



One-year-old Faina and her family are being evacuated from Pokrovsk, eastern Ukraine, as the humanitarian situation in the Donetsk Region deteriorates because of intensified hostilities. UNICEF provided support like cash assistance and essential supplies to families with children.

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Highlights

- So far in 2024, 435,033 children, including 215,243 girls, have been reached through UNICEF-supported formal and non-formal education programmes. This includes 76,519 children who have participated in remedial education in 329 student learning support centres.
- Cash for winterization was provided to 47,100 people, including 20,392 children, living within 30km of the frontline in Kharkiv, Donetsk, Dnipropetrovsk and Sumy in September. A further 2,432 families in frontline areas have received winter supplies such as solid fuel, winter clothing and blankets to ensure the availability of heating and warmth over the winter months.
- UNICEF has ensured a sufficient quantity and quality of water for drinking and domestic needs for 4,488,452 people this year. In September, UNICEF worked with 20 water utilities to reach an additional 489,423 people, including 82,240 children, with safe water.
- Mental health and psychosocial support was extended to 54,878 people, including 18,396 girls and 17,671 boys, in September for a total of 526,440 people reached this year. This was provided through child-friendly hubs, schools, trained health and social workers, and social and behaviour change campaigns, amongst others.
- In September, UNICEF provided multi-purpose cash assistance to 2,112 households covering 8,366 people, including 3,590 children, affected by increased hostilities and mandatory evacuation in Kharkiv and Donetsk.

Situation in Numbers

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

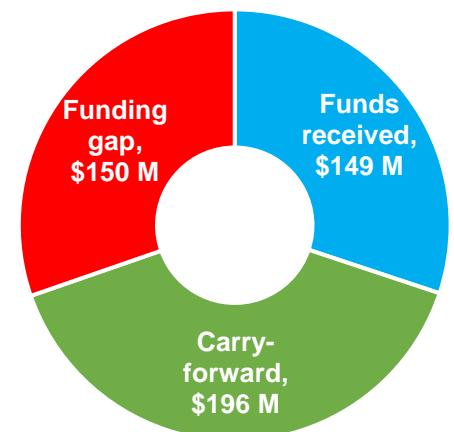
 **14.6 million**
People in need inside Ukraine
(Humanitarian Response Plan 2024)

 **3.7 million**
Internally displaced people
(IOM, Displacement Tracking Matrix, August 2024)

 **962,000**
Children targeted by UNICEF in Ukraine 2024
(UNICEF HAC 2024)

UNICEF Appeal 2024 US\$495.9 million

Funding status as of 30 September

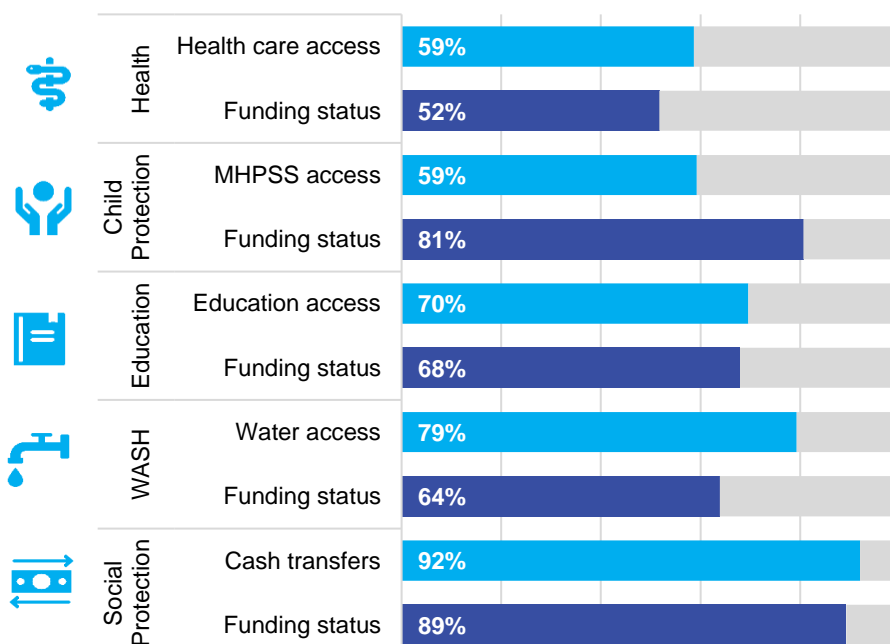


The overall HAC funding gap status does not represent gaps by sector. For further details by sector, please refer to Annex B.

