



» FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT OF THE COUNTRY PROGRAM

The assessment of the performance of the country office's key management indicators in 2019 was very encouraging. This good performance achieved by the Togo office in 2019 is the result of the following elements:



Good orientation
from Office
Management



Concerted
planning
with
implementing
partners



Judicious
resource
allocation
in a context of
scarcity



Effective
portfolio
management
by Programme
Managers



Accurate
monitoring and
reporting system

2019 BUDGET
4,428,022 USD
» Execution rate of 98,65%
on December 31, 2019

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UNFPA Togo office
is performing
beyond targets
fixed



7TH COOPERATION FRAMEWORK BETWEEN UNFPA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF TOGO 2019-2023

2019 marks the effective start of the implementation of the 7th cooperation framework between UNFPA and the Government of Togo, signed for the five-year period 2019-2023, whose aim is to contribute to universal access to Sexual and Reproductive Health (SRH) rights and services for the Togolese people. The implementation of this country program, reiterated UNFPA's commitment to align its approaches for effective cooperation with its partners.

UNFPA will continue to strengthen the provision of SRH services throughout the country. Moreover, the availability of services to remote rural populations will be at the heart of UNFPA's concerns.

» ACCELERATING THE PROMISE OF CAIRO



TOGO BUILDING MOMENTUM TOWARDS TWO JUBILEES : 50
YEARS OF UNFPA AND ICPD+25

2019 was marked by the celebration, worldwide, of a double anniversary: the 50th anniversary of UNFPA and the 25 years of the International Conference on Population and Development (ICPD). Like other country offices, regional offices and headquarters, UNFPA Togo, in partnership with the Togolese government, celebrated through various activities that highlighted the richness of the partnership that exists between UNFPA and Togo for several decades.

TOGO'S PARTICIPATION IN THE NAIROBI SUMMIT: AN UNPRECEDENTED MOBILIZATION

Togo, in its march towards Nairobi, gathered members of the Government, deputies of the National Assembly, central directors and heads of services, traditional and religious authorities, representatives of civil society organizations, women, youth movements (AfriYan) and the media, to identify, in a participative way, a series of key commitments that the country should carry.

Armed with the country's commitments, the UNS Agencies in Togo, the Representatives of the diplomatic corps and International Organizations supported the country in its march towards sustainable development.

All the activities organized during 2019, as well as the thematic days celebrated in the colors of UNFPA50 and ICPD+25 provided an opportunity to recognize and salute the contribution of each partner to the development and progress made by Togo over the past 25 years.

“ 1,250 commitments to provide meaningful means to
accelerate the promise made to populations

TOGO marching towards a decade of action



» PRODUCTION AND USE OF DEMOGRAPHIC DATA

5TH POPULATION AND HOUSING CENSUS

Togo is preparing to carry out its 5th Population and Housing Census (PHC), a nation-wide operation focused on the use of new Information and Communication Technologies. The overall funding required for the operation is **8,189,901,930 FCFA**, which requires support from all of the technical and financing partners.

68%
of the **8.19 billion FCFA**
mobilized

The stakeholders involved in the PHC having made funding announcements are:

- The Togolese Government ;
- The World Bank ;
- UNFPA ;
- UNICEF.

Preliminary work has enabled significant progress, both administratively and technically, for the organization of the PHC.

» FIGHT AGAINST SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED INFECTIONS (STI)

To improve the management of STIs, UNFPA strengthens the capacities of actors through training and communication activities for behavioural change. In addition, to ensure the management and supply of condoms, UNFPA provides awareness-raising services, HIV/AIDS screening, STI treatment and FP services. **More than 6.3 million male and female condoms were distributed** to the beneficiaries, including **3,714,054 to young people and adolescents** under 25 years of age.

TOWARDS THE 3 TRANSFORMATIVE RESULTS

By 2030, UNFPA aims at achieving the following three transformative results:



1. ENDING PREVENTABLE MATERNAL DEATHS

- Strengthening Emergency Obstetric and Newborn Care (EmONC) ;
- Capacity building of health providers for improved services ;
- Support for medical equipment and materials ;
- Promotion of midwifery practice.



2. ENDING UNMET NEEDS FOR FAMILY PLANNING

- Community Based Distribution of FP methods ;
- Integrated services of RH/FP through the Mobile Clinic ;
- Awareness-campaign for the use of male and female condoms ;
- Involvement of men in maternal and child health.



3. ENDING GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE AND HARMFUL PRACTICES

- Fight against GBV, through the counseling centers ;
- Capacity building of actors involved in the care of victims of GBV ;
- Fight against GBV, through the establishment of Men's Committees and Mothers' Clubs in rural areas ;
- Promoting empowerment of women and girls.



