EMERGENCIES**

50,000 women and girls were provided with life-saving maternal health and family planning medicines and commodities as part of the response to the humanitarian situation



# **LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND**

16,304 women and girls in hardto-reach areas, especially in the plantation sector, were reached by sexual and reproductive health and maternal and child health services through mobile and outreach clinics



# **MOBILE CLINICS**

2,500 older women received elderly kits and 789 older people (mainly women) received medical care through mobile medical clinics in six districts (Galle, Matara, Hambantota, Monaragala, Ampara and Jaffna)







MULTISECTORAL RESPONSE TO GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



**CENSUS** 



LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMMES FOR GIRLS

A memorandum of understanding with the Ministry of Social Development and Human Security was signed, which led to the agreement with the ministry to select Khon Kaen as one of the provinces to develop a community-based multisectoral gender-based violence response system

Around 100 government officers working on population development policy and strategy, and national censuses, from different government agencies gained knowledge and skills relating to national transfer accounts, population projection and hybrid censuses

500 adolescent girls with disabilities aged benefited from girl-centred programmes that built their life skills, health, social and economic assets

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The 2022 facility audit co-led by UNFPA showed that 54 per cent of all audited facilities had no stock-outs for at least three modern contraceptive methods in 2022, in contrast to 45 per cent captured by the 2018 facility audit report



# **CENSUS**

The first digitized population and housing census was carried out, with tablets used to collect census data



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

Antenatal and postnatal care standard guidelines and protocols were launched and disseminated at the national level



# GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE POLICY

The third phase of the National Action Plan against Gender-Based Violence (2022– 2032) was launched



# EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE

Three existing maternity centres in the Liquiçá, Viqueque and Manufahi Municipalities were upgraded to become basic emergency obstetric and newborn care centres



# MIDWIFERY SCHOOLS

Three midwifery schools were equipped with medical and non-medical equipment and supplies, enabling them to be fully functional midwifery school skills laboratories





**GENDER LAWS AND** POLICIES



**ESSENTIAL SERVICES** FOR GENDER-BASED **VIOLENCE SURVIVORS** 



**DIGNITY KITS** 

The Domestic Violence Prevention and Control Law was endorsed by the National Assembly

The Vietnam Farmers' Union's national hotline received more than 10,000 calls and supported 1,154 women who experienced violence nationwide, and the hotlines of one-stop service centres supported 522 genderbased violence service users

4,270 dignity kits were provided to women at risk of violence in Nghe An, Quang Nam and Da Nang



**ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED** VIOLENCE **SURVIVORS** 



**ENGAGING BOYS** AND MEN



**ESSENTIAL SERVICES** FOR GENDER-BASED **VIOLENCE SURVIVORS** 

936 service providers in Quang Ninh, Bac Giang, Thanh Hóa, Ho Chi Minh City and Da Nang improved their capacities in providing essential services to gender-based violence survivors The fatherhood programme was scaled up in Bac Ninh, Da Nang and Lam Dong, and engaged 900 men and boys in the community to address harmful masculinity and build equitable, healthy and non-violent relationships

Four one-stop service centres in Quang Ninh, Thanh Hóa, Da Nang and Ho Chi Minh City supported 52 gender-based violence survivors and 140 survivors of other types of violence in the community

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# EAST AND SOUTHERN AFRICA

Angola

Botswana

Burundi

Comoros

Democratic Republic of the Congo

Eritrea

Eswatini

Ethiopia

Kenya

Lesotho

Madagascar

Malawi

Mauritius

Mozambique

Namibia

Rwanda

South Africa

South Sudan

Uganda

**United Republic** 

of Tanzania

Zambia

Zimbabwe





# **CENSUS**

A capacity assessment for carrying out the 2024 census and recommendations guiding the National Institute of Statistics in carrying out the census in accordance with international standards were finalized



### EARLY MARRIAGE AND ADOLESCENT PREGNANCY

The draft Strategy for the
Prevention and Combatting of
Early Marriage and Adolescent
Pregnancy was approved at
the top level of the Ministry
of Social Action, Family and
Women's Promotion



# **CENSUS**

14 National Institute of Statistics technicians improved their capacities through training on census operationalization in Brazil and Côte d'Ivoire and on ArcGIS software ahead of the 2024 census



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

More than 1,200,000 people (500,000 women) were provided with high-quality sexual and reproductive health services



### EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE

Approximately 17,000 nurses nationwide benefited from the Safe Delivery app being translated into Portuguese, improving the knowledge and practice of emergency obstetric and neonatal care practitioners, including in relation to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic prevention measures



# ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

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102 new youth-friendly health services were established in five provinces to improve adolescents' and young people's access to sexual and reproductive health services

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# CENSUS



### **HEALTH POLICY**



# **HEALTH POLICY BRIEFS**

The 2022 Population and Housing Census was carried out; it was Botswana's first digital census

National guidelines were developed to respond holistically to health needs; this included defining sexual and reproductive health, HIV and reproductive rights service packages for different levels of the integrated care model

Three policy briefs were developed with World Health Organization (WHO) on gaps and opportunities regarding improving the uptake of contraceptives, reducing unintended pregnancies and the need for a multifaceted approach to preventing unsafe abortion, as a means to reducing maternal mortality in Botswana



### **GENDER-BASED IOLENCE RESPONSE** & PREVENTION



### COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY **EDUCATION**



### **LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND**

The national Protocols and Service Standards for Prevention and Management of Gender-based Violence were updated

Comprehensive sexuality education for in-school and out-of-school youth institutions for young people with visual impairment was implemented and reached over 60 students, in partnership with the Botswana Association of the Blind and Partially Sighted

35 girls were reached by a youth dialogue for young women with visual impairment, held in partnership with the Botswana Association of the Blind and Partially Sighted, providing a platform to hear the voices of young women with disabilities on their sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights experiences and generating concrete actions for national stakeholders





SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH INFORMATION



PARTICIPATION IN POLICY AND PROGRAMMES



**DIGNITY KITS** 

600 adolescents and young people, including people with specific needs, such as people with albinism, blind people and the indigenous Batwa population, were provided with information on the sexual and reproductive health of adolescents and youths

30 youth-led organizations and networks had built the capacity to participate in national sexual and reproductive health-related policy dialogues, advocacy and programming, including in humanitarian settings, compared with 20 in 2021

2,770 dignity kits were distributed to women and girls, including individuals from the indigenous Batwa population, internally displaced people affected by emergencies, hospitalized people and refugees



ESSENTIAL SERVICES
FOR GENDERBASED VIOLENCE
SURVIVORS



**OBSTETRIC FISTULA** 



**OBSTETRIC FISTULA** 

1,105 survivors of sexual and gender-based violence (974 women and girls and 131 men and boys) received holistic care services 163 women were operated on for obstetric fistula

The post-operative follow-up of 87 women with obstetric fistula who received surgical repair in 2021 revealed an estimated cure rate of 92.59 per cent

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### **HEALTH STRATEGY**



### **DEMOGRAPHIC PROJECTIONS**



### **INTEGRATED SEXUAL** AND REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**

The Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn, Child and Adolescent Health Strategy was developed

Demographic projections at the national and island levels, with data disaggregated by age and sex, were made available

81,400 young people received integrated sexual and reproductive health services



# MOBILE CLINICS



### **EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE**



# **PUBLIC DECLARATIONS TO END HARMFUL PRACTICES**

The first mobile clinic for the island of Mohéli was operationalized to facilitate integrated sexual and reproductive health services to women and girls, including the most vulnerable women and girls in remote areas

12 maternity hospitals were equipped to better deal with obstetric emergencies

Eight communities had made public statements to eliminate harmful practices, including child, early and forced marriage



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# MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICE PACKAGE



### GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE AND CHILD MARRIAGE



### DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

The minimum initial service package for sexual and reproductive health in crisis situations was integrated into strategic and policy documents, including the National Strategic Response Plan for HIV/ AIDS 2023–2027 and the National Health Development Plan 2023–2027

Provincial action plans to end gender-based violence and child marriage were developed with political authorities 20 provinces were connected to the national gender-based violence database for the purpose of collecting data, monitoring the management of cases and collecting feedback from gender-based violence survivors



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH INFORMATION



### MULTISECTORAL RESPONSE TO GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



# **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

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2,456,702 adolescents and youths were provided with information on sexually transmitted infections, HIV/ AIDS and family planning 119,394 gender-based violence survivors received multisectoral services

1,226 women and girls with obstetric fistula received surgical repair

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## **PUBLIC DECLARATIONS** TO END HARMFUL **PRACTICES**

A no-female genital mutilation community declaration was operationalized in the Zoba Anseba subregions of Halhal and Adi Tekelezan for around 70 villages on the International Day of Zero Tolerance for Female Genital Mutilation



## LIFE SKILLS **PROGRAMMES**

413 youths were trained in life skills, including comprehensive sexuality education in and out of school



# FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION

200 female genital mutilation had been prosecuted in court, compared with 144 cases in 2021



70 per cent of health facilities provided basic emergency obstetric and newborn care



# **ESSENTIAL SERVICES** FOR GENDER-**BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS**

60 service delivery points had at least one provider with the skills to identify, treat and refer cases of gender-based violence



### **EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE**

10 community hospitals provided comprehensive emergency obstetric and newborn care in 2022, compared with 9 in 2021







# **ESWATINI** 2022

To learn more about the work and impact of UNFPA Eswatini, visit https://eswatini.unfpa.org

# **Key Results Achieved in 2022**



# YOUTH POLICY



# FAMILY PLANNING GUIDELINES



# **VITAL STATISTICS**

The National Youth Policy Operational Plan 2022–2025 was launched by the Ministry of Sports, Culture and Youth Affairs The third edition of the revised Eswatini National Family Planning Guidelines was launched and disseminated

The 2021 Annual Civil Registration and Vital Statistics Report showed that completeness in birth registration increased from 23 per cent in 2020 to 30.9 per cent in 2022 and completeness in death registration increased from 55 per cent to 74 per cent over the same period



# **CENSUS**



### SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY



# ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

The census statistical reports for the *inkhundla* (constituency) population, were produced using single years of age, sex and contraceptive prevalence rates to improve the availability of sociodemographic, sexual and reproductive health and rights data for planning

UNFPA Eswatini signed a thirdparty procurement agreement with the Government to enhance reproductive health commodity security and partnered with the Government to implement a digital platform for the Ministry of Health to accelerate the reduction of institutional maternal deaths 530 health-care workers across all four regions were provided with the Adolescent and Youthfriendly Health Services Quality Improvement Package, with 88 per cent (36 of 41) of health facilities in the Shiselweni Region being reached

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## **PUBLIC DECLARATIONS** TO END HARMFUL **PRACTICES**



# **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**



# CIVIL REGISTRATION

325 communities comprising 338,480 people (169,578 men and boys and 168,902 women and girls) made a public declaration to abandon female genital mutilation and child marriage, and issued by-laws

Obstetric fistula surveillance and response guidelines and training materials were developed, and 198 health professionals were provided with information

The Ethiopian Statistics Service gained knowledge and expertise on civil registration from South-South cooperation, through which seven experts from the United Republic of Tanzania and Rwanda shared knowledge and experience in civil registration and vital statistics data collection, analysis and reporting



