

EMERGENCY RELIEF

World Vision®

SAVING LIVES

REBUILDING COMMUNITY

RENEWING HOPE

Global Impact

In 2016, World Vision
responded to

**130 EMERGENCIES IN
63 COUNTRIES**

and assisted **15.4 MILLION
PEOPLE**—67 percent of
them children.



“With all of the conflict in the world resulting in brokenness and hunger, it’s great to have a partner like World Vision who clearly understands that there’s nothing more powerful than loving your neighbor as yourself.”

—David Beasley, Executive Director,
U.N. World Food Program

World Vision leads in times of emergency

Whatever the cause, a humanitarian emergency always delivers the heaviest blow to children in the most fragile, underdeveloped, and unstable parts of the world. With people and resources pre-positioned across the globe, partnerships with governments and foreign assistance agencies, and a global presence in nearly 100 countries, World Vision stands ready to provide both immediate and long-term necessities—food, water, shelter, protection, and healthcare—whenever a crisis arises.

» OUR COMMITMENT

Through the Emergency Relief Signature Initiative, World Vision commits to reach at least 3 million people* affected by humanitarian crises with **LIFE-SAVING ASSISTANCE AND RESTORATIVE SUPPORT** as part of our global disaster response and crisis management efforts.

» OUR APPROACH

World Vision is distinctively capable of responding quickly, collaboratively, and holistically to virtually any crisis anywhere in the world:

GLOBAL PRE-POSITIONING Our trained emergency teams are situated across the globe in areas particularly prone to disaster and conflict. Strategically pre-positioning people and resources means World Vision can be on the ground **within 24 to 72 hours** delivering critical food, emergency water and sanitation, supplies, and shelter.

EXISTING PARTNERSHIPS Our long-standing presence in thousands of communities, established infrastructure, and close collaboration with the United Nations, USAID, the World Food Program, the Red Cross, and other key partners result in **efficient and appropriate action**.

COMPREHENSIVE World Vision’s industry-leading experience in water, sanitation, and hygiene, health and nutrition, economic empowerment, child protection, and education enables us to provide both emergency services and **long-term, sustainable solutions** tailored to the situation and needs of the community in crisis.

*Beneficiary numbers for Signature Initiatives are preliminary and represent a portion of World Vision’s total expected beneficiary reach in fiscal years 2016 – 2022



87 million children under the age of 7 have spent their entire lives in a conflict zone.

Before. During. After.

Before emergencies happen, World Vision works with communities to develop disaster preparedness plans that map out local threats and identify how best to save lives and protect property—increasing their readiness and resilience.

When a crisis does occur, World Vision's global staff activates already established logistical assessments, plans, programming standards, and pre-positioned supplies from warehouses strategically located worldwide.

After the initial response, World Vision works alongside communities over the long term to establish permanent housing, sustainable access to clean water, food security, access to quality education and healthcare, and recovery loans to rebuild livelihoods.



The changing face of emergency relief

In the past decade, the number of people affected by emergencies has nearly doubled, and it's still rising. Today, over 65 million people around the world are displaced by conflicts, disaster, persecution, and hunger—the highest number in recent history. Increasingly, these situations are in the most difficult and dangerous places in the world, and few organizations are equipped to respond. World Vision is not only equipped, but committed to bring hope and help to areas others either can't or won't go.

» A FULL SOLUTION TO POVERTY

We work in thousands of communities worldwide to help people through not only humanitarian emergencies but a variety of ongoing needs, including water, health, education, child protection, and economic opportunity—partnering with them to deliver a full solution capable of breaking the cycle of poverty.

» HIGH-IMPACT PARTNERS

World Vision is able to reach more people because of our local and global partnerships within the public and private sectors.

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GATES foundation**



USAID
FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE



World Food Programme



The Pfizer Foundation
A charitable foundation established by Pfizer Inc



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