

In Iziium, Kharkivska Region, nine-year-old Sasha and his sisters, eight-year-old Vika and four-year-old Maria, have received warm clothing and blankets from UNICEF to help endure the cold.
©UNICEF/2023/Oleksii Filippov



Ukraine Humanitarian Situation Report No.35



Reporting period: 1 January to 31 December 2023

Highlights

- UNICEF reached 8.76 million people with humanitarian assistance in 2023, including 2.96 million children. This included 5,033,280 women and children supported to access primary health care; 5,421,369 people provided with safe water; 2,561,399 people reached with mental health and psychosocial support; 1,328,602 children accessing education; and 112,893 children who received cash assistance.
- After the destruction of the Kakhovka Dam, UNICEF provided life-saving support to over one million people, including safe water, hygiene supplies, health consultations, psychosocial support and cash assistance.
- The UNICEF winterization response starting from November 2023 has reached 45,416 children aged 1 to 14 years (21,928 girls) with winter clothing kits and 14,548 children have received cash assistance to support their critical needs over the winter period.
- Case management reached 74,360 children (4,507 children with disabilities) in 2023. This includes 1,900 children returned to biological families, 5,100 children under guardianship and at risk of institutionalization and 169 children (81 girls) affected by explosive weapons. 1,105,241 girls, boys and women survivors or at risk of gender-based violence (including 7,503 children with disabilities) were provided with prevention, risk mitigation and response services.
- In non-government-controlled areas of Donetsk, 54 children with disabilities participated in inclusive education; vocational guidance engaged 753 adolescents; 73 teenagers with autistic spectrum disorder benefited from social skills development; 1,724 students were reached with mental health and psychosocial support; and catch-up classes were provided for 403 children, including 172 with disabilities.

Situation in Numbers

4.1 million
Children in need inside Ukraine
(Humanitarian Needs Overview 2023)

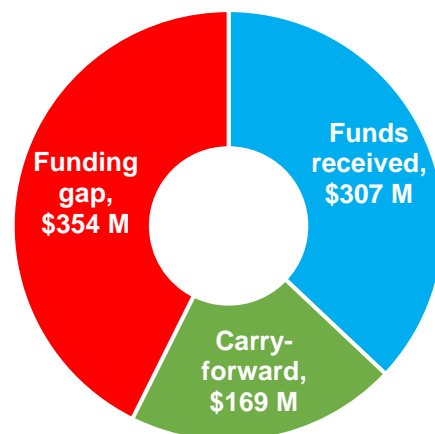
17.6 million
People in need inside Ukraine
(Humanitarian Needs Overview 2023)

3.7 million
Internally displaced people
(IOM, Displacement Tracking Matrix, September 2023)

2.5 million
Children targeted by UNICEF in Ukraine 2023
(UNICEF HAC 2023)

UNICEF Appeal 2023 US\$829.2 million

Funding status as of 31 December

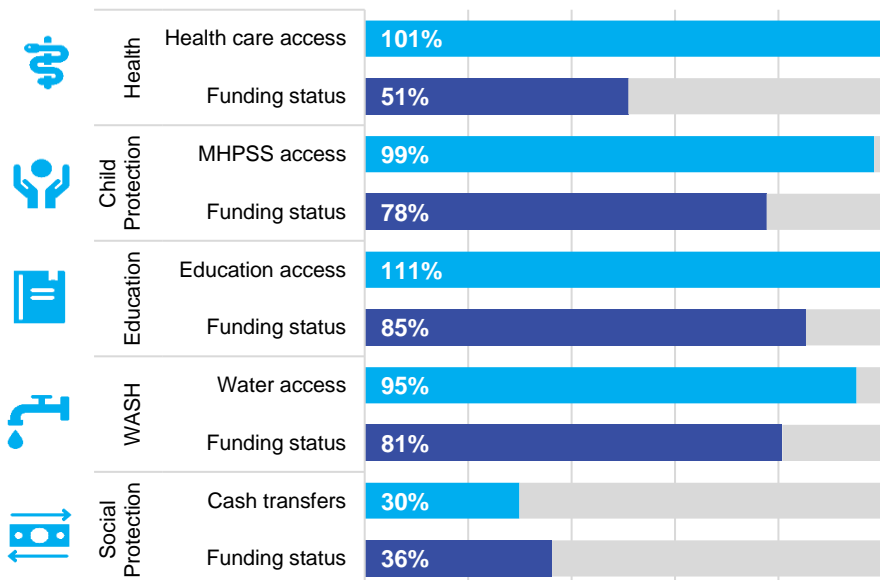


The overall HAC funding gap status does not represent gaps by sector. For further details by sector, please refer to Annex B.

Figures reported to the FTS may differ for the same period due to in-process allocation of flexible funding.

This reflects the requirements for Pillar 1 (inside Ukraine).

UNICEF Response and Funding Status



Funding figures represent funds available for the full programme, while the top-line indicators may have a more advanced achievement due to prioritization within the programme.