Global Context

- Increased impact of climate change
- COVID-19: service interruptions, socio-economic impact and loss of livelihoods
- Deepening fragility due to complex humanitarian crises
- Challenging financial environment
- Persistent patterns of exclusion
Situation of Children

• Reversal of positive trends (possibly 1 to 2 million more child deaths, 44 million more children go hungry)
• 463 million students didn’t have access to broadcast-and internet-based remote learning
• Around 150 million more children in poverty
• Almost 2 billion children live in countries where violence prevention/response services have been interrupted
• 200 million people likely to be displaced by disasters due to climate change
• 420 million children live in situations of complex humanitarian crisis
## UNICEF Programmes

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RESULTS

- **27.4 million live births delivered in health facilities** through UNICEF-supported programmes
- **9.5 million children** with suspected pneumonia received antibiotics through UNICEF-supported programmes
- **307 million children** reached with services to prevent stunting and other forms of malnutrition
- **60 million adolescents** reached with services to prevent anaemia and other forms of malnutrition
- **10 countries** in West and Central Africa have expanded access to point-of-care diagnostics for HIV

- **18.3 million** additional people gained access to **safe drinking water services**
- **83 countries** have established enabling policy environment for ECD with **national policy or action plan in place**
- **8.5 million individuals** participated in social mobilization efforts to promote the elimination of FGM
- **4.1 million children** participated in skills development programmes
- **2.7 million children** who have experienced violence reached by services

- **17.5 million children** accessed education
- **12.4 million children** received learning materials
- **3.7 million children and adolescents** provided with community-based mental health and psychosocial support.
- **51 million children** and young people were reached by UNICEF-supported cash-transfer programmes
- **1.7 million children** with disabilities were reached with programmes and services

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Climate-Resilient WASH

• **66 countries implementing** the UNICEF/GWP Strategic Framework on Climate Resilience in WASH

• Solar energy for water schemes and treatment plants in **at least 40 countries**.

• **4.5 million people** gained access to a climate-resilient water service in 2019

• **Increase sector and government capacity to engage and deliver on this ambitious goal**
Mental Health

- Accelerating commitment to mental health

- Prioritizing community-led services, family and social networks, building the capacity of front-line workers

- 3.7 million children and adolescents across 60 countries and almost 517,000 caregivers in 41 countries provided with community-based MHPSS
• 2.8 million people across 3,362 communities participating in public declarations of FGM elimination.

• 2x the number of communities establishing surveillance structures to track girls at risk compared to 2018.

• 3x as many networks of men and boys compared to 2018 being established, enabling men and boys to challenge discriminatory gender norms.

• 50% rise since 2017 in the number of communities building girls’ capabilities.

• 5.4 million people being reached through education, sensitization and social mobilization, and 10.6 million people being reached through radio and TV.


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Education: Digital learning

- Learning Passport, a collaboration between Microsoft, Cambridge University and UNICEF

- Delivering educational content online in national languages to learners.

- Rolled out in five countries and more than 20 countries in some stage of deployment.

- Target of 2 million learners in 2021
ECD and Health

- In Serbia, digital technology and telephone counseling to deliver “home visits” to families of young children through the health sector.

- Training and supportive supervision for home visiting nurses to increase their capacity to provide remote support to families and caregivers to provide nurturing care to their children.

- Working with the Ministry of Health to collect, analyse and use data regarding the implementation of the technology-based service delivery.
COVAX

• **Engaged in the 3 pillars:** vaccine, therapeutics and diagnostics partnerships

• Co-leading the **Country Readiness and Delivery Working Group** with WHO

• Advocating, resourcing and supporting country readiness, including **comprehensive response in therapeutics, diagnostics and WASH in health facilities.**

• Strengthening efforts to **build trust and manage information, strengthen PHC and health systems and introduce innovations**
Thank you.