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 Overview and Partnerships

For 2024, UNICEF has US\$346 million available for its response inside Ukraine (Pillar 1) under its [Humanitarian Action for Children](#) (HAC) appeal of US\$495.9 million. This includes US\$196.3 million carried over from 2023 and US\$149.3 million received in 2024. The HAC was developed in line with the [Ukraine Humanitarian Response Plan \(HRP\) 2024](#), which targets 8.5 million of the 14.6 million people in need. Generous contributions have been received from the private sector, including individuals, corporations and foundations. Funding has also been received from the people and Governments of Austria, Belgium, Canada, Croatia, Denmark, the European Union, France, Germany, Japan, Luxembourg, the Republic of Korea, Norway, Portugal, Philippines, Spain, Sweden, the United States, and the pooled Ukraine Humanitarian Fund (UHF).

UNICEF works with the Government of Ukraine, United Nations agencies, civil society and non-governmental organizations (NGOs) and other humanitarian partners. Close cooperation is ensured with key stakeholders (Ministries of Foreign Affairs; Social Policy; Education and Science; Youth and Sports; Ministry for Communities, Territories and Infrastructure Development; and Health), regional administration, City Councils in several cities and the Ombudsperson's Office. UNICEF has established partnerships in concerned municipalities and will continue to expand them. UNICEF engages with 110 government, civil society and service provider partners to respond to the critical needs of children and families across Ukraine.

Situation Overview & Humanitarian Needs

Intensified hostilities continued in September, with the [United Nations verifying](#) 208 civilians killed and 1,220 injured during the month, including 9 children who were killed and 76 injured. This also included 1 person killed and 38 injured in strikes on Kharkiv city on 1 September; 8 people killed (including 1 child) in Lviv on 4 September; two health facilities struck in Sumy Region that killed 7 people; and 1 civilian killed and 50 injured in Zaporizhzhia city on 22 September. Donetsk Region remains the most affected, with thousands of new displacements in September along with heavily disrupted basic services.

A [Bulletin](#) released by UN Human Rights Monitoring Mission in Ukraine highlighted the impact that strikes on energy infrastructure – including nine large-scale attacks since March this year – will have over the upcoming winter season. This includes a 30 per cent power deficit, with potential blackouts of 4 to 18 hours a day. These blackouts are expected to have a significant impact on the health and well-being of children, as water supplies, health services and education (including online education) are regularly disrupted.

Humanitarian Leadership, Coordination and Strategy

UNICEF is working closely with United Nations agencies, the government and humanitarian partners under the inter-agency framework. UNICEF leads/co-leads the Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) and Education Clusters, Child Protection Area of Responsibility, the Social Protection Sub-Group under the Cash Working Group and the Nutrition Technical Working Group and Maternal Child Health Care Sub-Group under the Health Cluster. Along the frontlines, where intense and sustained fighting and access constraints remain, UNICEF participates in inter-agency humanitarian convoys and engages with municipal, regional and local administrations and civil society partners to implement its urgent humanitarian response. In the central and western parts of the country, UNICEF uses existing national systems and engages local authorities and civil society. Flagship priorities include Better Start to Life (Early childhood development – ECD), Better Learning and Skills (Maximizing the potential of children and youth) and Better Care (A family for every child).

