



UKRAINE
FOOD SECURITY
& LIVELIHOODS CLUSTER



**Subnational partners Meeting in
Donetska oblast**
28 Лютого 2024



AGENDA

- 1 Introduction of Participants
- 2 Clusters Updates
- 3 Presentation from Ukrainian Humanitarian Found (UHF)
- 4 Partners' Update
- 5 AOB

Introduction of Participants



FOOD ASSISTANCE IN 2023



4,45 Mln of Food kits



28 Partners reported to the Cluster



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LIVELIHOODS ASSISTANCE IN 2023



6

Partners implemented projects



12

Partners reported to the Cluster



35 / 66

Hromadas received assistance

FSLC in Donetsk oblast: FOOD ASSISTANCE

Reporting Status

14

Reporting
Organization

FSLC CO1



770,666

Assisted



606,202

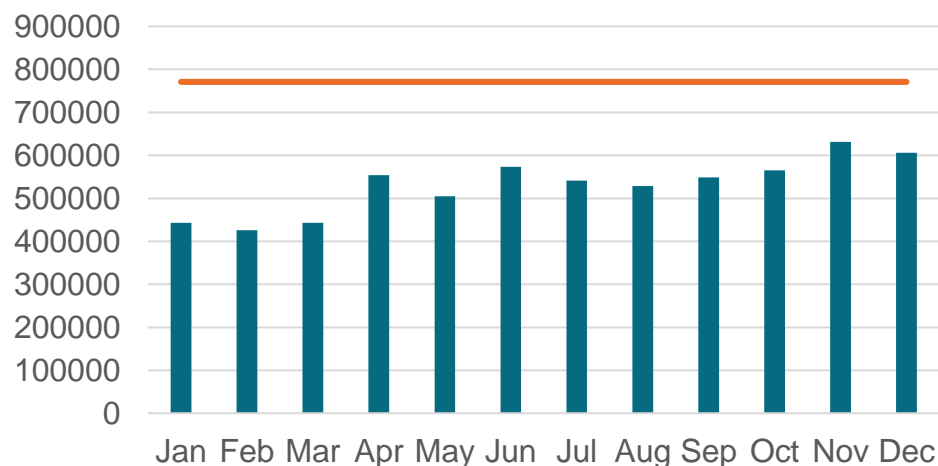
GAP

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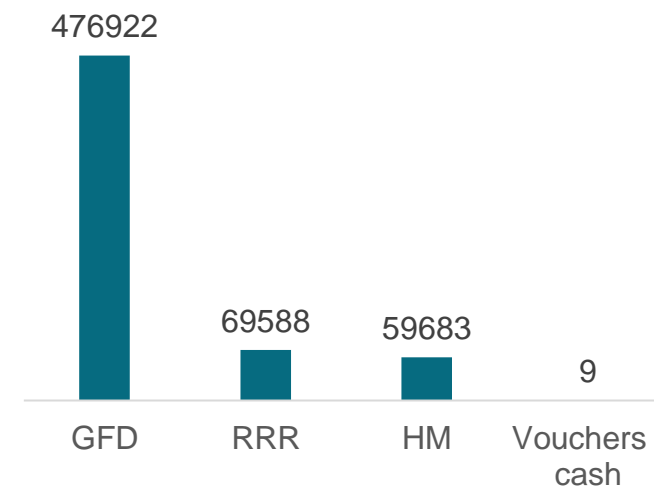
List of Reporting Organization

World Food Programme (WFP)	259,617
Global Empowerment Mission (GEM)	178,700
World Central Kitchen (WCK)	86,756
Samaritan's Purse (SPIR)	32,223
Great Commission Society (GCS)	19,295
Angels of Salvation (AOS)	16,734
Humanitarian Aid and Development Center (HADDC)	5,186
Ukrainian Red Cross Society (URCS)	4,630
Arbeiter-Samariter-Bund Deutschland e.V. (ASB)	1,880
Peaceful Heaven of Kharkiv (PHK)	610
New Way (NW)	407
Lifting Hands International (LHI)	88
Blagorob (Blagorob)	49
Forest Initiatives and Communities (ForestCom)	27

Food Assistance by month:



