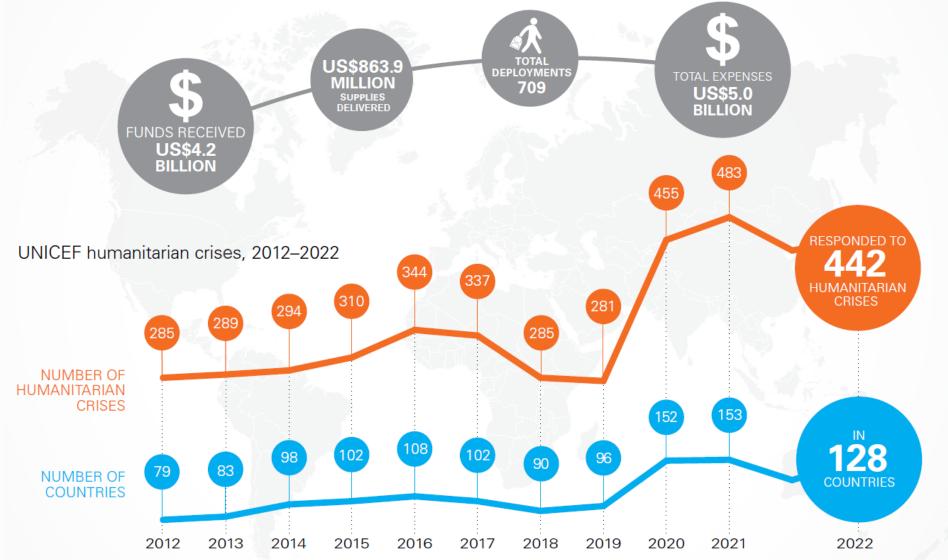


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01. Staying and delivering



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02. Achieving results



WATER, SANITATION AND HYGIENE

39.4 million

people accessed safe water



NUTRITION **114.6 million**

children under 5 benefited from services for the early detection and treatment of severe wasting and other forms of malnutrition



children and caregivers accessed community-based mental health and psychosocial support



HEALTH 27.2 million

children aged 6 months to 15 years vaccinated against measles



EDUCATION

children and adolescents accessed formal or non-formal education, including early learning



8.8 million

women, girls and boys accessed gender-based violence risk mitigation, prevention or response interventions



PROTECTION OF SEXUAL EXPLOITATION AND ABUSE

49.2 million

children and adults accessed safe and accessible channel to report sexual exploitation and abuse by humanitarian, development, protection and/or other personnel who provide assistance to affected populations



2.8 million

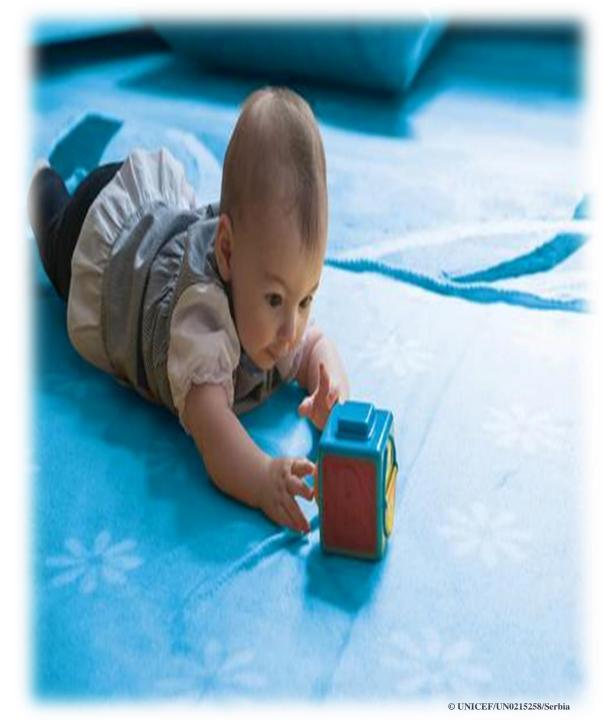
households reached with UNICEF-supported humanitarian cash transfers

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03. Overcoming challenges

- Limited humanitarian access. Capacity-building initiatives and development of access strategies to tackle extreme access constraints
- Rapidly expanding needs. Strategy on accountability to affected populations, a more localized humanitarian response and optimization of warehouse operations
- Earmarking of funding. Advocacy and a call for quality and flexible funding to enable UNICEF to be effective and equitable in its emergency response



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04. Delivering better

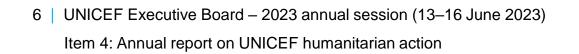
- Applying a "no-regrets" approach to response to crises and rapidly expanding needs
- Strengthening cluster leadership and accountability, based on the recommendations of the CLARE II evaluation
- Fostering gender equity and inclusion in humanitarian preparedness, response and recovery actions
- Enhancing partnerships to maximize synergies and complementarities
- Programming to strengthen the humanitarian– development–peace nexus and localization

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05. Looking ahead

- Addressing global humanitarian needs
 sustainably
- Strengthening the resilience of communities and health infrastructure to withstand climate hazards
- **Climate-adaptive** anticipatory action and preparedness efforts in humanitarian action
- Global food and nutrition crisis and multisectoral response to famine prevention
- Global strategic plan of action for **public health** emergencies







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