UNICEF continued its **winter response**, with cash assistance provided to 47,100 people, including 20,392 children, living within 30km of the frontline in Kharkiv, Donetsk, Dnipropetrovsk and Sumy. Payments are planned for Kherson and Zaporizhzhia in the coming weeks. A further 2,432 families in frontline areas have received solid fuel in these regions to ensure the availability of heating over the winter months. Work is also ongoing to provide heating solutions for social institutions such as health centers and to repair water and heating infrastructure. A milestone was reached this month with a decree approved by the Cabinet of Ministers which will allow UNICEF to support 700 schools with direct funding to prepare for their winter season. Details are included below.

Summary Analysis of Programme Response

Health and Nutrition: So far this year, UNICEF has supported 539,546 children and caregivers to **access primary health care** through the delivery of medical supplies and deployment of mobile and home visiting teams. In September, medical supplies were provided to seven health care facilities in Kharkiv Region, reaching 10,275 children and caregivers. Home-visiting teams newly visited 1,654 people, including 368 girls, 411 boys, 534 women and 341 men, for a total of 12,718 people visited this year. To expand the home visiting model, 109 health care workers (103 women) were trained in September. Finally, 116 health care professionals received online capacity building on the work of the National Cancer Institute during war.

At the request of the Ministry of Health, UNICEF delivered 30,000 doses of seasonal influenza vaccine to ensure a timely response before the onset of the flu season. UNICEF also strengthened Ukraine's **cold chain infrastructure** for vaccine storage amid frequent electricity cuts. In September, 85 refrigerators were delivered to 72 health care centers, ensuring continuous vaccine storage during power outages. By the end of the year, UNICEF will support the delivery and installation of

eight refrigerated trucks for vaccine transport; a walk-in cold room (for the Zaporizhzhia regional warehouse); 835 ice-lined refrigerators; and 1,000 cold boxes and vaccine carriers for 800 frontline health care facilities. In September, 14,779 children and parents benefitted from consultations on vaccination, provided by the Ministry of Health-UNICEF National Hotline on Vaccination and Infant Feeding 'Jointly to Health.'

September also saw the caregivers of 3,862 children consult 'Jointly to Health' with questions on **breastfeeding** and infant feeding. Additionally, 1,038 health care professionals are currently participating in a certification course designed to enhance their ability to offer effective breastfeeding support. This training aims to equip them with the skills necessary to deliver high-quality breastfeeding counseling to their patients. In September, 313,000 people were reached with the messages destigmatizing breastfeeding through 'Breastfeed everywhere' signs in public places.

Child Protection: In September, UNICEF and implementing partners newly reached 4,495 children (2,210 girls) with **case management** services through mobile teams, child-friendly hubs and support to the state social workforce. Mobile teams in western and central regions supported families forced to leave their homes due to the escalation of conflict along the frontline areas. Teams in Rivne, Volyn, Zakarpattia and Kirovograd conducted visits to collective sites hosting newly arrived families to understand and help meet their needs. Mobile teams conducted individual needs assessments as part of the case management process among families with children, and provided necessary support, including mental health and psychosocial support (MHPSS) and specialized referrals, including to children who need additional support from social services or medical assistance.

UNICEF and its partners also provide **specialized case management** to children returned from institutions, under guardianship or at risk of institutionalization. Families of such children benefitted from monitoring visits, individualized assessments and provision of supplies and access to services, covering 1,101 children (459 girls) in September for a total of 4,223 children (1,840 girls) this year. Training was provided for 189 staff from local authorities in Kharkiv, including the Child Affairs Department and Department of Social Services, on the rights of children in alternative care. To improve access to information and raise awareness of social services and alternative care options, the Better Care hotline for Kharkiv received 1,262 calls during the reporting period.

