

WFP Collaboration with Civil Society Partners

2014 Facts & Figures

WFP works with a wide range of civil society organizations at country, regional and global level, and across multiple programmes and operating contexts. In 2014, WFP collaborated with more than 1,100 NGO and International Red Cross and Red Crescent partners who continue to play a crucial role in the delivery of WFP assistance, incl. both food and non-food based programming such as cash and vouchers and capacity development. The below figures provide a snapshot of the overall collaboration in 2014.

Working with civil society partners enables WFP to deliver at speed and scale. It also brings cost saving and efficiencies. Notwithstanding WFP's own extensive field presence, the engagement that especially local NGOs have with local communities and their deep contextual understanding enriches WFP programmes, facilitates increased access and support greater accountability to affected populations. Working in partnership with civil society organizations also strengthens WFP's technical skills and expertise, and supports innovative approaches and programmes.

In 2014 WFP worked with a total of 1,122 civil society partners	International NGOs	196
	National NGOs/Community-based Organizations	886
	The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement	40
Percentage of WFP country offices with civil society partnerships		91%
Number of partners who contributed to each of WFP's four Strategic Objectives (SOs)	SO 1: Save lives and protect livelihoods in emergencies	549
	SO 2: Support food security and nutrition and (re)build livelihoods in fragile settings and following emergencies	391
	SO 3: Reduce risk and enable people, communities and countries to meet their own food and nutrition needs	346
	SO 4: Reduce undernutrition and break the intergenerational cycle of hunger	369
Number of partners by distribution modality	Food Distribution	868
	International Partners:	154
	National Partners:	714
	Cash and/or Voucher Distribution	148
	International Partners:	52
	National Partners:	96
Number of partners collaborating in various programmatic focus areas	Asset Creation	367
	Capacity Development	132
	General Food Distribution	376
	Nutrition	467
	School Feeding	204
NGOs who worked with WFP in the most countries	World Vision International	25 countries
	Save the Children	23 countries
	Plan International	16 countries
	Agency for Cooperation and Technology in Development (ACTED)	16 countries
	Danish Refugee Council	15 countries
	Action Contre la Faim	14 countries
	Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA) International	14 countries
	CARE International	14 countries
	International Medical Corps	13 countries
	International Rescue Committee	13 countries
	Catholic Relief Services	11 countries
	Norwegian Refugee Council	10 countries
WFP country offices with the highest number of partners	Somalia	130
	Afghanistan	90
	Congo, Democratic Republic of	88