CROSS-CUTTING INTERVENTIONS

- Promoting the Demographic Dividend
- Promoting Sexual and Reproductive Health of Adolescents and Young people (ASRHR)



» FOCUS ON RESULTS IN TOGO IN 2019

1. ENDING PREVENTABLE MATERNAL DEATHS

 **73**
EmONC
operational
health facilities

 **14,617**
Beneficiaries of
SRH/HIV integrated
services

 **5 620**
Youth assisted
online through the
eCentre Convivial

 **283,077**
Youth and
adolescents reached
by IEC services

 **848** Obstetric
ultrasound
examinations
performed

 **45**
Midwives trained

2. ENDING UNMET NEEDS FOR FAMILY PLANNING

 **54,798** New users of
FP methods (including
short-term methods)

 **6,141** rural
women reached by
PF activities

 **23,568**
New users of short-
term FP methods

 **420** Community
health workers
trained in
administration of
DMPA-SC

 **6.3 M**
Male and female
condoms distributed

 *Promoting
sexual and
reproductive
health and rights*

3. ENDING GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE AND HARMFUL

 **1 858** GBV cases
supported

 **258** Free medical
consultations and
services performed

 **13** Counseling
centers supported

RESULT 2

In order to achieve this second transformative result, UNFPA supports the Government and CSOs, by providing FP products to health facilities, building the capacities of health care providers and, implementing innovative strategies to reduce unmet FP needs.

Accelerating the provision of FP services PF through innovative strategies

To improve the availability of PF methods, UNFPA has implemented innovative strategies such as the introduction of the Mobile Clinic in rural areas, the Open Days and Mobile Strategy outings.

Training health providers in the insertion of the Intra Uterin device for Post Partum

UNFPA has invested in the training of 30 EmONC providers to improve the provision of PF services through the intra-uterine device, which is one of the high-impact interventions that allow women who do not have access to contraceptives to space births.

Training Community health workers (CHW) in Sayana Press administration

To reach unmet FP needs, UNFPA provided financial and technical support to the Togolese Government for the training of CHWs and the appropriation of SAYANA PRESS, a new contraceptive method, easy to apply, and recently introduced into the range of modern contraceptive methods. In total, the 180 CHWs training reached 23,568 new users.

Promoting the use of RH and FP services

Among the strategies developed by the country to improve the use of RH and FP services, are the "Men's Committee" and "Mother's clubs". Initiated in 8 districts around 14 health facilities, the clubs' activities have reached 6,141 rural women.

RESULT 3

To achieve the third transformative result, UNFPA's action in Togo involves the celebration of women and girls' days and the promotion of gender and women's rights through awareness-raising on the evolution of the situation of women in the world and particularly in Togo. This fight has also passed through advocacy meetings with decision-makers, the fair for women's rights and assistance to women victims of GBV through listening and counseling centers.

Listening and counseling centers for victims: Great allies in the fight against GBV

Listening and counselling centres are institutions dedicated to the psychosocial care of victims. The support granted to the 13 listening centres has enabled these structures to deal with 1,858 cases of violence (355 men and 1,503 women) through listening, legal assistance, conciliation, awareness-raising, advice and drafting of requests, monitoring and psychosocial support and referencing of victims.

Women's Rights Fair

The 5th edition of the women's rights fair helped lift the veil on GBV and promote women rights. Participants received legal advice, medical consultations, FP advices and HIV testing. The fair also allowed the issuance of birth and nationality certificates in addition to raising public awareness on topics such as OF, gynecological and breast cancer, estate rights, etc.

RÉSULT 1

Strengthening of Emergency Obstetric and Newborn Care (EmONC)

As part of the strengthening of EmONC in Togo, UNFPA supported in 2019, the Ministry of Health in the realization of several activities including :

- New mapping of EmONC structures ;
- Training of health providers ;
- Health facilities equipped and enhanced with vital medicines ;
- Strengthened midwifery practice framework ;
- Support for Obstetric Fistulas (OF) and breast cancers cases ;
- Socio-economic reintegration of women cured of OF.

Promoting Sexual and Reproductive Health of Adolescents and Young people

In order to ensure access to information for adolescents and youth and to promote SRH, UNFPA, with the support of its implementing partners, has developed various strategies, including:

- Comprehensive Sexuality Education activities ;
- Integrated services for young people in urban and rural areas ;
- School infirmaries ;
- Campaigns against early pregnancies, both in school and in extracurricular environment ;
- Support to the eCentre Convivial Application.