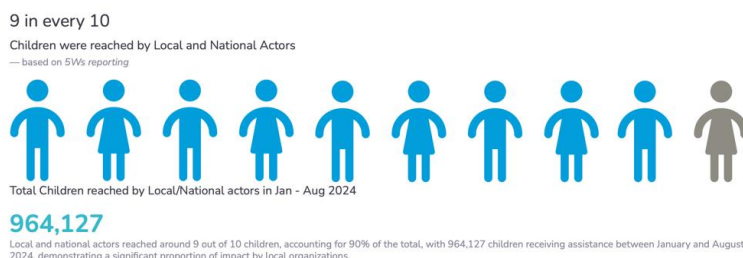
Child-friendly **victim assistance** was provided to children affected by mines or other explosive weapons. Forty-three children (21 girls) who suffered from mines or other explosive weapons received comprehensive support through case management in September for a total of 454 children (210 girls), including 22 children with disabilities, reached this year. Interpersonal sessions on safety, including explosive ordnance risk education, covered 26,157 children and 6,556 caregivers while interactive sessions at Mobile Safety Classes engaged 12,832 children in 10 regions.

In June-August 2024, the **summer safety campaign** addressed water safety, fire prevention and mine safety through outdoor advertising in 30 cities, indoor posters in passenger and intercity trains, broadcasts on 103 radio stations, TV ads on 76 channels and content in more than 70 cinemas and malls, with over 45,000 screenings. A total of 13,253,900 people were reached, including 503,048 adolescents and 6,922,125 parents and caregivers. This is the second year the Summer Safety Campaign has been conducted. Testing among children in urban and rural areas shows the average level of knowledge of the rules of safe behaviour with explosive ordnance increased by 17 per cent. Awareness of the correct action if an explosive object is found increased from 66 to 79 per cent and knowledge of the emergency number 101 for reporting explosive devices increased by from 45 to 67 per cent.

In September, UNICEF supported 33,822 women and children (18,148 women, 8,689 girls) with **gender-based violence (GBV) prevention, mitigation and response** interventions through mobile teams, safe spaces and girls' clubs. For example, in Odesa, Mykolaiv and Kherson, GBV was highlighted by mobile teams this month, allowing 12,598 people, including 8,823 children (4,702 girls), to benefit from case management and GBV risk prevention as well as the distribution of dignity and hygiene kits. Additionally, a safe space for women and children was established in a collective centre in Odesa city, for a total of eight such spaces in the country.

Child Protection Area of Responsibility (CP AOR) partners have reached over 1.19 million people this year, including 865,277 children (458,597 girls and 27,089 children with disabilities). Services provided include case management, MHPSS, emergency cash assistance, child-friendly legal assistance, and family tracing and reintegration. As of September, 85 organizations and 723 users are employing the **Child Protection Information Management System (CPIMS+)** system to manage 15,933 cases, of which 5,659 remain open. These open cases highlight the ongoing needs in child protection, particularly in addressing MHPSS and safety concerns for vulnerable children across various regions.

The CP AOR released a [localization dashboard](#) to raise awareness among the child protection coordination group and to serve as a foundation for an action plan to enhance the participation and leadership of **local and national actors**. The AOR has 217



members, of which 141 are national and local actors. These local actors were responsible for 9 out of 10 children reached by the AOR this year. The [interactive CP AOR dashboard](#) and [Partners Presence map](#) were updated to inform decision-making and fill gaps in the response. [Child Protection AOR Referral Pathways](#) were also updated; the updated pathways contain information from 73 partners, including 1,211 focal points and 789 mobile teams.

Education (Learning and Skills Development): So far in 2024, 435,033 children (215,243 girls) have been reached through both formal and non-formal education programmes. This includes 6,370 young children (3,141 girls and 536 children with disabilities) participating in the '2 by 2' **Early Childhood Education** in Emergency initiative. Classes are held twice a week for two hours in safe community spaces with functional shelters. These sessions focus heavily on social-emotional learning and MHPSS for both children and parents to help children develop essential skills and prepare for school.

UNICEF also supports children and caregivers with **alternative ECD learning tools**. In September, 61,035 parents and caregivers chose the 'Sparks of Superpowers' puppet show, fairytale book and cartoons as additional tools for preschoolers' development. In 2024, this series has engaged 192,110 people. In cooperation with Ukrzaliznytsia, as part of the 'Sparks of Superpowers' project, UNICEF launched a [children's train wagon](#) designed for families with small children, where they can continue learning through play during their journey. The first connection launched from Kharkiv to Yasinia and served 3,880 people in September. The [NUMO](#) digital tools (website, chatbot and educational games app) supported 45,669 parents, caregivers, children and educators in September. The Viber channel 'NUMO for Educators' reached 9,033 educators (2,911 new users in September).

