# YEMEN

# 21.1 MILLION People in need

Feople in need of protection including from GBV



2.9 MILLION Women and girls of reproductive age

**500,000** Youth



500,000 Pregnant women



390,780 Live births per year



58,617 Pregnancies that can end in miscarriages and

unsafe abortions in the next 9 months

## **BENEFICIARIES OVERVIEW**

GBV Services beneficiaries: 5,866 Dignity kits beneficiaries: 51,881 Reproductive health services beneficiaries: 54,340 Obstetric Equipment: 38 hospitals Total beneficiaries: 112,087 + 38 hospitals UNFPA, the United Nations Population Fund believes that every Yemeni women and girl has the right to have access to reproductive health care and be protected from genderbased violence. In partnership with local actors on the ground, we are scaling up our efforts to improve the lives of Yemeni women and girls, enabling them to cope with and recover from the crisis.

#### CHALLENGES

• Security conditions with bombing and ground fighting that restricts movement and operations on the ground

- Difficulties in getting supplies into Yemen through the ports
- Challenges in providing needed services to displaced people as they are moving regularly and the number of displaced rising

• Difficulty of organizing services for reproductive health and Gender-based violence in conflict areas due to damaged or non-operating health structures, limited movement of partners and limited transportation of supplies to health facilities



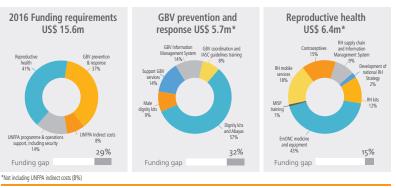
# UNFPA RESPONSE TO THE YEMEN CRISIS

### UNFPA STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES TO RESPOND TO THE CRISIS Reproductive Health

- Providing lifesaving reproductive health drugs, supplies and equipment to health facilities
- Mobile medical teams and clinics providing reproductive health services that include safe deliveries, in remote conflict-affected areas, including referral of complicated deliveries
- Providing family planning methods to health facilities and mobile clinics
- Improving capacities of health providers in targeted governorates
- Establishing reproductive health Information Management System
- Supporting the development of a national RH Strategy 2016-2020
- Supporting reproductive health coordination mechanism through the RH Inter-Agency Working Group under the health cluster

#### **Gender-based Violence Prevention and Response**

- Providing medical supplies including post-rape treatment kits for survivors of gender-based violence in the clinical management of rape and treatment of sexually transmitted infections
- Providing services to respond to gender-based violence, including psycho-social support, legal aid, access to safe houses and referrals to health and other services
- Distributing dignity kits, containing menstrual and personal hygiene items
- Engaging men and boys, including the provision of male dignity kits
- Strengthening GBV Information Management System
- Community awareness on issues of gender-based violence and available gender-based violence services
- Leading the coordination of gender-based violence response



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