### **HEALTH POLICY**



# **FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION**



### **DIGNITY KITS**

The Adolescent and Youth Health Strategy, the Youth Development Strategy, the Adolescent and Youth Participation Strategy and the National HIV Prevention Road Map were developed

88,872 women affected by female genital mutilation were provided with various services, counselling, health-related information and referrals

72,595 disaster-affected women and girls of reproductive age received dignity kits and information on available gender-based violence services





# DEMOGRAPHIC AND HEALTH SURVEY



# **HEALTH POLICY**



# NURSING AND MIDWIFERY GOVERNANCE AND OVERSIGHT

The preliminary results of the 2022 Kenya Demographic and Health Survey show that skilled birth attendance increased from 66 per cent in 2014 to 89 per cent in 2022

The National Sexual and Reproductive Health Policy was finalized and disseminated at the national level The National Nursing and Midwifery Policy 2022–2032 was launched and disseminated at the national level



### MODERN CONTRACEPTIVES



# FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION



# FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION

There were 270,764 new recipients of modern contraceptives

More than 180,000 women and girls received female genital mutilation-responsive services, including information, health care and psychosocial, legal and justice support

UNFPA support contributed to sustaining the pace of decline in female genital mutilation prevalence in Kenya; it reduced from 21 per cent in 2014 to 15 per cent in 2022



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SEXUAL AND **REPRODUCTIVE** HEALTH/HIV **INTEGRATION** 

More than 100 per cent of the targeted population for 2022 was provided with information on integrated sexual and reproductive health and rights, sexual and gender-based violence and HIV services



**GENDER LAWS AND** POLICIES

The Counter Domestic Violence Act was passed, and the rights of widows were harmonized under customary laws, to advance the protection of the rights of women



**DATA ON GENDER-**BASED VIOLENCE

The Gender-based Violence Register of the Ministry of Health was rolled out to clinics to enhance data collection



**SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY** 

The 2023 procurement plan resulted from training of two representatives from each district (district medical officers and nurse managers) on the human rights approach to family planning and provided the supply chain unit with programme data used for forecasting and quantification



SUSTAINABLE **DEVELOPMENT GOALS INDICATORS** 

The voluntary national reporting on the sustainable development goals was conducted; it provided data related to gender equality, gender-based violence, child marriage and leaving no one behind



**SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH/ HIV INTEGRATION** 

About 116 health facilities nationwide provided integrated sexual and reproductive health and rights, HIV gender-based violence services to women and girls in 2022, compared with 40 health facilities in 2021





# GENDER LAWS AND POLICIES



# **HEALTH POLICY**



# COORDINATION OF RESPONSES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

The decree implementing the 2019 law combating gender-based violence was adopted following joint advocacy actions through the gender and human rights thematic group

The National List of Essential Medicines and Health Inputs was revised and integrated new maternal health and family planning products The coordination of responses to gender-based violence was improved by updating referral circuits for survivors and sharing good practices between care actors from different regions



### MODERN CONTRACEPTIVES



# FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION



# FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION

There were 921,166 new users of modern family planning products

34,365 survivors of gender-based violence received psychosocial care and legal advice

1,106 women with obstetric fistula received repair surgery

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### **HEALTH STRATEGY**



### **SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES**



### **ESSENTIAL SERVICES** FOR GENDER-BASED **VIOLENCE SURVIVORS**

Four strategies on sexual and reproductive health and rights, obstetric fistula, maternal death surveillance response and youth-friendly health services were revised in collaboration with the Reproductive Health Directorate (under the Ministry of Health)

1,341,949 women of reproductive age were counselled on sexual and reproductive health, including family planning, in the 12 UNFPAsupported districts

129,688 gender-based violence survivors accessed essential services



### **FAMILY PLANNING** SERVICES



### COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION



### **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

There were 110.142 additional users of family planning methods (54,898 in 12 UNFPAsupported districts) among adolescent girls aged 15-19

89,512 young people (44,745 women and girls and 39,767 men and boys), including 492 young people with disabilities and those living with HIV, were provided with comprehensive sexuality education in schools and in communities through digital applications in 30 targeted schools, safe space mentors, youth facilitators and mothers' groups

Lilja's Fistula and One Stop Centre, the first district-based fistula repair facility in the country, opened, creating a safe space for gender-based violence and obstetric fistula survivors in the district





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# **Key Results Achieved in 2022**



### **HEALTH STRATEGY**



# LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH INFORMATION

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The National Sexual and Reproductive Health Strategy and the associated implementation plan were launched The youth caravan on Rodrigues Island provided 1,500 youths in geographically less accessible areas with essential information about sexual and reproductive health

350 parents were empowered with information, skills and best practices regarding health, food security and sexual and reproductive health



### MODERN CONTRACEPTIVES



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# FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION

200 secondary school students completed their training in basic counselling skills and gained related life skills, through collaboration with the Ministry of Education Together with the Ministry of Health and Wellness, 50 medical and paramedical staff were trained in sexually transmitted infections to enable them to identify and diagnose new cases at the community level and among youths

60 educational psychologists and social workers were trained in the concepts of genderbased violence and sexual and reproductive health

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# **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**



## **LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM**

A maternal and child health nurse curriculum was approved by the National Professional **Education Authority and** implemented across the health training institutes, in partnership with the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Ministry of Health

A national obstetric fistula strategy and a costed operational plan (2023-2033) were developed

The Government's Logistic Management Information System was strengthened to support supply chain tracking at different levels, up to the last mile; the system was used by 1,616 health facilities (96 per cent of the country's health facilities)



**CHILD MARRIAGE** AND EARY/ UNINTENDED **PREGNANCY** 



**MENTORSHIP OF** ADOLESCENT GIRLS AND YOUNG WOMEN



ENGAGING BOYS AND MEN

The rates of both child marriage and early and unintended pregnancies for the girls enrolled in the youth mentorship programme in UNFPA-supported provinces were below the 5 per cent targets, at 0.5 per cent and 0.7 per cent, respectively

287,878 adolescent girls and young women aged 10-24 were reached through mentorship programmes covering HIV prevention topics, including condom use, testing and treatment in addition to sexual and reproductive health and rights topics, including gender-based violence

Sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights behavioural change outcomes were enhanced by establishing a boys' and young men's mentorship programme in six additional districts, reaching 5,257 boys and young men aged 10-24 across all 12 districts





# FAMILY PLANNING GUIDELINES



# **SAFE SPACES**



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH INFORMATION AND SERVICES

Family planning guidelines were launched to help improve the provision of counselling, male and female condoms, contraceptive pills and injectable contraceptives at health facilities, including outreach

The safety and security of three government shelters for gender-based violence survivors and their families were upgraded

28,588 young people in nine regions were provided with sexual and reproductive health information and services



### ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS



### ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

Over 6,878 women and girls at risk of gender-based violence and survivors were provided with sexual and gender-based violence essential services

1,063 service providers had enhanced knowledge, skills and confidence to strengthen the prevention and identification of sexual and gender-based violence and the provision of support to survivors 300 pre-service teachers and 230 in-service teachers across five regions were trained in comprehensive sexuality education, in partnership with the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) and the Ministry of Education, Arts and Culture

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### **CENSUS**



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES



# ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

The fifth population and housing census was conducted using modern technologies and real-time information during data collection, reaching over 98 per cent of the population

All primary service delivery points (100 per cent) offered at least three modern family planning methods in line with national protocols, guidelines and laws, and 98.8 per cent offered at least five modern family planning methods, according to the 2022 Service Delivery Point Survey

All five targeted refugee camps provided adolescent sexual and reproductive health services



# **HIV & AIDS POLICY**



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION



### ADOLESCENT HEALTH COMPETENCIES

Government policies and guidelines on HIV/AIDS were updated and disseminated among HIV/AIDS key stakeholders 661,001 adolescents and youths were reached through awareness-raising activities, which resulted in increased referrals to health centres for youth-friendly services, increased school reenrolment, reduced gender-based violence incidents and improved relations between parents and adolescents/youths

12,756 out-of-school adolescents were equipped with knowledge and skills on adolescent sexual and reproductive health





# CENSUS

UNFPA South Africa provided technical assistance to Statistics South Africa for the 2022 census, and the results of the census were published



# ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

40 primary health-care facilities in eThekwini, KwaZulu-Natal Province, provided 46,000 individuals (36,000 women and girls and 10,000 men and boys) aged 10–24 with youth-friendly services



# YOUTH-FRIENDLY SPACES

A youth zone was launched at Nolitha Health Facility in OR Tambo District, in collaboration with Eastern Cape Department of Health



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH/ HIV INTEGRATION

54,545 adolescents and young women (23,695 aged 10–19 and 31,050 aged 20–24) accessed integrated sexual and reproductive health and rights, HIV and gender-based violence services in the Eastern Cape



# QUALITY OF CARE

643 health workers (502 women and girls and 141 men and boys) were trained in integrated sexual and reproductive health and rights, HIV and gender-based violence to offer high-quality, comprehensive and integrated services in the Eastern Cape



### LIFE SKILLS FOR ADOLESCENTS AND YOUTHS

383,483 adolescents and youths in UNFPA-supported provinces had been reached with life skills that built their health, social and economic assets, with increased resilience to climate change

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SCHOOL-BASED COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION



MATERNAL DEATH NOTIFICATION



CHILD, EARLY AND FORCED MARRIAGE

70 secondary schools and 3 universities have integrated sexuality education into school curricula and programmes

The Maternal and Perinatal Death Surveillance and Response System was improved, and the national guidelines updated and validated 55 communities have made public declarations to eliminate child and forced marriage



LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM



COORDINATION BODY FOR ENDING GENDER -BASED VIOLENCE



SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

The capacity of the central medical stores to manage commodities was enhanced through the installation of an electronic warehouse management system (mSupply) that is interlinked with other subsidiary warehouses and can be monitored remotely

10 states had functioning multisectoral coordination mechanisms for ending child marriage and gender-based violence 400,006 people were provided with sexual and reproductive health services in the 12 non-humanitarian-targeted health facilities





### **POLICY, LEGAL AND ACCOUNTABILITY FRAMEWORKS**

The Revised National Policy on Persons with Disabilities 2022 was launched; it is aligned with the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, the sustainable development goals and national instruments



## **MATERNAL HEALTH** SERVICES

There was a 14 per cent increase in the utilization of maternal health services between 2019 and 2022, with fourth antenatal visit attendance increasing by 27 per cent; this resulted from community interventions including pregnancy mapping, sexual and reproductive health and rights outreaches, and building the capacities of health workers for emergency obstetric and neonatal care



## **SEXUAL AND** REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**

1,476,505 young people aged 10-24 received sexual and reproductive health and rights services; they represent 49.6 per cent of the people receiving such services in UNFPAsupported districts



# **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

The National Obstetric Fistula Strategy (2020/21-2024/25) was approved and launched by the Minister of State for Health, General Duties, during the commemoration of the International Day to End Obstetric Fistula in Zombo District



### **PUBLIC DECLARATIONS** TO END HARMFUL **PRACTICES**

The number of districts making public declarations against abandonment of genderbased violence and harmful practices increased from 42 in 2021 to 61 in 2022



### **COMPREHENSIVE** SEXUALITY **EDUCATION**

The number of in-school young people aged 10-24 provided with sexuality education increased from 4,379 in 2021 to 219,207 in 2022

