United Nations Development Programme in Ukraine
Recovery Framework
SNAPSHOT • March 2022 – August 2023

Context

Over 1.4 million houses damaged or destroyed

Nearly 18 million – about 40% of the population – in need of emergency assistance

Fivefold increase in poverty rate: 24.1% from 5.5% since 24 February 2022

71 million people pushed into poverty

$411 billion total recovery and reconstruction needs

Over 6 million Ukrainian refugees

Over 5 million Ukrainians internally displaced

Nearly 10 million people, including children, at risk of acute PTSD

30% of pre-war jobs erased

45% of the population belongs to at least one vulnerable group

UNDP Operational Presence

400 staff on the ground (53% women)

6 area hubs

20+ donor partners

230+ partner civil society organisations engaged
UNDP Recovery Framework for Ukraine

PILLAR 1: CRISIS RESPONSE
- Government crisis coordination capacities
- Recovery planning and aid effectiveness
- Ensuring the evidence base

PILLAR 2: PUBLIC SERVICES
- Digital transformation
- Administrative and social services
- Physical and mental health needs
- Human rights and access to justice

PILLAR 3: RECONSTRUCTION FOR RECOVERY AND RETURN
- Debris removal, mine action, community security
- Remediation of critical environmental threats
- Restoration of essential utilities
- Infrastructure and housing rehabilitation
- Energy sector support
- Making local authorities ‘reconstruction ready’
- De-risking investments

PILLAR 4: INCLUSIVE ECONOMIC GROWTH
- Livelihoods, jobs, SMEs support
- Market opportunities and business support infrastructure
- Innovative finance
- Establishing conditions for private sector growth

PILLAR 5: SOCIAL COHESION AND SOCIAL INCLUSION
- Preservation of social fabric
- Reintegration of war veterans
- Women’s empowerment
- Disability inclusion and rehabilitation

Funding
- $17.5 million
- $32 million
- $260 million
- $6.2 million
- $46.8 million

Funding mobilized since Feb 2022 over $360 million
Results

FROM CRISIS RESPONSE TO EARLY RECOVERY

• At least 23 ministries and central government agencies supported to improve policy analysis, crisis management and legislation for times of crisis.

• Assessments have been conducted in 218 settlements to determine the extent of damage. Comprehensive mapping and digitization process has been conducted for 700,000 buildings.

• 26,400 people have accessed critical legal and psychological support.

• 250,000 people have received humanitarian assistance, shelter and access to public services, as well as emergency response and support

• A comprehensive human impact assessment was conducted, covering five areas and multiple primary and secondary data sources.

MAINTAINING PUBLIC SERVICES AND DRIVING REFORM PROCESSES

• 9 million+ people have used 32 UNDP-supported e-services available on the Diia portal, Diia mobile app, and other government platforms, including social e-services, IDP e-services, pension services, and e-services for veterans.

• 15 specially-equipped and reinforced ambulances have been provided to regional centres of emergency medical care and disaster medicine, resulting in improved quality healthcare services and benefiting more than 30,500 people.

• 16 mobile social services and damage assessment vehicles have been provided.

RECONSTRUCTION FOR RECOVERY AND RETURN

• An energy infrastructure damage assessment has been implemented, revealing an urgent need for $10 billion in repairs to address the energy crisis.

• Recommendations for a green energy transition, including decentralized renewable energy sources to enhance the energy system’s flexibility, resilience, and eco-friendliness.

• 2,500+ emergency generators and mobile energy items delivered for winterization and temporal electricity supplies to local authorities and the conflict-affected population.

• Debris has been cleared from 439 sites, resulting in removal of nearly 80,000m$^3$ in total volume.

• Thanks to equipment and supplies provided by UNDP, 8,500,000 residents in 37 settlements are now better served by units of State Emergency Service and National Police.

• 350,000 items of mine and unexploded ordinance have been cleared, ensuring a secure environment for almost 3.8 million people.

• 7,020 buildings have been integrated into energy information systems to improve efficiency.

INCLUSIVE ECONOMIC GROWTH

• 17,562 agricultural producers have been supported with agricultural inputs and equipment.

• Through UNDP support, over 19,000 people have secured income opportunities and improved livelihoods.

• 30 business membership organizations across 12 have secured income opportunities and improved their livelihoods.

• Over 8,371 business representatives have been supported to ensure business continuity (including consultations, grants, training, support with relocation and other services).

SOCIAL COHESION AND SOCIAL INCLUSION

• 900+ people received capacity-building support on social services, disability issues and support to veterans and their families.

• 17 rehabilitation centres supported with a new pilot model for social work.

• 62 Community Security and Social Cohesion Working Groups actively engage in local early recovery efforts.

• 30 youth dialogues facilitated, engaging a total of 486 young women and men, who shared their insights and suggestions for strengthening youth involvement in the recovery process.

• 24+ youth-led initiatives implemented, such as establishing innovative spaces in shelters for IDPs, delivering civic engagement training to rural youth, and assisting IDP integration efforts.
Our Publications

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Human impact of war in Ukraine

Foresight for the recovery and development of Ukrainian exports until 2030