During the reporting period, UNICEF reached 24,559 children (12,387 girls) with **remedial education** programmes through 329 student learning support centers (including 85 Digital Learning Centers). In total, this year, 76,519 children have benefitted from this programme. The remedial education programmes use various formats and curricular content, drawing on evidence-based models developed by local NGO partners. These programmes specifically target vulnerable children identified as being at risk of dropping out due to confirmed learning losses.

In September, a new series of **teacher training** sessions began. UNICEF, in collaboration with its partners, trained 3,344 teachers to help students recover from learning losses through remedial and catch-up programmes; 49,528 teachers and education personnel have been trained this year. In cooperation with Teach for Ukraine, UNICEF has conducted several waves of **tutoring and mentoring** as part of its remedial education programme. This initiative supports children's learning and development, especially in frontline areas. In September, the programme reached 286 children (156 girls and 13 children with disabilities) for a total of 1,931 children benefitting this year.

The Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine approved Decree [#1114](#) enabling UNICEF to provide **direct funding to 700 schools**. This financial support is intended to help the schools prepare their educational facilities for winter, enhance their resilience during the colder months, and modernize their canteens and kitchens. Winterization efforts in Odesa Region supported 34,393 students through the distribution of shelter kits to 86 schools. These kits, which include small power generators and power banks, ensure that school shelters have reliable power during emergencies. This is crucial for maintaining education and safety during winter power outages.

A new wave of [UPSHIFT](#) was launched in Sumy to foster youth-led initiatives and innovations. Forty young people attended a bootcamp to design humanitarian initiatives benefitting their communities. Overall, in September, 3,190 individuals benefitted from youth-led initiatives in Zaporizhzhia, Kherson and Poltava Regions. As an example, a team of young people launched and [campaign on sexual and reproductive rights](#) to address the fact that one third of youth have gaps in knowledge of the topic.

Community-based programmes reached 12,938 young people (7,770 female, 103 people with disabilities) with skills and engagement interventions through 93 UNICEF-supported **youth spaces**. In Bashtanka, in Mykolaiv Region, the UNICEF-supported youth space launched courses on life skills such as first aid and entrepreneurship. In Kryvyi Rih, UNICEF supported the City Council to establish and secure funding for a community youth center and train youth workers to provide assistance and services to young people.

The **Education Cluster**, WASH Cluster and education authorities are coordinating on a pilot to improve access to clean water and gender-sensitive WASH facilities in schools. The ongoing war, including attacks on schools and water sources, has significantly impacted the availability and quality of WASH services in schools and kindergartens. This inter-sectoral collaboration targets the 75 per cent of students (293,315 out 391,910) who learn in-person or through blended modalities in Kherson, Mykolaiv and Odesa. The Clusters expect to scale up this initiative in other war-affected areas in coordination with the respective education authorities.

Mental Health and Psychosocial Support: In September, UNICEF provided MHPSS support to 54,878 people, including 18,396 girls, 17,671 boys, 14,368 women and 4,443 men. The focus remains on addressing the immediate needs of those impacted by the conflict, such as through mobile teams responding after missile strikes, while also building the system and enhancing the population's resilience. To this end, Resilience Centres in the municipalities of Pischynska, Valkivska, Balakliiska,



A mobile team providing MHPSS after a strike in Sumy ©UNICEF/2024

Chuhuivska, and Kehychivska in Kharkiv have provided services this month to 1,413 individuals, including 587 children. These services included group and individual consultations with professional psychologists, case management, and parenting clubs. Over the course of this year, a total of 5,770 people, including 2,051 children, have been served by these centers.