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# CENSUS



# NATIONAL PERSONS WITH DISABILITY RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES ACT



### 2030 ESA COMMITMENTS

The first digitized census was completed, and preliminary census results were published

The National Persons with Disabilities (Rights and Privileges) Act of Zanzibar was enacted by the House of Representatives and approved by the President The United Republic of Tanzania endorsed the 2030 Eastern and Southern Africa Ministerial Commitment and produced a country-level action plan



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# **HIV & AIDS POLICY**



# FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION



### SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

The National Multisectoral Framework on HIV and AIDS (2021–2025) and The National Multisectoral Stigma and Discrimination Reduction Strategy 2022–2026 were developed The Government launched a fouryear National Anti-Female Genital Mutilation strategy 31,412 young people (16,331 women and girls and 15,081 men and boys) were provided with sexual and reproductive health services in UNFPA-supported regions







# **CENSUS**

Zambia Statistics Agency conducted the first electronic population and housing census, and released the preliminary report



# **VITAL STATISTICS**

The National Civil Registration and Vital Statistics Policy was officially launched by the Ministry of Home Affairs and Internal Security



## PREVENTING CONTRACEPTIVE STOCK-OUTS

85 per cent of service delivery points reported having no stock-outs for three or more contraceptives as part of their regular services, an increase from 65 per cent in 2021



### SCHOOL-BASED COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

228 schools in target districts implemented age-appropriate comprehensive sexuality education, reaching more than 720,000 youths, whether in school or not



### ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

7,693 gender-based violence survivors (6,778 women and girls and 915 men and boys) accessed an integrated package of services through one-stop centres



# ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

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330 public health facilities provided adolescent-friendly integrated sexual and reproductive health services in UNFPA-supported provinces, an increase from 221 facilities in 2021

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### **CENSUS**



# **HEALTH POLICY**



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

The 2022 Population and Housing Census was conducted and preliminary results were released to the general public in a timely manner due to the use, for the first time, of the computerassisted personal interviewing method of data collection

The Government launched the National Family Planning Strategy 2022–2026 2,745,590 women, including 951,086 below the age of 25, accessed family planning services across all health facilities in the country



# LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMMES FOR GIRLS



# SAFE SPACES



# HEALTH SERVICES FOR SEXUAL VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

157,978 young people were reached through life skills programmes that built their health, social and economic assets in schools, universities and communities in UNFPA-supported provinces

8,890 people (8,044 women and girls and 846 men and boys) accessed static one-stop centres and 1,707 people (1,630 women and girls and 77 men and boys) accessed safe shelters

8,043 survivors of rape in five UNFPA-supported provinces accessed health services, including 2,082 (26 per cent) within 72 hours, enabling them to access services such as postexposure prophylaxis





# EASTERN EUROPE AND CENTRAL ASIA

Albania

Armenia

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Serbia

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Türkiye

Turkmenistan

Ukraine

Uzbekistan





# **HEALTH POLICY**



# **HEALTH POLICY**



# YOUTH POLICY

The National Action Plan on Sexual and Reproductive Health 2022–2030 was endorsed The National Action Plan on Contraceptive Security 2022– 2026 was finalised The National Youth Strategy 2022–2029 was finalized and validated



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION



# LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND

The national human papillomavirus immunization programme was launched and reached 12,900 women through the provision of services at the primary health-care level

A comprehensive sexuality education teacher-training programme was implemented in nine local education offices, with 300 teachers and 36 school principals being trained and 4,500 students and 9,000 parents being informed

129 people with disabilities, Roma and rural people were reached through education sessions and community mobilization to empower them to make informed decisions on their sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights



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# MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICE PACKAGE

The capacities of 65 health workers and 57 rescue workers were strengthened to ensure the minimum initial service package readiness in the different regions



# **CENSUS**

The National Population and Housing Census 2022 was conducted



## ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY HEALTH SERVICES

The Minister for Health issued a decree on the approval of an integrated model of adolescentfriendly services in primary health-care facilities



# HEALTHY LIFESTYLE CURRICULUM

Over 4,000 students in Grades 5, 7 and 10, including students with disabilities, acquired knowledge and skills to make informed reproductive health choices, through the piloted Healthy Lifestyle curriculum, which was part of a UNFPA-led joint initiative with the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) and the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO)



# GENDER-BIASED SEX SELECTION

Policy briefs on the role of regional and local authorities and the education and health systems in the prevention of gender-biased sex selection were developed



# WOMEN WITH DISABILITIES

The book 50 Women with Disabilities who Changed the World was launched on the International Day of Persons with Disabilities and made available in print, audio and video versions alongside a sign language translation





# **QUALITY OF CARE**



SUPPORT SERVICES FOR GENDER-**BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS** 



#### SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

The Ministry of Health adopted medical protocols to improve the quality of services for people with HIV and AIDS, family planning, post-abortion contraception and the prevention of cervical cancer

800 women survivors of genderbased violence have benefited from support services offered by the gender-based violence hotline

Gender-sensitive topics were integrated into the School Improvement Plan developed by the Institute of Education to ensure a sensitive approach to gender issues in planning, class management, organization of work with students, in-school assessment and creation of an overall enabling environment



## **GENDER EQUALITY**



#### **DEMOGRAPHIC PROJECTIONS**



# **ENGAGING BOYS** AND MEN

The revised national action plan on gender equality was developed The first draft of the demographic projections in Azerbaijan was prepared

480 fathers and fathers-to-be benefited from information sessions organized in Papa Schools (fatherhood preparation courses) in eight regions to promote men's involvement in caretaking and active fatherhood and to challenge social norms that discriminate against women

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# POLICY, LEGAL AND ACCOUNTABILITY FRAMEWORKS



# ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS



# ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

New legislative amendments resulted in expanded categories of domestic violence survivors, specifically ex-spouses, and the establishment of nationwide practical mechanisms to support and protect survivors of domestic violence, including preventive interventions

6,000 women, older people and people with disabilities benefited from domestic violence and gender-based violence prevention and protection interventions 25 per cent of public health and social care facilities provided essential services for survivors of domestic violence and genderbased violence compared with 15 per cent in 2021



# RESULTS-BASED BUDGETING



## SAFE SPACES



# DEMOGRAPHIC DYNAMICS

A new course on resultsbased budgeting for health-care managers was developed and launched Over 2,500 Ukrainian refugees, particularly women, older people and people with disabilities, were provided with psychosocial support, legal services and hygiene items through the operationalization of two UNFPA orange safe spaces

An online national Demographic Resource Centre was developed and made available on the Belarusian State University website



**BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA** 2022

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# **Key Results Achieved in 2022**



# MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICE PACKAGE



# GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE IN EMERGENCIES



# MENSTRUAL HEALTH AND HYGIENE

Both entities' ministries of health and relevant disaster risk reduction experts from local communities joined efforts to improve preparedness and the response of health-care workers by including the minimum initial service package for health-care workers in local development strategies Action plans on sexual and reproductive health and gender-based violence in emergencies were developed

Approximately 7,000 adolescent girls in high schools had sufficient menstrual pads for 2022–2023, and were provided with information on menstrual health



## **DIGNITY KITS**



## MENTAL HEALTH AND PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT



## MENTAL HEALTH AND PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT

2,952 individuals were provided with dignity kits and voucher assistance

2,662 women and girls were reached by mental health and psychosocial support services

1,462 male gender-based violence survivors were reached by psychosocial services that aimed to increase their personal capacities and coping mechanisms in dealing with hardships and challenges related to trauma, violence and hopelessness

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## CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING SERVICES



# LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND



# QUALITY OF CARE

The innovative populationbased cervical cancer screening registry, run by the National Center for Disease Control and Public Health, one of the first of its kind in the region, was fully functional and had the capacity to increase the coverage and the quality of the cervical cancer screening programme The standard operating procedures on the health-care system response to violence against women/gender-based violence were amended to integrate the "leave no one behind" principle and the specific needs of women with disabilities and other marginalized populations

The antenatal care standard operating procedures for women with disabilities were approved by ministerial order



# **YOUTH POLICY**



# ENGAGING BOYS AND MEN



# HUMAN RIGHTS

The National Youth Strategy 2023–2026 and the associated annual action plan were adopted

An addendum on male involvement in antenatal care was integrated into the national clinical protocol on antenatal/postnatal care

The National Human Rights Strategy 2022-2030, which includes specific attention to the elimination of harmful practices and addresses the need for social norm transformation, was developed





# YOUTH FRIENDLY HEALTH SERVICES



# **DATA ON AGEING**



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION

As a result of technical assistance provided by UNFPA to the Ministry of Health in developing a financial model for purchasing youth-friendly health services, the Social Health Insurance Fund allocated 2.2 billion Kazakhstani Tenge (4.7 million United States dollars) and contracted over 100 providers of youth-friendly health services

A statistical yearbook "Older people of the Republic of Kazakhstan" was issued for the first time in Kazakhstan

The statistical yearbook Older People of the Republic of Kazakhstan was issued for the first time More than 15,000 adolescents and young people gained knowledge about sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights through 10 subnational training of trainers events run by youth peer education network volunteers in the cities of Almaty, Astana, Ridder, Semey and Aktobe, and further cascade training



## **QUALITY OF CARE**



## **QUALITY OF CARE**



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH INFORMATION

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The training curriculum on the topic "Quality assurance of inpatient perinatal care" was developed The remote training platform on family planning and modern contraceptive methods was approved by the national Academic Council under the Ministry of Health and rolled out More than 700 schoolchildren in the Atyrau Region increased their knowledge of health and healthy lifestyles, infectious diseases, sexual and reproductive health, safe behaviour, prevention of unintended pregnancy and prevention of sexually transmitted infections

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# REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH LAW



# **QUALITY OF CARE**



# DATA ON SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH

The Law on Reproductive Health passed all phases of consultation and is in the Parliamentary approval phase The training packages on sexual and reproductive health for people with disabilities were accredited by the Kosovo Chamber of Physicians The national inquiry related to sexual and reproductive health, with a focus on maternal care, family planning and postabortion care, was finalized and revealed a systematic breach of women's and girls' rights related to confidentiality, dignity, unprofessional treatment and poor quality of services



# CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING SERVICES



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION



# **HUMAN RIGHTS**

2,544 women were screened for cervical cancer in the Municipalities of Pristina, Prizren and Mitrovica and Peja 18 training of trainer sessions on comprehensive sexuality education were organized in 14 municipalities, and increased the total number of trained peer educators to 2,795 Kosovo Disability Forum launched the Assembly of Children with Disabilities on Human Rights Day

References to Kosovo shall be understood to be in the context of Security Council resolution 1244 (1999).

