



CHARITY FOUNDATION
WOMAN HEALTH
& FAMILY PLANNING

SRHR in Ukraine IN HUMANITARIAN SETTINGS

About WHFP

WHFP is an NGO that has been actively working for 27 years to promote public health, and sexual and reproductive health and rights.

WHFP works across Ukraine to ensure access to comprehensive health services for the population through:

- Independent expertise and strategic development in public health and SRHR
- Investing in health facilities with capacity building for health professionals and supplies
- Advocacy at the national level
- CSE and youth engagement

Funds Management

In 2022-2023, WHFP successfully managed a budget of over **\$3,3 mln** from various international donors such as IPPF, UNFPA, CARE, OSF, FCDO, BMZ, and the Japanese, Canadian, and German Governments. As a fully accredited member of IPPF, WHFP has established robust accountability mechanisms to ensure the effective implementation of programs and proper management of funds.

Background

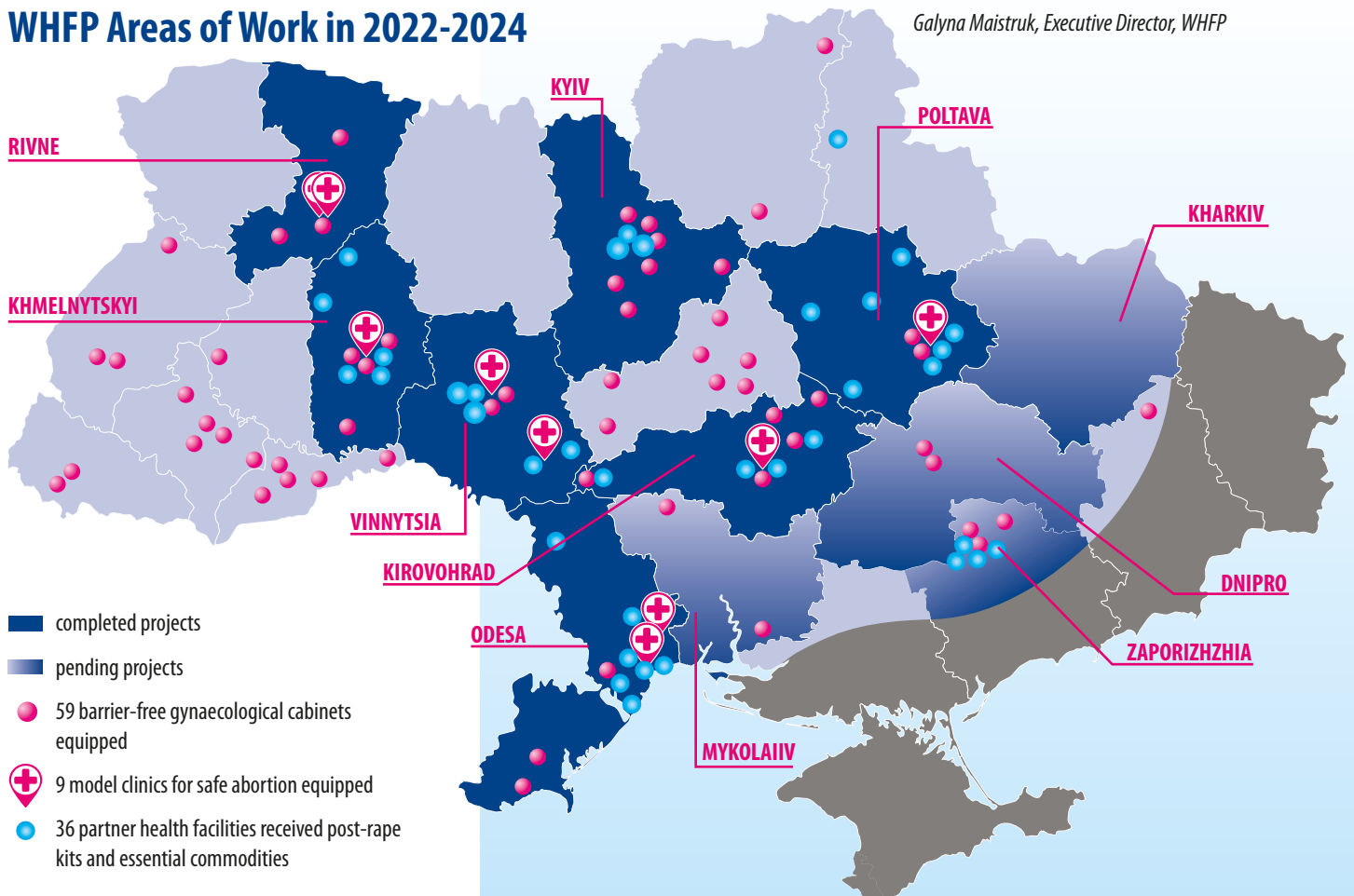
- Since February 24, 2022, Ukraine has been under a full-scale Russian military invasion. Millions of people across Ukraine continue to be affected by ongoing warfare. Over 6.3 million people have fled Ukraine, with 3.5 million people officially registered as IDPs within Ukraine.
- In many regions, quality and timely medical, psychological, legal and social services are not easily accessible or are limited.
- The war has exacerbated gender-based violence (GBV) and increased risks of conflict-related sexual violence (CRSV). According to UNFPA, 3.6 million people require GBV prevention and response services assistance.
- At all levels of healthcare, the availability of emergency contraception, post-rape kits, and safe abortion pills remains a challenge.