Between 31 August and 11 September, 4,847 people took part in the 'Here We Live Summer' festival in five cities. The festival featured 20 influencers and business leaders who conducted open discussions on self-care, work-life balance, and personal development. During registration at the festival and after two weeks, an online survey was conducted. Results showed a 6 per cent increase in knowledge on self-support and 10 per cent growth in the use of positive affirmations among festival's participants. Meanwhile, from 6 to 8 September, the [AI Hackathon for Recovery](#) focused on mental health. Six tech innovator teams, which consisted of 30 young people, were mentored by UNICEF MHPSS specialists. As a result, all teams presented their sustainable, innovative solutions using AI to help adolescents support their mental health.

Through UNICEF's partner 'Association of Innovation and Digital Education', UNICEF piloted its global 'I support my friends' programme for 3,416 **vocational school students** to strengthen peer support and promote positive relationships, directly contributing to improved mental health and emotional recovery for adolescents in humanitarian settings. Additionally, 1,430 adolescents (804 girls) and 359 caregivers (225 women) participated in social behaviour change interventions using arts and sports to support MHPSS in September. Since January, 62,391 adolescents (35,131 girls) have been reached.

Water, Sanitation and Hygiene: In September, UNICEF reached an additional 489,423 people (including 82,240 children) with sufficient quantity and quality of **water for drinking and domestic needs**. This was achieved together with 20 water utilities in nine regions, carrying out projects such as borehole drilling, the installation of essential water supply equipment and the provision of emergency power generation units.

The largest share of this month's achievement comes from UNICEF's **response to the contamination of the Desna River**, a consequence of ongoing hostilities. A total of 120 tonnes of activated carbon were donated to Kyiv water utility, one of the largest water utilities in Europe, to implement advanced water treatment technology at the Desna Water Supply Plant, which serves 300,000 people. This technology, which uses pulverized activated carbon, is designed to remove organic contaminants and odours, ensuring water safety. This solution not only addresses current challenges but is also adaptable for future emergencies. Plans are already underway to extend this treatment method to the Dnipro Water Supply Plant.

Meanwhile, 110,000 people were reached through the provision of **high-capacity generators** to nine water supply companies in Dnipropetrovsk Region, enabling them to sustain emergency repairs and operations during the upcoming winter. Additional beneficiaries were reached through the installation of water towers, borehole drilling, the installation of reverse osmosis systems, and the delivery of laboratory equipment and water treatment chemicals.

This month saw the acceleration of **winter preparedness initiatives**, focusing on restoring critical heating services in vulnerable areas. For example, 47 frequency converters were delivered to the Kharkiv city heating utility, with installation expected to be completed within the next two months. Once operational, these converters will enhance energy efficiency by optimizing power consumption at key heating points, ensuring the reliability of Kharkiv's centralized heating system.

UNICEF also delivered **life-saving supplies** and services, including hygiene kits and bottled water, as well as water trucking services. In September, 127,947 people across six regions received such supplies, including 26,351 people newly receiving cash for hygiene items in Kharkiv and Sumy Regions. Eleven institutions (1 collective center for displaced people, 7 health care facilities and 3 educational facilities) were equipped with gender-segregated WASH facilities, benefiting 8,066 people, including 2,123 children. Since the beginning of the year, 162 institutions have received WASH upgrades.

In September, the **WASH Cluster's** subnational hubs continued operational coordination amidst escalating hostilities, with a focus on Sumy, Kharkiv and Donetsk. Ad-hoc sessions addressed urgent needs in frontline areas and urban centers. The Subnational Cluster for the South has been actively coordinating the humanitarian response, while also advancing long-term resilience efforts. This includes bringing together cluster members in two working groups: one focused on [WASH-FIT](#) and another on solar-powered water solutions, the latter now widely recognized as the 'Sunny South.' The Technical Cell continued supporting water utilities near the frontlines, presenting an assessment on their preparedness for blackouts and advocating for improved resilience. Coordination with the water supply and sanitation sector and local authorities helped drive these efforts. In addition, district heating coordination capacity was bolstered through UNICEF support, with ongoing technical assessments and a gap analysis to inform winter preparations.