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## **CENSUS**



# **POPULATION POLICY**



# GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

The population and housing census, using the "bring your own device" methodology, was completed

The active ageing policy and its action plan were developed and presented to line ministries and civil society stakeholders

The local self-government bodies developed an action plan to respond to domestic violence in Bishkek, and introduced standards for municipal services to assist survivors of domestic violence



## SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH/HIV INTEGRATION



# YOUTH POLICY



#### **HEALTH LAW**

Integration of the sexual and reproductive health and HIV service delivery at the primary health-care level was formalized through trilateral memorandums of understanding between the 18 pilot primary health-care settings, AIDS centres and nongovernmental organizations

The results of the new Youth Wellbeing and Development Index allowed for an analysis and tracing of the implementation progress of the youth concept policy, contributing to evidence-based advocacy in the area of youth policy and providing an opportunity to identify gaps and challenges

The definitions of sexual health and sexual education were included in the draft law on health care, which passed all three public hearings, including that of the Parliament, and was submitted for approval to the Cabinet of Ministers

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# **CENSUS**



# **QUALITY OF CARE**



#### **LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND**

The official results from the Census of Population, Households and Dwellings 2021 were published in three languages

A new protocol for the multisectoral response to violence against women and domestic violence was developed

To reach the furthest behind first, the Government integrated mobile gynaecological clinics providing cervical cancer prevention services in underserved areas into the national health budget and doubled its allocations for the prevention and early detection of cervical cancer



#### COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY **EDUCATION**



#### **GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE LAWS AND POLICIES**



#### **GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE LAWS** AND POLICIES

The first National Strategy on Comprehensive Sexuality Education was developed

Six new by-laws were prepared and two were adopted, enabling institutions to act in accordance with the new legal provisions on gender-based violence

2,000 women and girls benefited from cervical cancer prevention services through mobile clinics



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SCHOOL-BASED COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION



POLICY, LEGAL AND ACCOUNTABILITY FRAMEWORKS



CERVICAL CANCER SCREENING SERVICES

The school curriculum on comprehensive sexuality education was improved, and their alignment with international standards increased from 32 per cent to 53 per cent

A legal framework was put in place to support gender-responsive family-friendly policies and support women and men to balance their family and their career and achieve desired fertility outcomes The Cervical Cancer Screening Registry was established, providing data for early detection and prevention of female mortality from cervical cancer



## **CENSUS**



## **SAFE SPACES**



## **QUALITY OF CARE**

As a result of South-South cooperation between the national statistical offices of the Republic of Moldova and India on the carrying out of population and housing censuses, the National Bureau of Statistics of the Republic of Moldova strengthened its capacity on the use of administrative data registers, geospatial technologies for the preparation and conduct of the census, and modern devices in the collection of census information

450,000 women and young people (including refugees) benefited from reproductive health supplies and medicines provided by UNFPA to 41 hospitals, emergency units and youth-friendly health clinics, and 15,000 people were provided with information about gender-based violence and available support services through mobile and static UNFPA Orange safe spaces

15,000 births every year will take place in safer environments and conditions as a result of UNFPA upgrading seven perinatal centres and two specialized hospitals with lifesaving equipment

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#### CENSUS



## **POPULATION TRENDS**



# **DATA ON AGEING**

The 2022 census was conducted The national human development report Human Development in Response to Demographic Change, which focused on population trends in Serbia, was launched by UNFPA and the United Nations Development Fund (UNDP), with high-level government participation

The Poverty Projections for Older Persons publication identified potential social and economic factors leading to an increase in poverty among older people and aspects that can mitigate this, within the framework of the United Nations joint programme Extending Social Protection to Families in Serbia with Enhanced Shock-Responsiveness, implemented by UNFPA and the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), with the participation of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)



# **QUALITY OF CARE**



## **HUMAN RIGHTS**



#### **INNOVATION AND DIGITIZATION**

The online training on the role of the health sector in the prevention and response to gender-based violence was accredited and made available to all licensed health professionals through the platform for continued medical education of the Belgrade Faculty of Medicine

516 Roma women and girls (youths, adults and older people) from 10 Roma settlements in five cities were supported to improve their knowledge and capacity to claim their rights in relation to sexual and reproductive health, gender roles, discrimination, early/child marriage and genderbased violence

The "Take Care of Me" podcast. dedicated to young people's health and health literacy, was jointly launched by UNFPA Serbia, the Youth Team of the Belgrade Centre for Human Rights and the Institute for Student Health Care Belgrade; more than 1,600 people listened to it in 2022





# **YOUTH LAW**

The Law of the Republic of Tajikistan on Youth and State Youth Policy, which focuses on organizational, legal and socioeconomic foundations for the development and education of young people, was adapted



# CERVICAL CANCER PREVENTION

New cervical cancer standards and protocols were updated and agreed by the Ministry of Health and Social Protection



#### MODERN CONTRACEPTIVES

A new protocol on the subdermal injectable Sayana Press was integrated into the National Protocol on Modern Contraceptives along with a training module



## SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

More than 4,000 women and girls received high-quality sexual and reproductive services during public health fairs



# **HIV PREVENTION**

More than 2,800 pregnant women and women of reproductive age benefited from 21 mobile information sessions on HIV prevention



## **DIGNITY KITS**

Over 1,000 dignity kits and around 80 food packages were provided to the most vulnerable Afghan refugee families in cooperation with the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)

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# CHILD, EARLY AND FORCED MARRIAGE



# SEXUAL HEALTH LEARNING PROGRAM



# **SAFE SPACES**

The Şanlıurfa Province
Combating Violence against
Women Local Action Plan and
the Şanlıurfa Province Child,
Early and Forced Marriage Local
Action Plan were approved by
Şanlıurfa Province Governorate

A non-curricular sexual health education programme was piloted in 36 schools across eight cities, reaching 10,250 students and 613 parents

128,961 people were provided with life-saving and life-sustaining gender-based violence services through safe spaces



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH INFORMATION AND SERVICES



# **MOBILE CLINICS**



## **DIGNITY KITS**

78,485 refugees and members of host communities received life-saving sexual and reproductive health information and services, including family planning commodities

10 mobile health service units were operational in Ankara and Konya, providing services to 61,165 people 10,277 women and girls, including Ukrainian women and girls who fled to Türkiye following the start of the war, were provided with dignity and maternity kits





# **CENSUS**

The 2022 National Population and Housing Census was completed, with tablets being used for the first time to digitize census data collection



#### SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

The Government maintained its commitment and co-contributed 525,000 United States dollars to the sexual and reproductive health programme in 2022, which allowed the expansion of the choice of and access to reproductive health supplies and family planning commodities based on evidence regarding needs



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

The quality of maternal health service provision improved through the capacity-building of 120 obstetricians, updated protocols of care and assessment of learning needs



# LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND

Access to information about reproductive health for women with visual and hearing disabilities was improved through the development of six modules on sign language and voice recordings



## DATA ON HEALTH AND STATUS OF WOMEN

The findings of the Health and Status of a Woman in the Family Survey, the first national survey of its kind, were published



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

Clinical standards of care, including in adolescent reproductive health, cervical cancer, emergency obstetric care and HIV, were updated based on evidence and World Health Organization (WHO) recommendations

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# **QUALITY OF CARE**

The Gender Equality Strategy, aiming to ensure the implementation of equal rights and opportunities for women and men, was developed



# **DISCRIMINATION** PREVENTION IN **HEALTH CURRICULA**

The UNFPA-supported Kramatorsk TatoHub launched the "Everything will be fine" humanitarian association in partnership with Donetsk regional and local authorities and local nongovernmental organizations and volunteers' networks, resulting in the evacuation of 380,000 people, the majority being women and girls, including people with disabilities, from the Donetsk Region to the safe areas, and the delivery of more than 6.5 tons of humanitarian aid to the most vulnerable people in the region



# **YOUTH LEADERSHIP** & PARTICIPATION

More than 58,000 people were provided with gender-based violence services



## **MENTAL HEALTH AND PSYCHOSOCIAL** SUPPORT

42,000 people received psychosocial support through 101 psychosocial mobile teams



#### **DIGNITY KITS**

36,000 dignity kits were provided to women and girls through UNFPA partners, delivered by psychosocial mobile teams and perinatal centres in the most war-affected regions of Ukraine



## **HEALTH SERVICES FOR SEXUAL** VIOLENCE **SURVIVORS**

6,500 individuals benefited from support services for those affected by war, including those who have experienced war-related sexual violence, and over 40 cases of war-related sexual violence were identified at the four survivor relief centres launched by UNFPA



# MATERNAL DEATH NOTIFICATION



## **QUALITY OF CARE**



## NATIONAL STRATEGY FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

The fourth report of the Confidential Enquiry on Maternal Death for 2019– 2020 was endorsed by the Ministry of Health An educational curriculum for health workers on the multisectoral response to genderbased violence on the basis of adopted standard operating procedures was officially endorsed A national action plan on gender-based violence prevention was developed



# **QUALITY OF CARE**



# DISCRIMINATION PREVENTION IN HEALTH CURRICULA



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION

The national medical curriculum was updated to include recommendations on the assessment of the quality of antenatal care

The school curriculum was updated with information about reproductive health, family planning, menstrual hygiene, gender and discrimination, as a result of the joint collaboration of UNFPA and the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)

123 volunteers including young teachers, psychologists and youth activists improved their knowledge and skills in reproductive health, family planning, menstrual hygiene, gender and discrimination, and HIV and sexually transmitted infection prevention, and shared information on these topics with 14,287 (43 per cent male and 57 per cent female) adolescents and other members of their communities

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# LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Argentina

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Ecuador

El Salvador

Guatemala

Haiti

Honduras

Mexico

Nicaragua

Panama

Paraguay

Peru

Uruguay

Venezuela (Bolivarian

Republic of)







## SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

The referral and counterreferral circuits and the supply management process of four provinces were strengthened, reaching six maternity hospitals and 30 first-level care establishments, and increasing the use of long-term methods



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

The Guidelines for the Institutionalization of Comprehensive Sexual Education were developed



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

The health system increased its capacities to contribute to the prevention/reduction of new HIV infections and other sexually transmitted infections under the new National Law on Comprehensive Response to HIV, Viral Hepatitis, Other Sexually Transmitted Infections and Tuberculosis (Law 27,675



SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AND REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS DIPLOMA



# **CENSUS**



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

A diploma in sexual and reproductive health and rights was developed in agreement with the College of Obstetrics of the Province of Buenos Aires Within the framework of the 2022 census, which incorporated the self-identification of gender identity and people of African descent at the population level, UNFPA supported the National Institute of Statistics and Censuses in its communication and dissemination strategy, through the preparation of communications focused on populations of African descent

Seven perinatal teams were formed in three obstetric centres

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#### **LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND**



#### **DATA ON ADOLESCENT PREGNANCY**



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

A comprehensive care standard for people of diverse sexual orientation was approved by and disseminated in cooperation with the Ministry of Health and Sports

The teenage pregnancy rate dropped from 50.97 per cent (2018) to 26.1 per cent (2022) according to data from the National Health Information System and the Ministry of Health and Sports

The certification process for comprehensive and differentiated adolescent care was strengthened through the implementation of the model's nine criteria and standards, and 120 health establishments in the country received comprehensive and differentiated adolescent care certification as a result



## **HEALTH POLICY**



#### ADOLESCENT HEALTH COMPETENCIES



#### **SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY**

The Autonomous Municipal Government of El Alto prepared a municipal health plan involving multisectoral participation to improve the guaranteed availability of services and supplies in sexual, reproductive, maternal, neonatal and adolescent health

518 health professionals from 79 health establishments strengthened their knowledge, attitudes and skills as a result of training on contraceptive technology, comprehensive and differentiated care for adolescents, comprehensive care for survivors of violence and the leave no one behind principle

The Ministry of Health and Sports and 97 municipal governments (representing 29 per cent of all municipalities in the country) signed intergovernmental agreements to guarantee specific resources and secure the procurement of at least five modern contraceptives



