Update on the implementation efforts on the repositioning of the United Nations development system

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Overall trends

- Well-established and strengthened RC system
- Increased collaboration at UNCT-level
- Improved collective support to national results and SDGs
- Cooperation Framework: center-piece of the reform

Opportunities

- Dual accountability and reporting model
- Further support to human rights mandate
- Leverage the reform to drive better results for children
Commitment to the reform

- Management and Accountability Framework
- New Country Programme Management Package
- New UNSDG Communications Guidelines
- New procedure on humanitarian, development and peace nexus
- UN INFO interoperability
Funding the Resident Coordinator system in 2022

$10.5m
1% coordination levy

$8.1m
UNSDG cost-sharing
Joint Programmatic Delivery

- UNSDG Guidance Note on a New Generation of Joint Programmes
- Assessment on joint UN interventions
- Joint SDG Fund
- 87% country offices delivered jointly
Efficiency Agenda

- $65.6 million savings in 2022 (cost-avoidance, cost savings, staff time reduction)
- 53% of UNICEF offices in Common Premises
- HQ support to implement Common Back Office
- Advancing Mutual Recognition principle
Reporting on UNDS reform

- UNICEF reports annually on all elements of reform through its Information Note
- In response to GA res 76/4, DSG developed the Checklist, in consultation with UNSDG entities
- NY-based agencies discussed a joint proposal for harmonized reporting on the UNDS reform Checklist
- Next steps: Executive Board to consider the proposal and provide feedback
Learning from the reform

- Internal evaluations and other evaluative exercises
- System-wide evaluations
- MOPAN assessments and analyses
Way Forward

- Funding the RC system
- Constructive engagement in system-wide processes, assessments and evaluations
- Fourth annual survey to country representatives
- SDG Summit & Summit of the Future
Thank you.