Modalities



FSLC in Donetsk oblast: Livelihoods Cluster

Reporting Status



FSLC CO2



Assisted



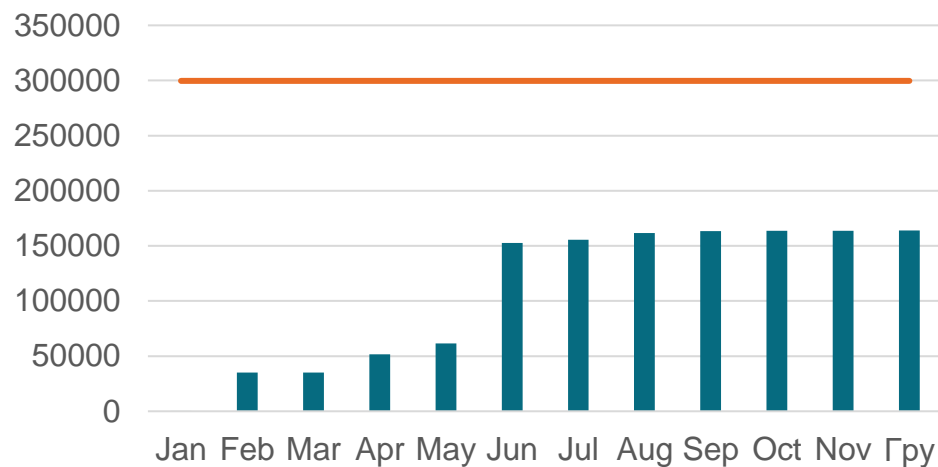
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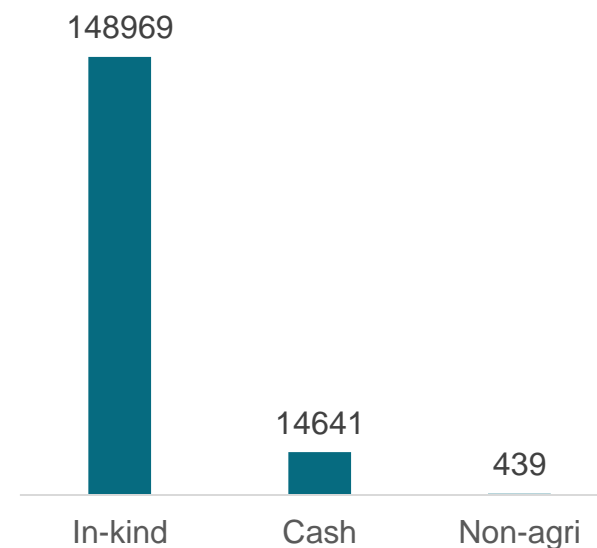
List of Reporting Organizations

Global Empowerment Mission	89,208
Food and Agriculture Organization	73,989
Access Aid Foundation	400
Ukrainian Red Cross Society	153
USAID Agriculture Growing Rural Opportunities Activity	298
Agency for Technical Cooperation and Development	1

Livelihoods Assistance by month:



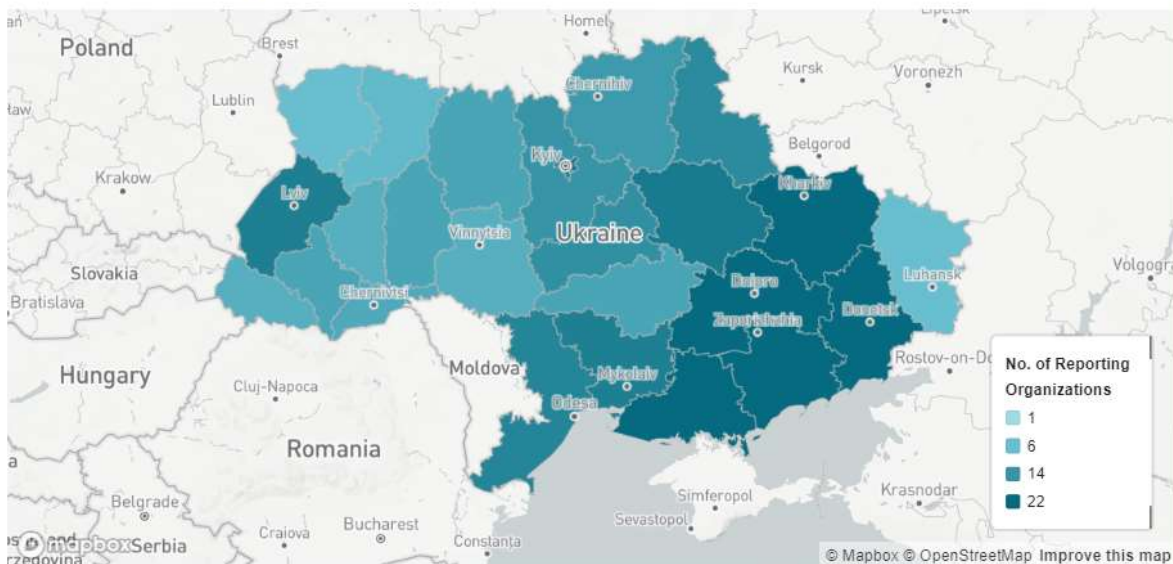
Modalities



FSLC OVERVIEW
2023 Response Dashboard

[Main](#)
[Food Assistance Response](#)
[Food Assistance Gap Analysis](#)
[Livelihood Assistance Response](#)
[Livelihood Assistance Gap Analysis](#)
[Partner Presence Map](#)