**BRAZIL** 2022

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# **Key Results Achieved in 2022**



#### PREVENTING **MATERNAL DEATHS**



# NATIONAL STATISTICS



#### LIFE-SAVING **INFORMATION AND** CARE

In the framework of Operação Acolhida, aiming to assist Venezuelan and Brazilian pregnant women, an action plan for preventable maternal deaths was established in partnership with local governments in Roraima and Amazonas

Professionals from 25 national statistical offices from Africa. Latin America and Asia strengthened their technical and methodological knowledge through a learning visit, field participation and technical discussion as part of a South-South and triangular cooperation initiative with Brazil

265 Venezuelan pregnant and 337 lactating women benefited from life-saving information and care, and around 500 pregnant women (Brazilian and Venezuelan) were transported to receive emergency health care as a result of UNFPA facilitating referrals from the community to emergency obstetric and newborn care



## **SEXUAL AND** REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**



# **MIDWIVES TRAINED**



#### **LEAVING NO ONE** BEHIND

32,846 people in forced displacement (63 per cent women, 37 per cent men, 20 per cent of those indigenous) benefited from life-saving information and care on sexual and reproductive health and gender-based violence and 14,485 Venezuelan migrant women were provided with life-saving gender-based violence information

More than 4,000 health professionals from 248 healthcare facilities were trained in human rights, respectful birth and obstetric care as part of the Enlace project

21 young people with disabilities were trained in activism on human rights and the rights of people with disabilities through the Inclusive Nós initiative, which is focused on leaving no one behind

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# **CARIBBEAN SUB-REGIONAL OFFICE 2022**

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# **Key Results Achieved in 2022**



#### **INTEGRATED HIV PREVENTION SERVICES**

In Guyana, UNFPA supported the delivery of integrated services on HIV prevention, targeting marginalized and underserved segments of the population



#### **NATIONAL ADOLESCENT HEALTH STRATEGIC PLAN**

Belize launched its Adolescent Health National Strategic Plan 2019-2030, which was developed in collaboration with UNFPA, the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) and the World Health Organization (WHO)



#### **DATA ON ADOLESCENT PREGNANCY**

The results obtained through the MILENA study provided Suriname institutions with key information and evidence to advocate for increased resources to address adolescent pregnancy and early motherhood



#### MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICE PACKAGE

The minimum initial service package was integrated into the emergency response plan of the Tobago **Emergency Management Agency** as a result of continued advocacy and engagement



#### **CENSUS**

Belize, Saint Lucia, Antigua and Barbuda, and Trinidad and Tobago were supported with licences for geographical information system software (ArcGIS), to be used in census data collection



#### **POPULATION POLICY**

Dominica completed a population policy and action plan



#### **ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS**

In Trinidad and Tobago, under the national Spotlight Initiative, 816 care and counselling sessions were conducted with survivors and people at risk of violence, and 31 sexual and reproductive health and psychological support sessions were conducted for people with disabilities



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

Caring for women subjected to violence: A WHO curriculum for training health-care providers was contextualized to Jamaica and uploaded to the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) virtual campus; 15 trainers of trainers were certified to train in the curriculum, and the training was scaled up to 65 health providers



#### **COORDINATION BODY FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE**

Gender-based violence coordination mechanisms were established and became functional in Aruba, Curacao, Guyana and Trinidad and Tobago as part of the Interagency Coordination Platform for Refugees and Migrants from Venezuela (R4V)



#### **INNOVATION AND DIGITIZATION**

An integrated sexual and reproductive health and rights and gender-based violence virtual knowledge platform was launched as part of the Spotlight Initiative to underpin the work of the Caribbean Observatory on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights



#### **GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE**

In Grenada, the Ministry of Social and Community Development, Housing and Gender Affairs launched the National Standard Operating Procedures for Gender-Based Violence (Essential Services Package sectors)



#### **POPULATION POLICY**

In Suriname, the National Population Policy 2021-2040 was launched as a result of a collective effort of the Ministry of Home Affairs, the Planning Office of Suriname and the General Statistical Bureau of Suriname

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## DATA ON MATERNAL AND PERINATAL MORTALITY



# DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



# **CENSUS**

The multi-country study Rapid
Diagnosis of the Determinants and
Factors Contributing to the Increase
in Maternal and Perinatal Mortality
during the COVID-19 Pandemic in
the Latin American and Caribbean
Region: Establishing the Basis
for Countries to be Prepared and
Develop Effective Responses was
disseminated by the Ministry of
Health at the national level

The National Survey of Health, Sexuality and Gender 2022–2023 included sexual and reproductive health and gender-based violence modules The Interagency Technical Group in support of the 2024 Population and Housing Census was constituted under the leadership of the Office of the Resident Coordinator



# RAPID NEEDS ASSESSMENT



# MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICE PACKAGE



# QUALITY OF CARE

A rapid needs assessment for sexual and reproductive health and gender-based violence in the northern macro-zone of the country was carried out to improve the response from the State and from the United Nations system

39 health professionals were trained in the minimum initial service package

The gender-based violence case management capacities of 25 psychosocial professionals in the northern macro-zone, from the Ministry of Health, the International Organization for Migration and the Ministry of Women and Gender Equality, were strengthened through online training

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# MATERNAL DEATH NOTIFICATION



# COORDINATION BODY FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

No maternal deaths were reported in 2022 in an area with Afro-Colombian and indigenous populations following the introduction of "Partera Vital", an innovative community-based midwifery programme

The consolidation of an alert system was achieved through the national coordination platform for gender-based violence, in which territories can identify situations of gender-based violence; this information can be taken into account for intervention planning and interagency and intersectoral coordination

1,200 adolescents and young people, 150 parents or caregivers, and 242 institutional and community actors were provided with comprehensive sexuality education outside of school, with an emphasis on adolescents and young people in a humanitarian crisis situations



# ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS



# POLICY, LEGAL AND ACCOUNTABILITY FRAMEWORKS



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

29,242 people accessed gender-based violence services (7,562 girls and adolescent girls, 18,301 women over 18, 1,842 boys and adolescent boys and 1,537 men over 18) 2,500 survivors of gender-based violence were assisted by protection and justice institutions, achieving greater access to justice and protection for survivors of gender-based violence

More than 2,000 health service providers and more than 470 indigenous and Afro-Colombian traditional birth attendants built capacity in sexual and reproductive health and gender-based violence





COMMISSION ON SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH



POPULATION AND DEVELOPMENT POLICY



**CENSUS** 

The inter-institutional Commission on Sexual and Reproductive Health was reactivated

The Montevideo Consensus was included as a strategic framework in the National Development and Public Investment Plan 2023–2026 in alliance with the Ministry of National Planning and Economic Policy and other institutions and civil society representatives

UNFPA supported the 2022
Population and Housing Census, including through technical support for the analysis of the coverage and quality of the preliminary results and the facilitation of the coding of economic census variables



MUNICIPAL OFFICES FOR WOMEN PLATFORM



ADOLESCENT
PREGNANCY AND
GENDER-BASED
VIOLENCE PREVENTION



LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND

90 per cent of local governments attended the First Meeting of Municipal Offices for Women and designed a route map to strengthen their role in local policies and promote an increase in the budget allocation for women in a situation of vulnerability

84 national officers and 35 non-governmental organization representatives from rural, coastal and border cantons received training based on the toolkit for the prevention of adolescent pregnancy and gender-based violence produced by UNFPA and the National Institute for Women

30 women with disabilities and 35 youths of African descent received training on sexual and reproductive health in line with the "leave no one behind" principle, strengthening their capacities to demand reproductive rights

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#### **REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS, LAWS AND POLICIES**

A rights-based Family Code was adopted through a referendum in September 2022; it ensures the reproductive rights of all people in Cuba regardless of sexual orientation, expands rights and protections for older people, and sets out measures against gender violence



# **POPULATION POLICY**

The national policy to address population dynamics was strengthened through the incorporation of a new component to address youth, human mobility and the mainstreaming of the human rights-based approach



## **HIV-RELATED INFORMATION AND SERVICES**

Approximately 22,400 people from key populations in the HIV epidemic in Cuba benefited from educational material for awareness-raising and training of health and educational staff and community network leaders on sexually transmitted infections and HIV prevention and the protection of rights



# QUALITY OF CARE

The Action Guide for Respectful Childbirth Care was published by the Ministry of Public Health



# **ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL** AND REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**

19 municipalities implemented quality standards for comprehensive adolescent health services, with an emphasis on sexual and reproductive health-care services



## **CENSUS**

Around 60 officials, technicians and specialists from the national statistical office at the national and subnational levels were trained in demographic analysis, censuses, fertility, ageing and population dynamics





SEXUAL AND
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IN EMERGENCIES



NATIONAL REGISTRATION SYSTEM FOR HEALTH CARE



DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

The Guide on Sexual and Reproductive Health in Emergency Contexts was updated The provision of contraceptives was formally incorporated into the national registration system for primary health care

A comprehensive conceptual framework for data collection on gender-based violence was developed



EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE



SEXUAL AND
REPRODUCTIVE
HEALTH INFORMATION
AND SERVICES



QUALITY OF CARE

598 health staff were trained in emergency obstetric and newborn care

663 girls and male and female adolescents were reached through gender-based violence prevention and sexual health and rights awareness programmes Doctors and nurses from 23 primary care units were trained and received the equipment needed for placing intrauterine devices and implants; after the two months of implementation, the number of intrauterine devices placed increased from 33 in 2021 to 831 in 2022 in the Province of San Juan

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#### **GENDER EQUALITY**



# **QUALITY OF CARE**



# CENSUS

The National Gender Equality Agenda 2021-2025, containing the national gender policy, and including key issues such as gender-based violence and sexual and reproductive health, was formulated in alliance with the National Council for **Gender Equality** 

Regulatory documents for sexual and reproductive health were developed, including the Comprehensive Care Manual for Pregnant Adolescents under 15 Years of Age, the Sexual and Reproductive Health Manual in Emergency Contexts, the Good Practice Manual for the Prevention of Gynaecological-Obstetric Violence and the Clinical Management Protocol for Survivors of Sexual Violence

**UNFPA** supported conducting the 2022 national population and housing census, incorporating international standards to generate highquality and disaggregated information including data on the populations left furthest behind



# **QUALITY OF CARE**



## **BUDGET LINE FOR CONTRACEPTIVES**



#### **FAMILY PLANNING** SERVICES

50,000 health professionals strengthened their gender-based violence capacities through the virtual and self-instructional course on the "Technical Standard for Comprehensive Care for Victims of Gender-based Violence and Serious Human Rights Violations (2022)", in partnership with the Ministry of Public Health and within the framework of the Spotlight Initiative

The Ministry of Public Health maintained a budget allocation for the acquisition of modern contraceptive methods, promoting free access to such methods in the public health system

164 health establishments offered at least five family planning methods

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#### COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

The programme of the National Institute for Teacher Training of the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology was strengthened through the addition of the Basic Course of Comprehensive Education in Sexuality, reaching approximately 5,670 students through one or two courses as part of the replica courses developed by 379 trained teachers



## COMPREHENSIVE **SEXUALITY EDUCATION**

The topics of comprehensive sexuality education, teenage pregnancy, sexual violence, reparation and nondiscrimination, among other topics, were incorporated into the new Growing Together Law, after a legal process through the Government and the Legislative Assembly