Social Protection: UNICEF provided **humanitarian cash transfers** to 16,345 households in September, supporting 53,988 people including 23,236 children (11,466 girls). These transfers were provided as part of the multi-purpose cash assistance to households affected by intensified hostilities and mandatory evacuation in Donetsk and Kharkiv, and cash-for-winterization assistance to households in frontline areas of Kharkiv, Dnipropetrovsk, Donetsk and Sumy.



Delivery of hygiene items to Kutsurub community in Kherson
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For the multi-purpose cash assistance to **households affected by increased hostilities and mandatory evacuation**, UNICEF supported 2,112 households during September, covering 8,366 individuals including 3,590 children. In Kharkiv, the cash assistance was provided to households with children in three municipalities (Kindrashivska, Kupianska and Kurylivska), while in Donetsk UNICEF also provided cash assistance to households in three municipalities under mandatory evacuation (Pokrovsk, Kostiantynivska and Kurakhivska) along with households registered at official transit centers (in Kramatorsk and Pavlohrad). These households received 10,800 UAH (\$260) per household member, covering three months of support to help their household to cover their basic needs and prevent the adoption of negative coping strategies.

For the **cash-for-winterization assistance**, UNICEF provided a seasonal transfer to support the winter and heating needs of 14,378 households, covering 47,100 individuals, including 20,392 children, within 30km of the frontline in Kharkiv, Donetsk, Dnipropetrovsk and Sumy. Each household received a one-time cash transfer of 21,800 UAH (\$525), aligned with the inter-agency and Shelter-recommended amount. In October, UNICEF will continue to provide cash-for-winterization assistance and start collecting data for a post-distribution monitoring survey of the beneficiary population to assess the perceived effects of the winterization cash support.

Supply and Logistics: So far this year, UNICEF placed US\$51 million worth of orders to purchase life-saving supplies, including US\$8.2 million in orders placed in September. US\$49.4 million worth of supplies were received in Ukraine. US\$34.9 million worth of supplies were dispatched from UNICEF-controlled warehouses, with US\$0.5 million dispatched in September. US\$30.3 million of supplies were delivered to implementing partners directly from local vendors in 2024, including US\$3.9 million delivered in September. The value of supplies currently at stock at UNICEF-controlled warehouses is US\$8.1 million with US\$26.5 million of supplies in the pipeline.

External Media: More than 580 content items, including 12 human interest stories and seven press releases, were published on UNICEF Ukraine online channels in September, covering UNICEF's emergency response activities, results, and the situation of children in Ukraine. This reached 5.6 million users on social media, with 34 million impressions and 395,858 interactions recorded. UNICEF Ukraine worked with UNICEF Headquarters and the United Nations in Ukraine to produce and amplify content for the [International Day of Peace](#), and the [International Day to Protect Education From Attack](#). Children's voices were highlighted through [Poems for Peace](#) content.

Seven short statements about reported grave violations were published across UNICEF Ukraine social media channels. A press release and two statements further highlighted these ongoing violations, particularly since the [first week](#) of the [new schoolyear](#), where there was an average of [two child casualties per day](#) in September. Two stories about children [injured by mines](#) and the [support they received](#) focused on the continued risk of explosives in Ukraine.

Visibility for UNICEF's winterization response included a [press release](#), human-interest stories, videos and social media updates about humanitarian cash transfers, solid fuel distribution and the rehabilitation of water supply and heating systems to help ensure access to basic services. Content and [special media projects](#) to mark the start of the new schoolyear highlighted the continued impact of the war on education, and showed UNICEF's emergency response to maintain learning continuity, address learning deficits, and facilitate a safe return to in-person or offline education.

