PROJECT 2020 ANNUAL HIGHLIGHTS OF REGIONAL BUREAU AFRICA - JSB 2019 COVID-19 PROJECT, DURATION: JULY 2020-MARCH 2021



GLOBAL PROJECT:

Supporting an Inclusive and Multi-Sectoral Response to COVID-19 and Addressing its Socio-Economic Impact

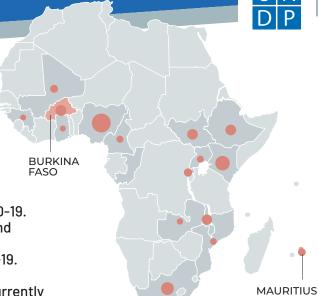


UNDP has been supporting countries since the very early stages of the COVID-19 pandemic crisis, responding to a growing volume of requests from countries to help them prepare for, respond to, and recover from the pandemic,

The three immediate priorities are:

- Health systems strengthening to respond to COVID-19.
- Inclusive and multi-sectoral crisis management and responses; and
- Addressing the Socio-Economic Impact of COVID-19.

The 8 country offices of the Regional Bureau Africa currently implementing Global JSB COVID-19 project are: Burkina Faso, Mauritius, Kenya, Ethiopia, South Africa, Mali, Rwanda, Nigeria



MAURITIUS

Addressing the Socio-Economic Impact of COVID-19.

Business Mauritius and Statistics Mauritius benefited from the technical assistance of UNDP Mauritius Country Office and the funding and support of the Government of Japan.

48

48 Gender-based violence (GBV) survivors in 4 shelters took part in the needs assessment to enable survivors to become full participants in the economy and society.

1500 開資

10 business associations representing over 1,500 members including those in the hotel sector, textile industry, local manufacturers and agricultural sector collaborated.

BURKINA FASO

Inclusive and multi-sectoral crisis management and responses.

2000000

2,000,000 listeners are expected to receive COVID-19 information related to prevention measures following the financing of a radio transmission pylon for the Municipal Radio of Greater Ouagadougou.



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KENYA

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KENYA

Health systems strengthening to respond to COVID-19.

The Government of Japan funded the Government of Kenya's national response to the COVID-19 pandemic in collaboration with UNDP.





3 smart anti-epidemic robots installed and training of beneficiary users from major hospitals and port health completed.



Procurement and delivery of the first batch of JSB Covid-19 Response Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).

Addressing the Socio-Economic Impact of COVID-19.

\$20 000



Low value grants (USD 20,000 for 5-months) to 10 civil society organizations in 6 counties directly benefiting 1000 people. Indirect beneficiaries estimated at 10,000.

\$400 000

Procured Microwave waste management equipment valued at US\$ 400K which has been delivered two hospitals in Migori and Siaya.



USD 50,000 support to Kenya Private Sector Alliance in support of MSMEs to cushion the socioeconomic impact of COVID-19 in Kenya.

ETHIOPIA

Inclusive and multi-sectoral crisis management and responses.



Funding support to MSMEs through access to finance and business development services.

20 000

20,000 youth (60% women) engaged in the waste management and hygiene improvement.

471



Temporary cleaning jobs created for 471 people (276 women and 196 men).

5000

5,000 beneficiaries (of which 3,000 are women) were supported with cash for work to improve food security in the SNNP and Oromia regions,

30

In Somali region, 30 hectares of agricultural and pastureland cleared of the invasive plant.

3296



3,296 seedlings of different multipurpose trees including Mango, Lemon, Guava, and Moringa (Moringa Oleifera) contributing to further food security.



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SOUTH AFRICA

Health systems strengthening to respond to COVID-19.

Through funding from the Government of Japan, UNDP collaborated with the South African Department of Environment, Forestry and Fisheries, iSimangaliso Wetland Park, the Water Research Commission and the South African Local Government Association to implement these activities.

9600



9,600 beneficiaries benefited from PPE donation to 12 Traditional Council areas in KwaZulu-Natal to reduce infections and ease the strain on the health system.

Addressing the Socio-Economic Impact of COVID-19.

\$75000

50 businesses in 16 local municipalities received a total of \$75,000 to produce 42,000 masks to beneficiaries in marginalized and disadvantaged communities.

Inclusive and multi-sectoral crisis management and responses

3000



SOUTH AFRICA

7 innovators received grants to develop solutions to address SA's water challenges to benefit 3,000 households.

MALI

The Government of Mali in close collaboration with the Japanese International Cooperation Agency (JICA) implemented the activities using the KAIZEN approach.

Health systems strengthening to respond to COVID-19.

282



282 community health workers trained, including 181 women.

Addressing the Socio-Economic Impact of COVID-19.

267 289



267,289 reusable masks produced for the most vulnerable persons in communities.

936 697



936,697 beneficiaries sensitized against spread of virus.



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NIGERIA

RWANDA

Health systems strengthening to respond to COVID-19.

Through the funding from the Government of Japan, UNDP worked closely with a range of partners including: the Ministry of Health, Ministry of ICT and Innovation, the Ministry of Local Government, and the City of Kigali and District, the Rwanda Correction Services, Rwanda Demobilization and Reintegration Commission, Rwanda Biomedical Centre, Environment Management Authority, and the National Commission for Human Rights to implement the multi-pronged approach to addressing the COVID-19 pandemic.



100 laboratory technicians hired and deployed to 11 new testing sites.



20,000 PPE units procured.



RWANDA

Daily tests increased from 300 to 5,000 per day.



2 automated hospital rooms' disinfections robots.



20,000 people received temporary jobs in collection and transport of used PPEs.

227点

11 temporary isolation tents at 10 of the 13 prisons established 227 persons with disabilities provided with food and hygiene items.

NIGERIA

UNDP, in partnership with Kano and Lagos State Government and the Federal Ministry of Humanitarian Affairs (FMHDS), launched the unconditional cash transfer project largely funded by the Government of Japan and the European Union to address the socio-economic impact of the COVID-19 crisis.

Addressing the Socio-Economic Impact of COVID-19.



9,600 individuals in Kano will benefit from the cash for work programme.



2,500 small to medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) will receive cash grants for their businesses and start-ups to support business continuity.



22 600

22,600 vulnerable families in Lagos will benefit from cash transfers.



5,000 SMEs and startups in Lagos will receive funding for business continuity.