#### **DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE**

A gap marker for the care of women and girls who face gender-based violence at the territorial level was validated and piloted within the framework of the Spotlight Initiative, with the aim of capturing the state of essential services and designing an improvement plan tailored to the conditions of each municipality



## **COORDINATION BODY** FOR GENDER-BASED **VIOLENCE**

The care programme for relatives of victims of femicide was validated and anchored to the national system for coordination and monitoring of women's rights, which will be implemented by the Government within the framework of the National Equality Plan 2021-2025



#### **GENDER-BASED** IOLENCE PREVENTION COURSE

Two new diploma courses were validated for those working with religious leaders of various denominations to prevent violence against women and girls



# QUALITY OF CARE

An Orientation Guide for Families on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Gender-based Violence was developed in coordination with government institutions and families of people with intellectual disabilities

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# **HUMAN RIGHTS**



#### **SEXUAL VIOLENCE POLICY**



## OUT-OF-SCHOOL COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

A tool for the promotion of the human rights of young people was developed by UNFPA, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and the National Youth Council

The action plan for the implementation of the public policy against sexual violence in Guatemala was developed in coordination with the Ministry of the Interior, the Ministry of Security and the sexual violence coordination mechanism of the Social Cabinet

Two out-of-school comprehensive sexuality education training programmes were implemented by the Ministry of Public Health and Welfare and the national comprehensive sexuality education coordination mechanism



# MIDWIVES TRAINED



## **SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY**



# **QUALITY OF CARE**

188 midwives were trained in partnership with the national association of midwives and the Ministry of Public Health and Welfare

A plan for the estimation and purchase of supplies and drugs for sexual and reproductive health was developed, allowing Guatemala to maintain adequate supply levels for 2.1 million women of childbearing age

Training processes for the application of care standards were implemented for the staff of the 29 health area directorates, with an emphasis on friendly spaces and the use of quality standards for adolescent health care





# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES



ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS



# HEALTH SERVICES FOR SEXUAL VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

93 per cent of service delivery points offered family planning services, including long-acting reversible contraception, mainly the implant The mapping of holistic gender-based violence service delivery, available in 90 per cent of the departments, improved access of gender-based violence survivors to high-quality, essential sexual and reproductive health and gender-based violence services, and allowed health facilities across the country to address the needs of all reported gender-based violence survivors (17,379, including 1,589 survivors of sexual violence)

100 per cent of the sexual and gender-based violence survivors identified by UNFPA received at least one service through health facilities, women-led organizations and nongovernmental organizations



# QUALITY OF CARE AND SERVICES



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES



# **GIRL SPACES**

303 people were trained to promote the one-stop centre for victims of sexual and genderbased violence; they conducted 111 awareness-raising sessions on gender-based violence reaching 4,137 people (2,364 women and 1,773 men) There were 17,271 new users of modern family planning methods (provided directly by UNFPA-supported health facilities)

A cohort of 9,349 girls aged 10–19 years was empowered on a weekly basis with a training programme provided through girls' spaces established in eight communes of the North-East Department and the West Department

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## LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

The number of health regions with an installed logistics administration system for medicines and supplies increased from 11 regions in 2021 to 18 regions in 2022



# HEALTH SERVICES FOR SEXUAL VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

Ministerial Agreement of the Protocol for Comprehensive Care for Victims of Sexual Violence, which includes the use of emergency contraception, was validated and formalized



# **CENSUS**

A profile document to carry out the National Population and Housing Census 2024 was prepared



# **MOBILE CLINICS**

12 fixed and 36 mobile safe spaces were installed, and 84 mobile brigades reached 12,578 people, including 2,134 returned migrants, 175 people with disabilities, 129 internally displaced people, 418 Afro-Hondurans, 192 indigenous people and 19 marginalized people, within the framework of the Central Emergency Response Fund project



# GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE IN EMERGENCIES

Minimum standards on genderbased violence in emergencies were integrated into national humanitarian preparedness and response frameworks



## **DIGNITY KITS**

2,000 dignity kits were delivered to women affected by humanitarian crises





#### MIDWIFERY CURRICULUM





# GUIDE FOR CONTRACEPTIVES

The guide for the prescription of long-acting reversible contraceptives for adolescents was elaborated, disseminated and distributed to youth-friendly services in cooperation with the National Centre for Gender Equality and Reproductive and Sexual Health



# **HEALTH POLICY**

With the support of the Implementation of Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis project, access to pre-exposure prophylaxis became a public policy through the Mexican Social Security Institute



# POPULATION PROJECTIONS

Population projections for 2022–2070 were produced in collaboration with the National Population Council using the 2020 census information



# **MIDWIVES TRAINED**

120 traditional midwives were trained in the Municipalities of Huejutla de Reyes, Molango, Tulancingo and Pachuca



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION

The number of states that included young people in policy dialogue and decision-making mechanisms to promote sustainable development, disaster risk reduction and response to emergencies increased from two states in 2020 to six states in 2022

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ADOLESCENT-**FRIENDLY SEXUAL** AND REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES** 



**SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT** STRATEGY



**PREVENTING** CONTRACEPTIVE **STOCK-OUTS** 

The Ministry of Health approved Guidelines No. 206: Regulation for the Comprehensive Care of Adolescents, which includes quality standards and comprehensive sexuality education concepts; this regulation will facilitate the acceleration and scaling up of comprehensive sexuality education implementation in health units across the country

Domestic financing for the purchase of modern contraceptive methods increased by 9.6 per cent

The percentage of service delivery points without a stockout of modern contraceptive methods in the last six months of 2022 improved from 43 per cent to 81 per cent



**NATIONAL ESSENTIAL MEDICINES LIST** 



**PREVENTION OF** TEENAGE PREGNANCY, **GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE AND EARLY** UNIONS



SEXUAL VIOLENCE PROTOCOL

Contraceptive implants were included in the 2022 national essential medicines list, which will contribute to the reduction of adolescent pregnancy

The number of students informed about the prevention of teenage pregnancy, gender-based violence and early marriage increased through weekly "Growing in Values" meetings held in all schools in the country, reaching 246,652 adolescents aged 11-19 from Grades 7-11

The Protocol for the Care of Children and Adolescent Victims of Sexual Violence was implemented, led by the Ministry of the Family, with the participation of key care and iustice institutions

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## ADOLESCENT PREGNANCY PREVENTION STRATEGY

The National Strategy for the Prevention of Adolescent Pregnancy 2021–2024 was developed based on the guiding principles of intersectionality, alliances for sustainability, the human rights approach, interculturality and equity



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

The programme and road map of the Out-of-School Comprehensive Sexuality Education Strategy were designed and validated



# QUALITY OF CARE

22 Ministry of Health health centres applied the eight international standards to improve the quality of adolescentfriendly health services



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION

315 adolescents participated in training activities on HIV prevention and other topics related to sexual and reproductive health



# **DIGNITY KITS**

200 dignity kits were distributed at migration reception stations



# HEALTH WORKERS

125 health workers (community promoters, midwives and other professionals) were trained in family planning, breastfeeding, self-care of health and prevention of gender-based violence and HIV

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PUBLIC BASKET OF CONTRACEPTIVES



**CENSUS** 

There was an increase in the number of health establishments offering comprehensive care to adolescents, to 69 per cent of regional hospitals and 6.4 per cent of establishments that are part of the comprehensive and integrated network of health services

The monthly injectable contraceptive was included in the public basket of contraceptives

The eighth National Population and Housing Census, the fourth National Population and Housing Census of Indigenous Peoples and the first National Survey of the Situation of Women in Paraguay were conducted



DATA ON HIV

The results of the study Index of Stigma and Discrimination in people with HIV (INDEX 2.0) revealed barriers to timely HIV diagnosis and treatment



OUT-OF-SCHOOL
COMPREHENSIVE
SEXUALITY EDUCATION

549,406 adolescents aged 15–19 were reached through the Comprehensive Sexuality Education Strategy outside of school



QUALITY OF CARE

668 health providers were trained in gender and comprehensive care for sexual, intrafamily and gender-based violence







#### **LEAVING NO ONE** BEHIND



#### MATERNAL DEATH NOTIFICATION



#### **HEALTH STANDARDS**

The National Policy for Peoples of African Descent acknowledged and addressed the increased vulnerability of Afro-Peruvian girls, adolescents and women to gender-based violence

Maternal deaths dropped to precoronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic levels, due to a large extent to the vaccination of pregnant women, which was strongly advocated for by UNFPA and the gynaecologists' professional association

Technical health standards were approved for the prevention of violence and attention paid to violence in sexual and reproductive health services to improve the quality of services



#### **INNOVATION AND DIGITIZATION**



#### **LEAVING NO ONE** BEHIND



#### **SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES**

A digital tool to trace the supply of contraceptives in health establishments country-wide was developed and used by the General Directorate of Medicines. Supplies and Drugs

Policy instruments to enhance the quality of care and integration of the "leave no one behind" approach in the administration of justice were launched by the justice sector

5,200 refugee and migrant women from Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and women from the receiving community and 1,300 men were provided with life-saving sexual and reproductive health services, with an emphasis on family planning and maternal health, in the San Juan de Lurigancho District

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#### **MATERNAL DEATH** NOTIFICATION



#### **CENSUS**



#### **CENSUS**

The country registered 1 maternal death in 2022; 6 maternal deaths were registered in 2018 and 5 in 2019, which increased to 11 and 20 in 2020 and 2021 due to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic

The results of the first National and Regional Census of Obstetrician Midwives were published

The experimental census was carried out by the National Institute of Statistics



#### **LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND**



### SEXUAL EDUCATION



#### DATA ON HIV

The first national meeting on the topic "Afro-descendants, institutions and public policies: contributions for the incorporation of the ethnic-racial dimension in subnational public policies" was held

Sexual education was redefined as mandatory for all education systems, and new topics, including digital violence, will be incorporated

The results of the joint study "Sexualities, sexual health and HIV in adolescents and young people from 15 to 24 years of Montevideo", implemented by the Research Group on Sexualities of the University of the Republic's Faculty of Social Sciences, UNFPA and the Joint United Nations Programme on HIV and AIDS, provided data on the role of social networks, access to health services, HIV management, situations of discrimination and violence, and levels of information and risk perception related to sexually transmitted infections and HIV





#### CENSUS



# DEMOGRAPHIC DYNAMICS



# MATERNAL HEALTH STRATEGY

Population and housing census data collected on the e-census platform were validated The demographic statistics subcommittees strengthened their statistics capabilities, specifically on the population with disabilities, adolescent pregnancy, vital statistics, the population of African descent and the indigenous population

The Operational Manual for the Implementation of the Maternal Route Strategy was validated by the Ministry of Health



# VITAL STATISTICS



### **CARE SPACES**



#### GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE PLATFORM

19 states had updated vital statistics records at the national level, conducted with the National Statistics Institute 684 victims of sexual violence benefited from care spaces

The number of gender-based violence service referral routes available to service providers was increased to 13



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# WEST AND CENTRAL AFRICA

Benin

Burkina Faso

Cabo Verde

Cameroon

Central African Republic

Chad

Congo

Côte d'Ivoire

**Equatorial Guinea** 

Gabon

Gambia

Ghana

Guinea

Guinea-Bissau

Liberia

Mali

Mauritania

Niger

Nigeria

Sao Tome and Principe

Senegal

Sierra Leone

Togo





# POPULATION STATISTICS DATA SET

The 2021 report on gendersensitive civil status statistics, providing data on registered births, deaths and marriages, was made available



#### SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

Guidelines for the distribution of health products until the last mile were validated as a result of an inclusive and consensual process involving all stakeholders in the health product supply chain



#### DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

The Integrated Data System relating to Family, Women and Children was updated to allow the geolocation of gender-based violence and the web visualization of statistical data



# SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES

3,073,067 adolescents and young people were reached through a package of sexual and reproductive health, family planning and gender-based violence services



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

There were 769,904 new recipients of modern family planning methods



#### SCHOOL-BASED COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

919 schools provided the sexual health education programme





#### **DEMOGRAPHIC DIVIDEND**



#### **CENSUS**



#### MENSTRUAL HEALTH **AND HYGIENE**

The 2023-2025 action plan of the road map for capturing the demographic dividend in Burkina Faso was made available

24,969 counting areas were digitized as part of the fifth general population and housing census

10,000 girls were provided with reusable menstrual hygiene kits



#### **POPULATION DATA**





#### **OBSTETRIC** COMPLICATIONS

102,550 children (49,869 girls and 52,681 boys) were registered in the national server as part of the modernization of civil status

60.141 women benefited from the minimum initial service package services as a result of the training of 152 health and social action agents

56.422 cases of direct obstetric complications were managed









# **CABO VERDE** 2022

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### **Key Results Achieved in 2022**



#### **QUALITY OF CARE**



#### **POPULATION DATA**



# YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION

32 health professionals from the islands of Santo Antão, São Nicolau, Boa Vista, Santiago and Maio benefited from training in Mindelo, São Vicente, to enable them to carry out post-partum evaluation and follow-up, prevent possible complications during labour, carry out the timely diagnosis of dystocia for rapid action and provide greater client satisfaction

The childbirth registration and monitoring system/partogram was implemented at the national level in all health structures located in the 22 municipalities

The Declaration of Porto Inglês was adopted; it sets out the priorities and commitments of young people and national authorities, aiming to strengthen the participation of young people in the country's development process



#### STRATEGIC PLAN FOR SUPPORT TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES



#### GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

The Strategic Plan for Support to Persons with Disabilities was developed 75 per cent of health and education professionals and police had competencies in gender-based violence prevention and response

1,500 adolescents were reached by a comprehensive sexual education programme aligned with international standards





#### SUPPLY CHAIN **MANAGEMENT** STRATEGY



#### ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**



#### **ESSENTIAL SERVICES** FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

A country compact between the Government and UNFPA Supplies to scale up the acquisition and management of reproductive health and family planning products over 2022-2026 was signed

A Government order authorizing the creation of adolescent reproductive health units at the regional level was signed

26,824 more women and girls received at least one genderbased violence essential service



### **QUALITY OF CARE**



#### **EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE**



#### SAFE SPACES

207 health providers and 205 community health workers were trained in the provision of comprehensive family planning 155 health facilities in the national emergency obstetric and newborn care network provided integrated maternal and neonatal health services, taking into account the humanitarian context and public health emergency, compared with 100 health facilities in 2021

24 safe spaces providing integrated gender-based violence prevention and response services were set up and functional in 2022





#### **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

54 women suffering from obstetric fistula were operated on with the help of specialist surgeons trained by UNFPA through South-South cooperation with an institution in Benin



#### YOUTH LEADERSHIP & **PARTICIPATION**

55,594 people were provided with contraceptives through collaboration with youth organizations including those for people living with HIV



#### FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

There were 46,343 new recipients of family planning services



#### **ESSENTIAL SERVICES** FOR GENDER-BASED **VIOLENCE SURVIVORS**

4,224 survivors of genderbased violence including 1,246 survivors of rape, were treated within 72 hours, with the support of 18 safe spaces or care centres located in Bangui, Bangassou, Berbérati, Boda, Bouar, Kouango, Nola and Sibut



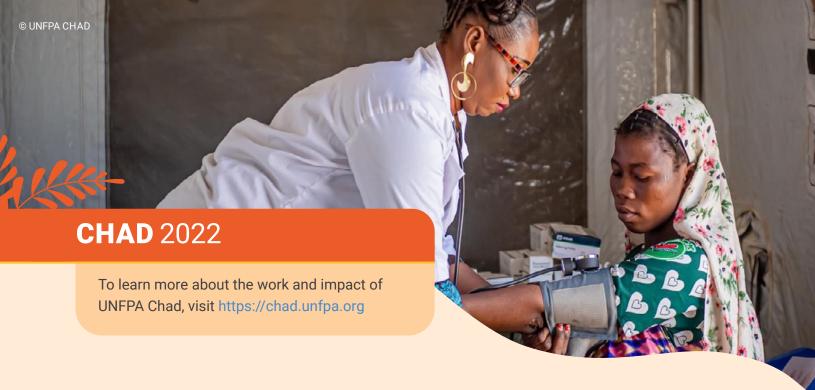
#### **FAMILY PLANNING**

More than 650 community and religious leaders committed to promoting the issue of family planning in their respective circles



#### **EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE**

The capacities of 12 health facilities - 5 in comprehensive emergency obstetric and neonatal care and 7 in basic emergency obstetric and neonatal care - were strengthened to provide high-quality services for pregnant women





# EDUCATION FOR LIFE AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH



# MATERNAL HEALTH SERVICES



#### **QUALITY OF CARE**

The launch of education for life and reproductive health for young people contributed to an increase in the number of young people and adolescents accepting contraceptive methods

364,135 women attended their first antenatal consultation and 37,189 attended their fourth antenatal consultation

111 midwives, recruited and deployed in 12 provinces for the provision of reproductive health services, carried out 161,420 safe deliveries with the aim of accelerating zero preventable maternal deaths



#### SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES



#### ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS



#### **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

155,277 adolescents and young people benefited sexual and reproductive health services, of which 124,103 accepted contraceptive methods 6,265 survivors of genderbased violence benefited from multifaceted service packages including psychosocial and medical care, legal aid and legal assistance 345 women with obstetric fistula were treated







SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

The Ministry of Health and Population set up a national committee for the quantification of drugs and health products, which developed a drug supply plan, and nearly 422 health products were selected during the national quantification exercise for reproductive health products and essential and generic drugs, including 22 for reproductive health including family planning



NURSING AND MIDWIFERY GOVERNANCE AND OVERSIGHT

The capacities of the National Association of Midwives of Congo were strengthened through he establishment of an electronic professional register



INTEGRATED SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH AND HIV SERVICES

160,786 adolescent girls, youths, indigenous people, women living with disabilities and women living with HIV/ AIDS received integrated sexual and reproductive health and HIV services



HUMANITARIAN OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE

In situations of humanitarian crisis, there were 15,699 prenatal consultations and 4,771 deliveries, including 299 caesarean sections (6.25 per cent), in the Departments of Pool, Plateaux, Cuvette, Likouala and Pointe-Noire



DATA ON HEALTH WORKERS

The Ministry of Health and Population mapped health workers actually present in public health facilities, in collaboration with UNFPA and the World Bank



**LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND** 

The mapping of the population groups that are hardest for sexual and reproductive health services, including family planning, to reach was carried out in Brazzaville, Ouesso, Dolisie, Pointe-Noire and Sibiti

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#### **EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE**



#### **MENSTRUAL HEALTH** AND HYGIENE



#### **PUBLIC DECLARATIONS** TO END HARMFUL **PRACTICES**

The Minister for Health officially validated the Emergency Obstetric and Neonatal Care Network and disseminated information on the network to all partners

A national guidebook on menstrual health and hygiene was developed jointly by the ministries of education and health, in partnership with UNFPA and civil society organizations

150 communities had committed to the abandonment of harmful practices, including female genital mutilation and child marriage, in Didiévi, Kong, Diawala, Bloléguin, Touba, Grand-Béréby, Tabagne, Taoudi, Vavoua, Odienné, Port-Bouët, Grand-Lahou, Songon and Anyama



#### MENSTRUAL HEALTH **AND HYGIENE**



#### **SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES**



#### **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

2,000 girls received menstrual hygiene kits and were trained in menstruation management

57,997 adolescents and young people received sexual and reproductive health services

361 women with obstetric fistula were operated on





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#### DATA ON GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE



# INNOVATION AND DIGITIZATION



#### EMERGENCY OBSTETRIC AND NEWBORN CARE

A nationwide study to collect data on gender-based violence in Equatorial Guinea was carried out A computer application was developed that allows health-care workers in maternity wards to have 24/7 access to worldwide technical support when faced with a difficult case 25 public health facilities provided emergency obstetric and newborn care in 2022, compared with 23 in 2021



#### ADOLESCENT-FRIENDLY HEALTH SERVICES



#### SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY



#### LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

70 health facilities provided comprehensive health care for adolescents and young people

The staff of 27 district health facilities were trained in the management of the supply chain of medicines and other supplies, and handling of medical equipment

An information system for logistics management and monitoring of medicines and family planning supplies was developed



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#### **HEALTH POLICY**



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION



### MOBILE CLINICS

A national reproductive health policy for 2022– 2031 was validated

The comprehensive sexuality education capacities of 528 teachers and 77 staff from specialized services in the Provinces of Estuaire, Moyen-Ogooué and Haut-Ogooué were strengthened The purchase of one mobile clinic improved the availability of adolescent and youth sexual and reproductive health



# COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION



# HIV-RELATED INFORMATION AND SERVICES



#### SCHOOL-BASED COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

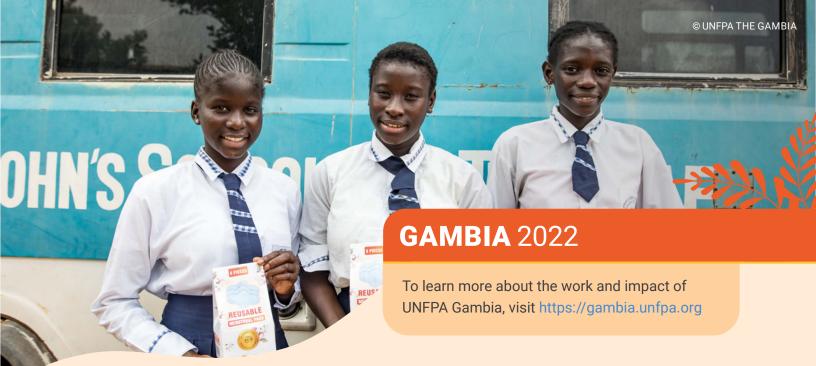
40,888 students enhanced their comprehensive sexuality education knowledge

267 adolescents and young people accessed HIV viral load testing

71 public schools (pre-primary, primary and secondary) had implemented the comprehensive sexuality education programme









PUBLIC DECLARATIONS
TO END HARMFUL
PRACTICES



FEMALE GENITAL
MUTILATION POLICY



OUT-OF-SCHOOL COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION

Three regions had developed a public declaration on ending female genital mutilation

The national female genital mutilation policy with a costed implementation plan was validated

A national out-of-school Comprehensive Sexuality Education manual was finalized



# MATERNAL DEATH NOTIFICATION



PREVENTING CONTRACEPTIVE STOCK-OUTS



ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

There were no registered maternal deaths among the 264 deliveries in the health facility of the Kabilo Baama initiative in the Kiang East District; this initiative aims to improve maternal and child health services at the community level