Latest update with activities completed in **November 2023**



[People In Need and Target Dashboard](#)

[Ukraine Humanitarian Needs Overview 2023](#)

[Humanitarian Response Plan](#)

Monthly Situation Overview

Select month

November 2023 (Month) + CO1 (.)

November 2023 CO1 - Food Assistance

In November 2023, food assistance was provided to 3,122,642 individuals, reaching 85% of FSLC target. Among the beneficiaries, 78% received general food parcels, while 12.4% were provided with hot meals. Additionally, 9.3% received rapid response rations including bread, and only 0.2% obtained market-based relief vouchers. 67% of food assistance was allocated to non-IDPs, 31% to IDPs, and 1% to returnees. The bulk of food assistance, totaling 89%, was allocated to five specific oblasts: Donetsk, Kharkivska, Khersonska, Zaporizka, and Dnipropetrovska. 40 reporting partners contributed to food assistance in November, including WFP, GEM, WCK, SPIR, U-Saved, WVI, AOS, GCS, Posmishka, URCS, Caritas UA, LH, PHK, DK, CFDE, ERC, PIN, ERC, GoodWill, AAH, NW, FFKR, R2P, ASB, NICCO, ACTED, Blahorob, HIA, 100% Life, NRC, BiY, LHI, EI, CNG, DUA, SVA, CORE, PIN SK, ForestCom, FZ, TBP UA.



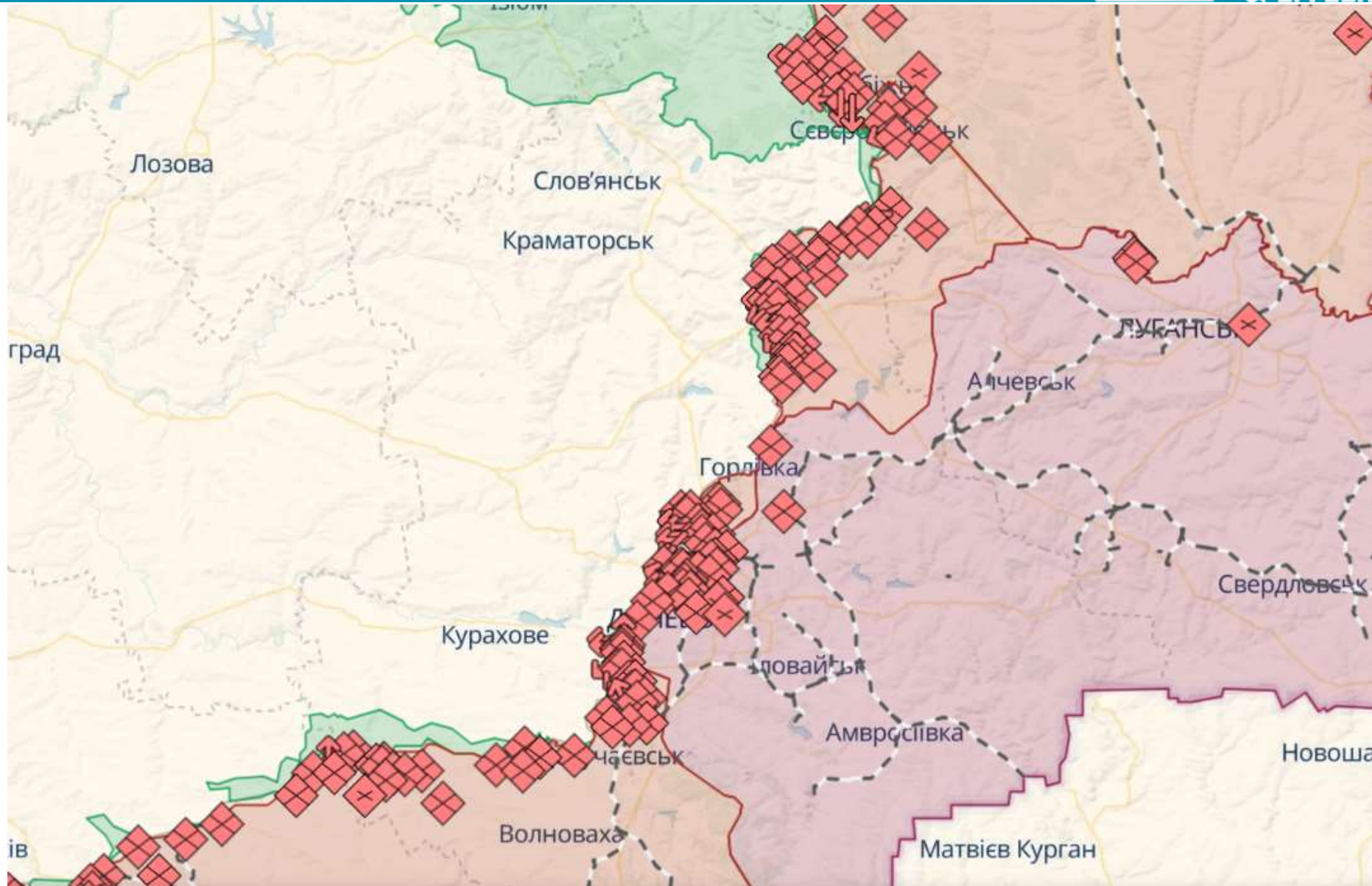
The Food Security and Livelihoods Cluster (FSLC) was established in December 2014 and is led by the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO) and the World Food Programme (WFP). The FSLC coordinates the food security and livelihoods response for more than 500 partners since Russia's full-scale invasion on 24 February 2022.

