

WOMEN'S REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH NEEDS DON'T STOP WHEN DISASTER STRIKES

High-quality family planning services in crisis settings save women's lives, improve their health, and empower communities to contribute to recovery.

MORE PEOPLE ARE DISPLACED NOW THAN AT ANY TIME SINCE WORLD WAR II. In 2018 alone, 34 million women and girls were displaced by natural disaster and conflict.¹ PRISK OF HUMANITARIAN CRISES AND DISASTERS? HIGH VERY HIGH

FAMILY PLANNING INVESTMENTS IN EMERGENCIES ARE DEMONSTRATING IMPACT

Since 2012, 35 million USD have been saved through investments in Chad, DRC, and Pakistan alone.⁵



130,000+ family planning services provided in emergencies resulted in...

140,000+ unintended pregnancies prevented

700+ maternal deaths averted

40,000+ unsafe abortions prevented



600,000+ family planning services provided in emergencies resulted in...

400,000+ unintended pregnancies prevented

1,800+ maternal deaths averted

130,000+ unsafe abortions prevented



1 million+ family planning services provided in emergencies resulted in...

270,000+ unintended pregnancies prevented

200+ maternal deaths averted

100,000+ unsafe abortions prevented

BUT TENS OF MILLIONS OF WOMEN AND GIRLS IN CRISES STILL NEED
AND DEMAND FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES⁶



Sustained investments are needed. The global community must invest in programs, partnership, documentation and coordination to ensure that family planning is part of every stage of a crisis response. **Find out more at familyplanning2020.org**

- 1. https://www.unfpa.org/sites/default/files/pub-pdf/UNFPA_HumanitAction_18_20180124_ONLINE.pdf
- 2. Countries highlighted are considered high or very high risk according to the 2019 INFORM Global Risk Index, which identifies countries at risk from humanitarian crises and disasters that could overwhelm national response capacity.
- 3. The estimates represented here are modeled using the Impact 2 model; the data inputs are self-reported service statistics from CARE, International Rescue Committee, and Save the Children from 2012-2018. The model was not specifically built for humanitarian settings, but we assume that in humanitarian settings providing family planning services would magnify the positive impacts and thus our estimates are likely conservative.
- 4. Since long-term and permanent methods provide multiple years of protection, some of the impacts will be seen over multiple future years
- 5. 2019 USD (converted from 2018 GBP) for costs saved to families and health care systems for full coverage on pregnancy related care.
- 6. These data are from OCHA 2018 Humanitarian Data and Trends.