88.2 per cent of service delivery points that offered three modern contraceptives in accordance with national protocols had no stock-outs in 2022, compared with 75.6 per cent in 2020

611 survivors of gender-based violence were provided with services including psychosocial counselling, clinical management of rape, livelihood and economic empowerment and legal services





REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH DATA FOR PROGRAMME PLANNING



#### **GENDER EQUALITY**



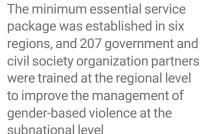
# GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE POLICY

The reproductive health commodity security survey was conducted and resulted in current data on reproductive health security being made available for decision-making and programmes

A national framework was developed by the Ministry of Gender, Children and Social Protection for engaging traditional leaders in a standardized approach and to scale up action to end gender-based violence and harmful practices while promoting gender equality A national policy and plan of action for the Domestic Violence Act was developed



# MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICE PACKAGE





# REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH EDUCATION

96,819 adolescents and young people, including 242 adolescents with disabilities, were provided with reproductive health education through the training, retraining and deployment of 123 peer educators and support for 277 in-school and out-of-school adolescent health clubs in project districts



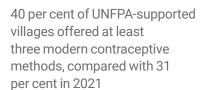
# CHILD, EARLY AND FORCED MARRIAGE

21,952 marginalized adolescent girls at risk of or affected by child marriage benefited from adolescent girls' peer mentoring and reproductive health information





# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES





#### MIDWIVES TRAINED

234 health service providers, including midwives, were trained through mentoring on childbirth, antenatal care, partograph use, resuscitation, episiotomy, post-partum family planning and referrals



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

A national week of free family planning services organized in the 33 prefectures and the special zone of Conakry enabled 60,740 women (45,056 new users and 15,684 existing users) to benefit from a modern family planning method



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

42,427 adolescents aged 10–19 years benefited from modern methods of contraception



#### **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

115 women with obstetric fistula were screened and surgically treated



#### ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

21 new health structures integrated gender-based violence care into their reproductive, maternal, neonatal, infant and adolescent health service package, making it possible to take care of 160 victims of gender-based violence, including 30 victims of rape and 8 children under 15 years

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#### **ENGAGING BOYS** AND MEN



#### **SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT** STRATEGY



#### FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

Four men's club structures were created, and 90 members (28 women, 62 men) built capacity in raising awareness for behaviour change and the abandonment of genderbased violence and female genital mutilation

The Government and UNFPA signed a pact of commitment for the purchase of reproductive health products, including contraceptives

There were 17,505 new users of modern family planning methods



# MINIMUM INITIAL SERVICE PACKAGE



#### **YOUTH LEADERSHIP & PARTICIPATION**



#### OBSTETRIC FISTULA

117 health professionals, including 44 midwives and more than 44 members of health region management teams, were trained in the minimum initial service package

60 young people from youth networks benefited from capacitybuilding in Bafatá on sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights

42 women with obstetric fistula were provided with fistula repair



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#### **CENSUS**



NURSING AND MIDWIFERY GOVERNANCE AND OVERSIGHT



# LEAVING NO ONE

The 2022 National Population and Housing Census data collection was completed

The National Five-Year Midwifery Strategy (2023–2027) and related operational plan were finalized The piloted use of 30 motorcycle riders to deliver timely and essential reproductive health commodities to 20 hard-to-reach health facilities led to 100 per cent or 20/20 facilities receiving their supplies within the first week of the quarterly distribution



### **QUALITY OF CARE**



#### COMPREHENSIVE SEXUALITY EDUCATION



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

Of the 121,384 institutional deliveries in 2022, 91 per cent were conducted by skilled staff, compared with 80 per cent reported by the 2019/20 demographic health survey 74,890 young people were provided with comprehensive sexuality education, in school and outside school settings

527,587 people received family planning commodities, constituting 44 per cent of all people consulted





#### **CENSUS**



#### **ESSENTIAL SERVICES** FOR GENDER-BASED **VIOLENCE SURVIVORS**



#### **PUBLIC DECLARATIONS** TO END HARMFUL **PRACTICES**

The counting phase of the Fifth General Population and Housing Census was completed

80 per cent of the regions of Mali had at least one centre for the care of gender-based violence survivors (16 functional one-stop centres), including in humanitarian zones

More than 300 declarations of abandonment of harmful practices were made by village communities; 216 were supported directly by UNFPA and its partners



# CHILD, EARLY AND FORCED MARRIAGE



#### **PREVENTING STOCK SHORTAGES**



# **FAMILY PLANNING**

The Ministry for the Promotion of Women, Children and the Family disseminated its national multisectoral strategy to end child marriage and the national policy for the promotion of child protection and its action plan

77 per cent of service delivery points did not experience a stock shortage as a result of the Logistics Assistant initiative

There were nearly 300,000 new family planning service users as a result of the national planning campaign and advanced strategies for expanding family planning services at the health district level



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#### **FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION**



### **POPULATION POLICY**



#### **HEALTH STRATEGY**

In the framework of the South-South cooperation between Mauritania, Senegal and Guinea, the qualitative survey on behaviour change to stop female genital mutilation permitted the assessment of the qualitative and quantitative approaches used by the partner non-governmental organizations implementing the Joint Programme on the Elimination of Female Genital Mutilation

The National Population Policy was updated to integrate the Nairobi Recommendations and aligned with the fiveyear plan of the Strategy for Accelerated Growth and Shared Prosperity 2021-2025

The national integrated reproductive health strategy was developed







#### **QUALITY OF CARE**



#### **LOGISTICS MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM**

Over 1,000 women and girls in humanitarian crisis areas who were exposed to gender-based violence were provided with gender-based violence prevention and case management services, life skills training and dignity kits

Staff in 100 health centres and health posts were trained in and equipped with family planning product management tools including stock sheets, delivery notes, order forms and temperature monitoring sheets 200 service providers were trained on-site in reproductive health product logistics management tools





PREVENTING CONTRACEPTIVE STOCK-OUTS





REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH EDUCATION** FOR ADOLESCENTS **AND YOUNG PEOPLE** 

Reproductive health education for adolescents and young people was implemented throughout the country, in school and non-school settings



FAMILY PLANNING **SERVICES** 

There were 115,532 new recipients of family planning methods



# YOUTH POLICY



**NURSING AND MIDWIFERY GOVERNANCE AND OVERSIGHT** 



SAFE SPACES

The Government institutionalized school health clubs by joint decree of the Ministry of National Education and that of Public Health. Population and Social Affairs

The Association of Midwives of Niger upgraded the register of midwifery practitioners in the country to a digital platform

125 safe spaces were set up in Niamey (5), Maradi (23), Tahoua (39), Tillabéri (29) and Zinder (29)



**SUMMARY** 





#### **NATIONAL GENDER** POLICY



#### LOGISTICS **MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM**



#### MATERNAL DEATH NOTIFICATION

The revised National Gender Policy was launched to provide a framework for gender programming and increased multisectoral capacity

The National Contraceptives Logistics Management System guidelines and tools were updated to align with the current need to improve accountability and visibility across the family planning commodity supply chain management system

The National Guidelines and Tools on Maternal. Perinatal and Child Death Surveillance and Response in Nigeria and the trainers and participants manuals on maternal, perinatal and child death surveillance and response in Nigeria were disseminated



#### **FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION**



#### **FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION**



#### **SEXUAL AND** REPRODUCTIVE **HEALTH SERVICES**

The Medical and Dental Council of Nigeria updated its Code of Ethics to reflect the recognition of female genital mutilation as a practice that is harmful and against medical ethics

Five communities declared the abandonment of female genital mutilation as a result of trained religious leaders within Adamawa and Sokoto states under Community Participatory Action Groups sharing messaging on addressing harmful practices and social norms

103,359 individuals were provided with essential reproductive health services and referrals





#### **SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT** STRATEGY

The National Plan for the Supply of Reproductive Health Products for 2022-2026 was developed



#### **SURVEY DATA**

The Government database was updated with survey data (Multiple Indicator Cluster Survey-2019 and the Survey on Family Budgets-2017) and disseminated to 35 technicians from the Ministry of Planning, Finance and Blue Economy and the offices of studies and planning of the Council of Ministers and district councils



#### **SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES**

Around 30,000 people accessed essential (non-coronavirus disease pandemic 2019-related) sexual and reproductive health services



#### **POLICY, LEGAL AND ACCOUNTABILITY FRAMEWORKS**

A system for tracking and monitoring national commitments was integrated in the Ministry of Planning, Finance and Blue Economy



#### **GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE**

20 professionals from the national police and the counselling centre against domestic violence were trained in gender-based violence



#### **SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS INDICATORS**

The Statistical Report on the Sustainable Development Goal Level II Indicators (2021), Survey on the availability of reproductive health products and services (2013-2019) and Demographic and Social Statistics of Sao Tome and Principe (2014-2020) were developed and disseminated

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# FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION

Senegal adopted a national female genital mutilation strategy (2022–2030) accompanied by a five-year action plan (2022–2026)



#### **OBSTETRIC FISTULA**

The Government made a formal commitment to subsidize the cost of treatment for obstetric fistula



#### PREVENTING CONTRACEPTIVE STOCK-OUTS

90 per cent of service delivery points had not experienced a stock-out of contraceptive products in the last six months



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

478,857 women used modern contraceptives



#### PUBLIC DECLARATIONS TO END HARMFUL PRACTICES

102 communities made declarations of abandonment of harmful practices including female genital mutilation and child marriage



#### ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

15,831 adolescent girls and women received genderbased violence prevention and care services







#### **GENDER EQUALITY POLICY**

The Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment Act of 2022 was enacted to address gender imbalances and provide for the promotion of gender equality in various spheres of national development



#### SKILLED BIRTH ATTENDANCE

Skilled birth attendance increased by 15 per cent following the graduation and deployment of 260 additional midwives in health facilities across the country



#### **SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT STRATEGY**

99.3 per cent of all service delivery points offered at least three modern contraceptive methods



#### MATERNAL DEATH **NOTIFICATION**

A 10 per cent reduction in the number of maternal deaths in the country was recorded through the maternal death surveillance and response system, from 507 in 2021 to 454 in 2022



#### **FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES**

55 per cent of women were estimated to have their family planning needs met through a modern method of contraception in 2022, an increase from 45 per cent in 2019



#### **SAFE SPACES**

7,971 marginalized girls, including girls with disabilities, were saved from child marriage through the Safe Spaces Programme









#### **CENSUS**



#### **HUMAN RIGHTS**



#### SEXUAL HEALTH AND HIV INTEGRATED SERVICE DELIVERY

The Fifth General Census of Population and Housing was carried out

A gender and human rights action plan for HIV response was validated and made available to guide future actions An action plan was developed based on the recommendations of the national consultation on adolescent health



# INNOVATION AND DIGITIZATION



# FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES

ESSENTIAL SERVICES FOR GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE SURVIVORS

662,924 young people were reached by an application that provided online advice and guidance on sexual and reproductive health

5,991 new family planning service users were reached by two mobile clinics offering family planning services in the Maritime and Savanes Regions 1,923 people benefited from services through 18 listening and counselling centres for victims of gender-based violence and on the a virtual assistant