Response Under HRP 2023 More than 10 million people received food assistance in 2022. Humanitarian needs in areas where ongoing hostilities continue to escalate are increasing. Food insecurity is driven by the war, loss of livelihood opportunities, poverty levels, lack of access to food, and displacement. The number of people in need of food assistance is defined as those who are severely and moderately food insecure.

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Coordination on oblast level



Coordination on oblast level



Презентація від Українського гуманітарного фонду (УНФ)





Presentation to FSL National Partners in Donetska oblast

- 28 February 2024



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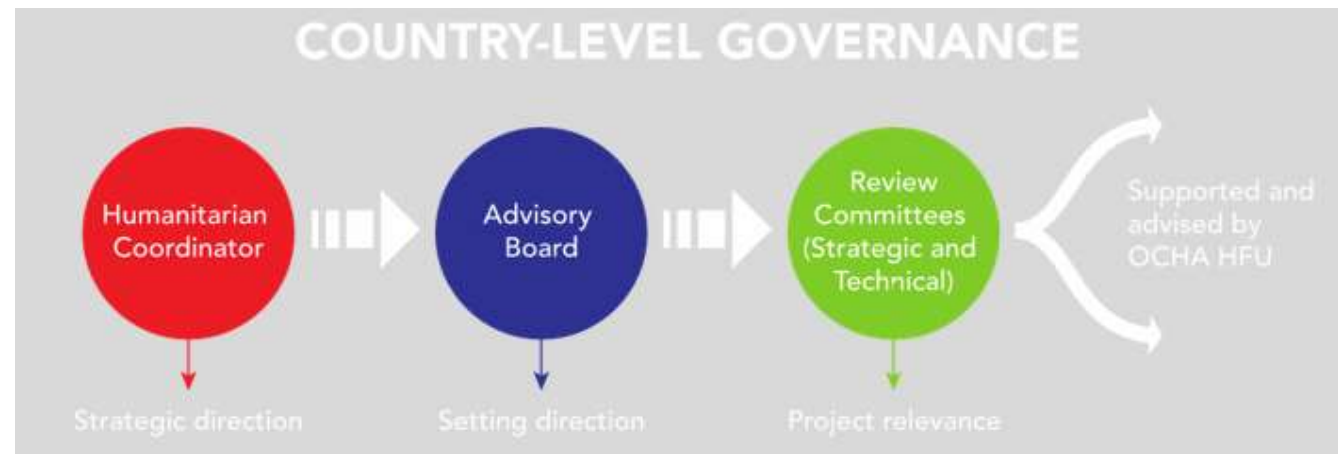
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- INTRODUCTION TO UHF



• INTRODUCTION TO UHF

The Ukraine Humanitarian Fund (UHF) is a country-based pooled fund aimed to support coordinated humanitarian action, in line with the Humanitarian Response Plan (HRP).

