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Quick Facts

Countries	Yemen
Financial Institutions	World Bank (WB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	A
Voting Date	2022-07-25
Borrower	United Nations Children's Fund; United Nations Office for Project Services; & WHO
Sectors	Education and Health, Water and Sanitation
Investment Type(s)	Grant
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 150.00 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 150.00 million

Project Description

According to bank documents, the project objective is to provide essential health, nutrition, water and sanitation services to the population of Yemen.

The project has four components:

1. Component 1: Improving Access to Healthcare, Nutrition, and Public Health Services. The component aims to help sustain essential health and nutrition services at currently-supported health facilities.
    i. Subcomponent 1.1: Improving Access to the Minimum Service Package (MSP) at Primary Healthcare Level: UNICEF (US $ 43.7 million), WHO (US$ 1 million)
    ii. Subcomponent 1.2: Improving Access to Essential Preventive and Curative Nutrition Services: UNICEF (US$ 20 million)
    iii. Subcomponent 1.3: Improving Access to the MSP at Secondary and Tertiary Care Level (WHO US$ 25.75 million)
    iv. Subcomponent 1.4: Sustaining National Health System Preparedness and Public Health Programs (implemented by WHO - US$11.51 million equivalent)
    v. Subcomponent 1.5: Health System Strengthening – UNICEF (US$1.5 million) and WHO (US $1.5 million)
2. Component 2: Improving Access to Water Supply and Sanitation (WSS) and Strengthening Local Systems, (implemented by UNOPS – US$ 26.4 million equivalent). This component aims to support the provision of WSS services for the population of Yemen through rehabilitation of medium to large WSS infrastructure, prevention, and response to communicable diseases including Cholera, Covid-19 etc, and strengthening the capacity of the local water and sanitation institutions at the decentralized levels.
    i. Subcomponent 2.1: Restoring Access to and Improving Quality of WSS Services in Selected Urban and Rural Areas:
3. Component 3: Project Support, Management, Evaluation and Administration Project Support, Management, Evaluation and Administration (implemented by UNICEF, WHO, and UNOPS – US$18.81 million equivalent). The proposed additional financing will enhance institutional capabilities at subnational level (at governorate, district and health facility levels) to strengthen the health system and increase its resilience for sustainable service delivery in the medium- to long-term.
4. Component 4: Contingent Emergency Response Component (CERC) (implemented by UNICEF, WHO, and UNOPS – US$0). This component description remains unchanged with the CERC in place to provide expedited response in case of an emergency.

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