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BUILDING CAPACITY INSTEAD OF DEPENDENCE
Total number of casualties among the civilian population in Ukraine since the beginning of the Russian Federation’s full-scale invasion: **23,500 people**, including **8,800 deaths** and **14,7007 injuries**

- Since February 24, 2022, about **13.7 million Ukrainians left abroad** and **8.7 million re-entered the country** as of the end of 2022.
- By the end of 2022, between **3.8 to 4.7 million refugees were abroad**, including in Europe.

**4.85 million people** are internally displaced persons (June 12, 2023)

**2.9 million Ukrainians** have been relocated to Russia since the beginning of the invasion.

Currently, **about 1.5 million Ukrainians** remain there.

According to various estimates, between **1.6 to 2.8 million people** live in Occupied Districts of Donetsk and Luhansk regions.

As of September 2022, **1.2 million people** were in the temporarily occupied territories.

According to the illegal census of 2021, **2.5 million people** live in the Autonomous Republic of Crimea.

Sources: UNDP, Ministry of Reintegration of Temporarily Occupied Territories, CES, OHCHR
# The Impact of the War on People’s Lives

Survey results on the negative impact on people’s lives by sector, % of the total

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## Insights

### Education
- 10% of households with school-aged children unable to access distance learning while schools were closed.

### Health
- 33% of households reported spending more than 25% of their total income on healthcare services.
- 57.4% households struggled to afford medicines.

### Living conditions
- 817,000 residential units were damaged between Feb to Aug 2022 (55,000 2014-2021).
- 59% of households experienced interruption in the main utility services in the fall 2022.
- Share of households with insufficient food consumption in December 2022 reached 32%.

### Economic output
- 65% reported decrease in income since February 2022 – especially for IDPs and returnees, and those in the Southeast macro-region.
- 60% of households, and 73% of IDPs responded that the work of their household members had been affected since the start of the full-scale war due to job loss, salary cut, and reduced working hours.

Source: Human Impact Assessment, CIVITTA
CREATING CONDITIONS FOR INDIVIDUALS TO LIVE AND RETURN TO UKRAINE:

- comfortable parenthood planning and child-rearing
- socially and economically active life and comfortable longevity, regardless of the circumstances
- resilience and development
- care and support for those who need it
SUPPORTING INDIVIDUALS THROUGHOUT THE LIFE CYCLE

Parenthood planning
- demographic strategy
- reproductive assistance
- family spaces and support

Childhood
- family support services
- development of a family-based care system
- digitalization of adoption and guardianship processes
- inclusive educational environment
- respect for the individual and safety

Adulthood
- private social insurance
- centralized purchasing of social services
- universal social assistance
- automated subsidies
- development of rehabilitation
- support and adaptation services for combatants and their families
- employment of people with disabilities
- development of prosthetics

Older age
- reform of the solidarity pension system
- accumulated pension
- insurance payments
- high quality care system (various models of support)
- small residential facilities
CONVERTING CHALLENGES INTO BENEFITS

**Country of the best digital solutions**
More than 20 thousand users, **15 subsystems and 40 registers** are combined into **one system**, electronic documents, online communication

**Social services - a promising market for Ukrainian and international businesses**
market mechanisms for improving the quality of services, national purchaser of social services, convenient register and dashboards of **3310 service providers**

**Support starts with social services and is complemented by cash assistance as needed**
unified standards and protocols for service provision, system of social support electronic case management

**A global center for innovative prosthetics**
Localization of the production of assistive products, **50+ prosthetic enterprises**, **6 competitive rehabilitation centers**, a new educational and scientific prosthetic hub for Ukraine, Eastern Europe, Asia and Africa

**Community of a unique systematic volunteer movement**
convenient services for volunteers (**every second person in Ukraine**) and organizations, opportunities for communication and interaction with stakeholders
A family in need receives financial support from the state, which will be universal and targeted.

The poverty rate in Ukraine increased from 5.5% to 24.5%.

In a crisis situation, a family receives the necessary services needed for its preservation.

Creation of a national strategic purchaser of social services
Provision of high quality care services

576,400 families needed services in 2022.
Resilience centers are friendly, barrier-free inclusive spaces in the community for:

- counseling
- trainings, group support, psychosocial assistance
- development and coordination of volunteering
- common family spaces

- 7,000 social workers in 1,500 communities (municipalities)
- Cost of establishing and operating one center for 18 months is 485,000 USD
- 150,000 of volunteers involved
- Coverage: at least 10 million people
Development of parental skills and competencies

- Multidisciplinary teams comprising a social worker, psychologist, doctor/nurse
- Open kindergarten
- Consultations for families, trainings
- Psychological support

- 12.5 million people aged 18-40 (1.01.22)
- 210,000 marriages per year
- 250,000 children born every year
2,000 houses are needed. Cost of 1 house: USD 300,000

- Development of family-based upbringing as the best form of child-rearing, contributing to their socialization, formation of skills, development and responsibility
- Family placement is needed for 8,900 children
INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES ARE ECONOMICALLY INDEPENDENT AND INCLUDED IN SOCIAL LIFE

- High-quality and timely rehabilitation
  - Creation of schools for using wheelchairs, orientation for visually impaired people, etc
- Promotion of employment with a sufficient level of income
- Providing decent care for those who need it
- Ensuring the inclusion of persons with disabilities in all spheres of life

- 75 million USD is allocated for assistive products
- 2.9 million people with disabilities
- 44,000 people need care
- 8 rehabilitation centers, 110 enterprises in the field of assistive products

INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES ARE ECONOMICALLY INDEPENDENT AND INCLUDED IN SOCIAL LIFE
CREATION OF A PROSTHETIC HUB IN UKRAINE

- Localization of production of components for prosthetic and orthopedic products
- Training of prosthetics and orthotics specialists for Ukraine and countries of Eastern Europe, Asia, and Africa
- High-quality prosthetics and rehabilitation of complex cases

80,800 people received assistive products, with more than 302,700 items issued in 2022

40,200 people received 136,400 items of assistive products in January-May 2023
Options for cooperation and assistance:
- Budget transfers/programs
- Support through the humanitarian account
- Joint implementation of projects

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