The UHF is led by the Humanitarian Coordinator, supported by the Advisory Board, managed by OCHA in cooperation with the Inter-Cluster Coordination Group.



• UHF KEY OBJECTIVES

- Prioritizes needs identified in the HRP and other guiding documents, like Flash Appeal, Winterization Plan, etc
- Provides rapid and flexible funding (through Standard and Reserve Allocations)
- Strengthens the leadership role of the HC
- Promotes coordination through OCHA Inter-Cluster Coordination mechanism
- Ensures inclusiveness and partnership with NGOs, promotes localization agenda





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- Partner eligibility process

PARTNERS



- Input to needs assessments
- Participate in governance
- Implement projects



OCHA

United Nations Office
for the Coordination of
Humanitarian Affairs

• ELIGIBILITY PROCESS FOR UHF PARTNERS

UHF partners - NNGOs, INGOs, UN Agencies, Red Cross Organizations

UHF Eligibility Process (Annex 10 to the CBPF Operational Handbook):

Step 0. Request to ocha-uhf@un.org and online form submission

Step 1. GMS Registration (please e-mail ocha-uhf@un.org for detailed instructions)

Step 2. Due Diligence submission

Step 3. Capacity Assessment

IMPORTANT: Only organizations that have passed the Eligibility Process can see opened allocations and submit project proposals in the Grant Management System, while non-assessed partners may be sub-implementing partners in submissions led by an eligible partner.



2023 UHF Partner Eligibility Minimum Requirements

1. Operating according to humanitarian principles of humanity, neutrality, impartiality and operational independence.
2. Valid registration in Ukraine with ongoing operations in-country.
3. Active membership and reporting to humanitarian cluster(s) in Ukraine.
4. Demonstrable partnership with donors, UN agencies and/or international organizations.
5. Programmatic expenditure/budget of at least \$200,000 for INGOs and \$100,000 for national NGOs per annum in the last two years.
6. Having an operational bank account in USD or EUR in the name of the organization.
7. Demonstrable full programme cycle experience in project management.
8. Demonstrating a clear organizational structure and financial systems and capacity to manage and absorb funds.
9. Having a recognized form of governance overseeing the organization's operations

2023 CBPF Capacity Assessment Criteria

A - Governance and Institutional Capacity

- Mission statement and goals
- Humanitarian principles
- Code of conduct
- Anti-fraud and conflict of interest policies
- Governance structure
- Managerial structure
- Sub-IP management

B - Program and Partnership Capacity

- Experience and current involvement in implementing humanitarian activities
- Participation in cluster/coordination mechanisms
- Geographical coverage
- Use of needs assessments
- Program management and M&E
- Monitoring and reporting
- AAP, PwD and protection/GBV considerations

C - Operational and Financial Capacity

- Computerized and licensed accounting software
- Administrative policies for
 - Financial/accounting aspects
 - Procurement and logistics
 - Human resources
- Segregation of duties
- Stock and asset management system
- Master/ operating budget
- External audits
- Financial risk management

D - Prevention of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse

- PSEA policy and procedures
- Appropriate action taken in response to previous SEA allegations (if any)
- Reporting and monitoring mechanisms for sub-contracting parties
- Vetting procedure
- Mandatory trainings for all personnel

Red questions = excluding questions



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- UHF Types of Allocations

UHF Types of Allocations

- **Standard Allocation**
 - - Allocated once or twice per year.
 - Supports HRP priority activities
 - Longer project duration upto 12 months.
- *Most commonly used in other countries, but not in Ukraine due to a quickly evolving emergency..*
- **Reserve Allocation**
 - Rapid and flexible funding in the event of unforeseen emergencies/increase in needs or to address response gaps.
- *Most commonly used in Ukraine.*

2022 UHF Allocations: Highlights



• 3

• allocations



• \$182M

• allocated



• 74

• projects funded



• 56

• partners supported



• 6.8M+

• people supported

UHF CONTACT DETAILS

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the UHF team at ocha-uhf@un.org.



• THANK
YOU!

1- Where to find information about UHF calls for proposals?

The communication and details regarding the allocations and procedures are only available to eligible partners. Unfortunately, you won't be able to get such information if you are not eligible partner.

2- How to make one's proposal successful?

When the proposal is perfectly following the specific allocation strategy and responding to the actual needs in an efficient and effective manner

3 - If we are not an eligible partner, what are the opportunities for us?

Prior to becoming eligible and receiving direct funding from UHF, partners still have the option to work as sub-IP with UHF eligible partners.

Partners Update



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