"The Ukrainian healthcare system has managed to survive and continue functioning, thanks to our people's heroic and dedicated efforts. However, it has also become more stable and resistant to challenges, largely due to the support of international donors and partners. Our Foundation has gained valuable experience working with various donors, which is especially important given the difficult circumstances in Ukraine, where many people, including women and adolescents, are in dire need. The support we receive enables us to provide high-quality SRH, GBV and CSE services to our fellow citizens, improving their health and safety."

Galyna Mastruk, Executive Director, WHFP

WHFP Areas of Work in 2022-2024



WHFP Activities and Achievements in 2022-2023

Advocacy Wins

WHFP is the only NGO that works on safe abortions in Ukraine.

Thus, our experts as part of the working group improved the Clinical Protocol for safe abortion in the I and II trimesters per WHO standards. The following MOH Orders were approved in [August 2023](#) and in [February 2024](#).

WHFP together with UNFPA, government representatives, civil society leaders, experts, and healthcare workers launched a public discussion through a set of regional and national roundtables on the **improvement of access to SRH services for women with disabilities in Ukraine**. In the outcome, the Resolution to ensure the elimination of discrimination was agreed upon and handed over to the principal state institutions for legislation improvement. As a result, the [MOH updated](#) a list of equipment and commodities for OBGYN care with transformable gynaecological chairs.

Capacity Building of Healthcare Professionals

WHFP has trained a total of **5,850** healthcare providers including OBGYNs, GPs, nurses and midwives from all Ukrainian government-controlled regions. Topics included:

MISP	CMR	GBV response	Safe abortion	Telemedicine for MA	30% average increase in participants' knowledge
SRH for women with disabilities	Youth-friendly SRH services	Colposcopy	Modern contraception	Effective communication for health facility receptionists	



Comprehensive SRHR Services Delivered*

- 123 032** — Total Number of Women Covered
- 2 867** — Number of Women with Disabilities
- 5 387** — Number of Internally Displaced Women
- 9 280** — Number of Women above 60 y.o.
- 4 356** — Number of Girls under 18 y.o.

- 359** — CMR and GBV Counselling and Services
- 4 505** — Emergency Contraception Counselling and Services
- 1 466** — Medical Abortion
- 1 252** — MVA
- 168** — Abortion in II Trimester

* Data as of December 31, 2023, reported by SDPs

Comprehensive Sexuality Education

CSE with a focus on GBV prevention for children and adolescents in de-occupied Chernihiv

	2022	2023
partner educational institutions	5	8
training sessions on CSE and GBV prevention	24 (235 participants)	120 (404 participants)
group psychological consultations	48 (721 participants)	42 (292 participants)
individual psychological consultations	48	70
Social Theatre Festival	5 groups, 90 participants, 20 rehearsal and educational events	8 groups, 150 participants, 40 rehearsal and educational events

Educational program SexUp5

implemented in partnership with YouthUP NGO in 2023

- 5** Youth Centres engaged (Zhytomyr, Volyn, Sumy, Kyiv and Chernihiv regions)
- 80** training sessions on CSE and GBV prevention
- 2 249** young people participated
- 65 000** people covered digitally

CSE for educators

50 teachers, psychologists, social workers trained



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