OUR PARTNERSHIP

A partnership to empower women and girls

UNFPA's partnership with Italy is based on a shared commitment to promoting gender equality, safeguarding sexual and reproductive health and rights, and empowering women and girls. As a reliable contributor to our joint programmes, Italy has been engaged in efforts to end gender-based violence and combat harmful practices, such as female genital mutilation and child marriage.

A broad partnership

Italy and UNFPA collaborate in promoting sexual and reproductive health and rights, addressing gender-based violence, including in humanitarian contexts like Afghanistan, providing essential maternal and child health services, enhancing youth health, and advancing the economic and social empowerment of women and girls.

A strengthened collaboration

The partnership between Italy and UNFPA has grown in recent years, and Italy recently increased its support for UNFPA's non-core resources, including an initial allocation of 3 million Euro to the UNFPA Humanitarian Action Thematic Fund.



ABOUT UNFPA

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

All UNFPA funding is voluntary – we rely on governments and other partners to support our programmes.

Our three transformative results:



end the unmet need for family planning

end preventable maternal deaths



end gender-based violence and all harmful practices

Read more about Italy and UNFPA engagement on UNFPA's website:



UNFPA and Italy

A partnership for women and girls

Thanks to UNFPA's strong partnership with Italy, more women and girls around the world are enjoying healthier, more fulfilled lives, free from violence.

See how Italy is making a difference.



RESULTS FOR RESOURCES IN 2022

211,446 unintended pregnancies prevented

58,212 unsafe abortions prevented

33,600

women and young people reached with sexual and reproductive health services



81,600

sexually transmitted infections prevented by providing female and male condoms

944,000

years of protection provided from unintended pregnancy

1,872

HIV infections prevented by providing female and male condoms



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

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102,400

marginalized girls reached by life skills programmes



1,783 girls saved from female genital mutilation

22,400

women, adolescents and youth received high-quality services related to harmful practices