Human Interest Stories



[UNICEF and partners restore safe water supply in Sloviansk](#)



[Children in Ukraine hope to return to classrooms this fall](#)



[Families seek shelter from cities shattered by shelling](#)



[After mine tragedy, Ukrainian teenager helped on journey to recovery](#)

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Annex A: Programme Results (September 2024)

		UNICEF and IPs Response		
Sector		2024 target	Total results	Change
Health (7,800,000 people in need)				
Number of children and caregivers accessing primary health care in UNICEF-supported facilities, and through mobile teams and home visits		920,000	539,546	10,275
Number of primary caregivers of children 0–23 months receiving infant and young child feeding counselling		30,000	25,598	860
Child Protection, GBViE and PSEA (3,400,000 people in need - Child Protection)				
Number of children, adolescents and caregivers accessing community-based mental health and psychosocial support	Total	888,312	526,440	54,878
	Girls		212,259	18,396
	Boys		174,960	17,671
	Women		115,503	14,368
	Men		23,718	4,443
Number of women, girls and boys accessing GBV risk mitigation, prevention and/or response interventions		513,028	503,144	33,822
Number of children who have received individual case management	Total	63,472	51,235	4,495
	Girls		25,345	2,210
	Boys		25,890	2,285
Number of children and caregivers provided with landmine or other explosive weapons prevention and/or survivor assistance interventions		1,314,484	1,500,490 ¹	281,241
Number of people with safe and accessible channels to report sexual exploitation and abuse by personnel who provide assistance to affected populations		1,237,236	936,909	113,398
Education (1,200,000 people in need)				
Number of children accessing formal or non-formal education, including early learning	Total	625,000	435,033	64,094
	Girls		215,243	32,551
	Boys		220,084	31,837
Number of girls and boys receiving learning materials		400,000	207,778	34,344
Number of children and young people ² accessing skills development and participation opportunities		225,000	233,658	16,931
Number of teachers and other education personnel trained to provide quality learning		50,000	49,528	7,218
WASH (9,600,000 people in need)				
Number of people accessing a sufficient quantity and quality of water for drinking and domestic needs		5,660,000	4,488,452	489,423
Number of people reached with critical WASH supplies		2,000,000	2,180,139	127,947
Number of institutions provided with child friendly, gender sensitive and inclusive WASH facilities		260	162	11
Number of people benefiting from restored or maintained heating services		600,000	60,000	-
Social Protection				
Number of households reached with UNICEF-funded humanitarian cash transfers (including for social protection and other sectors)		39,985	36,794	16,345 ³

¹ Results higher than target higher due to the successful partnership with the State Emergency Service able to reach more children than originally targeted.

² Includes ages 10 to 24

³ Increase due to cash for winterization payments. Cash for winter provide a one-off payment per household (\$525), lower than the \$260/person for multipurpose cash, meaning UNICEF expects to over-reach this target in 2024.

Influencing Social Behaviour				
Number of affected people (children, caregivers, community members) reached with timely and life-saving information on how and where to access available services		4,500,000	4,164,910	74,345
Number of people participating in engagement actions for social and behaviour change		400,000	428,865	45,483
Number of people sharing their concerns and asking questions through established feedback mechanisms		50,000	59,141 ⁴	2,631

Annex B: Funding Status as of 30 September 2024

With humanitarian needs still acute, the UNICEF HAC appeal reflects resource requirements under Pillar 1 to reach vulnerable children and families in Ukraine with essential services and life-saving supplies. Continued, flexible contributions mean that UNICEF and partners can act quickly and respond strategically to where the needs are greatest.

Sector	Requirements	Funds available		Funding gap	
		Resources received (ORE/current year)	Carry-over (ORR and ORE)	US\$	%
Health and Nutrition	72,783,360	11,907,085	25,754,839	35,121,436	48%
Child Protection, GBViE and PSEA	101,313,504	41,438,664	40,295,997	19,578,844	19%
Education	94,570,464	20,356,026	43,873,604	30,340,834	32%
WASH	159,142,870	56,291,505	45,323,974	57,527,391	36%
Social Protection	68,066,438	19,327,456	41,429,313	7,309,669	11%
Total	495,876,636	149,320,735	196,677,727	149,878,174	30%

⁴ Extensive awareness campaigns have increased uptake of feedback mechanisms.