



# Disaster Management Overview 2024

It's with deep gratitude and reflection that I share this annual review of World Vision's humanitarian efforts, illustrating the profound impact we achieved together in a year of historic challenges and change. In FY24, the humanitarian landscape demanded unprecedented resilience, flexibility, and innovation from organizations like ours. Our teams faced an array of increasingly complex crises, including protracted conflicts, climate-driven disasters, and mounting economic pressures that continue to deepen the vulnerabilities of children and families worldwide. Yet, even in the face of such daunting obstacles, we reached over 35 million people, including 19 million children, advancing our mission to bring life in all its fullness to the world's most vulnerable.

This journey has only been possible through the steadfast dedication and sacrifices of our colleagues on the front lines—those who, despite volatility and hardship, brought essential support to those in need. In the midst of all the challenges, the sense of humanity and solidarity amongst our teams, who worked above and beyond their duties, has been truly inspiring.

As humanitarian needs outpace resources, we have had to rethink how we serve communities, adapt to new funding realities, and address the costs of doing business in increasingly constrained environments. Despite limited access and restricted resources, we've also witnessed a steadfast commitment from our supporters and partners to help World Vision bring hope to those in crisis. This spirit of collaboration has strengthened our reach and deepened our resolve, reinforcing the belief that meaningful change is not only possible but inevitable.

As we look ahead, we are driven by faith and a shared determination to see communities not only recover but thrive. We continue to believe that every effort to bring healing, dignity, and opportunity to children and their families is invaluable.

Isabel Gomes  
Disaster Management Global Lead

In 2024, the Global Humanitarian Overview (GHO) reports that **116 million people were reached** with at least one form of humanitarian assistance. Despite collective efforts to better prioritize and target assistance, funding shortfalls have forced agencies to make impossibly difficult decisions about who and when to support; **only 43%** of the GHO was covered in FY24.

More than **305 million people** will need humanitarian assistance in 2025. This equals one in every 27 people on the planet. The 2025 appeal as outlined in the Global Humanitarian Overview is **US\$47.4 billion** to meet the needs of **189.5 million people targeted**.

*"The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it." – John 1:5*



# World Vision's Disaster Management Overview 2024\*

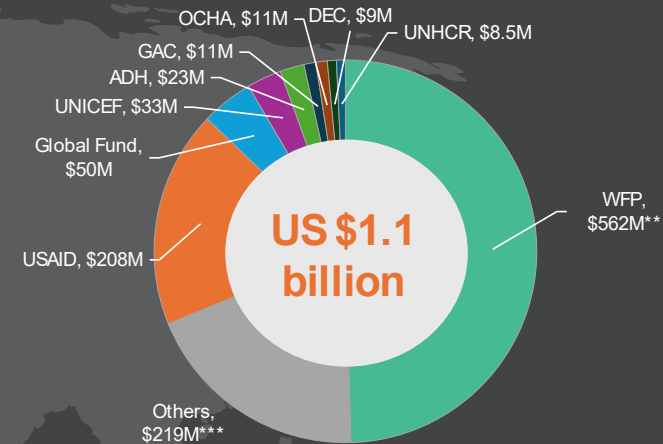
**35.2 million** people



**19 million** children



**Total humanitarian spending**

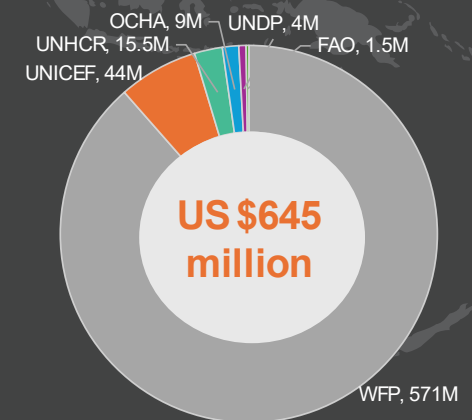


**121 DMT** deployments



**\$1.1 billion** spent

**6 UN** spending



**13.5 million** people reached with **cash/voucher** and **food** assistance



**87** responses in **65** countries

