In 2022, South Sudan’s fragility continued to exacerbate as the country reeled from the increasing threats and impact of climate change and conflict, resulting in increased hunger, displacements, and outbreaks of diseases. All these affect children and communities in many parts of the country.

World Vision in South Sudan has remained steadfast on its commitment to deliver its promise — improve the lives of 3 million children by 2025 — as it pursued programs and projects focusing on emergency relief, recovery, and resilience.

Highlighted in this report are the gains World Vision has made in 2022, working with partners in supporting the well-being of children and communities, and the impact of our interventions in food security and livelihoods, health and nutrition, water, sanitation and hygiene, and education with the integration of protection, peacebuilding, and faith and development.
"New ways of working together are required to ensure a healthier tomorrow for us and the future generation...

The real heroes are local responders and volunteers who brave the difficult and risky terrains to reach the most affected populations. They are on the frontline, acting as multipliers of hope and goodwill..."

~ Dr. Mesfin Loha
World Vision South Sudan Country Director

The multi-faceted effects of hunger and displacements due to conflict and climate impacts, such as flooding, have prompted World Vision to focus on multi-sectoral programming with the support of various local and international partners, donors, communities, and faith-based organizations.

World Vision recognizes that it is mostly through multi-sectoral programming that the most vulnerable children can be given a holistic chance at thriving. Underlying all of World Vision’s key interventions were peacebuilding, gender equality and social inclusion, and protection initiatives to enhance social cohesion of communities.

In 2022, World Vision South Sudan served more than 2.3 million people, including 1.3 million children. More than 2.1 million people were reached through various emergency response, food security and livelihood interventions. In collaboration with partners, particularly the World Food Programme, World Vision distributed 40,246 metric tons of food and US$7.4 million in cash to over 1 million people in crisis. At least 819,648 children and 434,946 pregnant and lactating women received care and nutrition support.
Food Security, Livelihoods, and Climate action

More than 27,000 farmers completed extensive agriculture training programs, including the Climate Smart Agriculture, under World Vision’s Food Security and Livelihoods program, supported by the Food and Agriculture Organization, the World Food Programme, and other partners. The training programs included knowledge sharing on good agricultural practices, establishment of demonstration farms where farmers could learn together, envision, test, and expand their business ideas.

These programs are outstanding examples of how collaboration and partnerships equip and empower communities into becoming more resilient and adaptive to human and nature-induced hazards and climate change impacts.

“In eight years, we have acclimatized the agricultural practices to the climate, which has improved our harvests. We are more resilient because our communities have becomemore connected and they can share information, both good and bad. This allowed us to expand our knowledge and practices, and to expand our business ideas.”

~ Majook Deng
Chairperson of the Rumrol Farmers’ Cooperative

2022 KEY ACHIEVEMENTS

“We are now able to stand on our own feet... and signals our readiness to expand support to other farmers in neighboring communities.”

~ Majook Deng
Chairperson of the Rumrol Farmers’ Cooperative

99,158 vulnerable people received food security and livelihoods training
42,228 farmers received agricultural tools and seeds to pursue climate-smart agricultural practices
8,237 people, of which majority are women, learned savings practices

Food Assistance

2.1 million people reached through the Hunger Emergency Response

$9 million cash assistance distributed
40,246 metric tons of food distributed

123,290 children received healthy lunches thru school meal programs in 283 schools

Farmers like Adut were provided with seeds and tools, and were trained on climate-smart agriculture. Leading the other women organized in her community equipped them to deal with the crisis and national disasters, and protect their families.
Health and Nutrition

At the core of World Vision South Sudan’s interventions on health and nutrition are maternal and child health, specifically aimed at reducing, and eradicating, the prevalence of malnutrition and likelihood of preventable deaths. To achieve this, World Vision works closely and in partnership with the national and state ministries of health, country organizations, faith-based groups, and humanitarian and development organizations to strengthen health systems, infrastructures, supply chain, and information management.

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<td>434,946 pregnant and lactating women screened for malnutrition</td>
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<td>328,050 women received maternal and child health services</td>
<td>19,357 pregnant and lactating women recovered from malnutrition across 95 therapeutic feeding and nutrition sites</td>
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<td>359,907 people received COVID-19 vaccines in World Vision-assisted health facilities</td>
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Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (WASH)

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Education and Children's Participation

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<td>267,068 people, mainly children, received education interventions such as:</td>
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<td>283 schools supported with Education in Emergencies programming</td>
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<td>123,920 children benefited through World Food Programme-supported school meals program</td>
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<td>69,187 children received support to enroll and attend school</td>
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Protection and Advocacy

87,629 People reached through Protection and Advocacy, including:

- **480 people** trained to become child protection advocates
  
  The individuals, including 180 women, were equipped with knowledge and skills to prevent gender-based violence, intervene in child protection issues, and use available reporting systems.

- **14,855 girls and boys** experienced safe environment to learn and play in 16 child friendly spaces set up by World Vision.

Faith and development

- **23,077 children**
  
  learned and reflected on their spirituality through the Spiritual Nurture of Children activities

- **1,102 people**
  
  learned about creating safe and peaceful home environments through the Celebrating Families and Empowered World View trainings

Peacebuilding

- **1,161 community and faith leaders**
  
  participated in peacebuilding activities under the Faith Leaders for Peacebuilding Initiative

- **Over 90 people**
  
  took part in the World Vision-supported peace consultation processes

IN FOCUS

Education gives hope to children affected by conflict, hunger, and flooding

Moses, 11, lost his parents at an early age and now lives with his elder sister. “We pay SSP 6000 (US$12) per term with requirements. I stopped because I do not want to add burden to my sister who is also struggling to make ends meet,” he says. He works odd jobs in people’s farmlands to earn some money for his other needs. His situation changed when he got educational support and now he is keen to excel in his studies to become a doctor.

World Vision, with support from Education Cannot Wait, in partnership with Fin Church Aid and Save the Children, supported Moses and 875 schoolchildren in Tonj East with school materials. It aimed to increase school enrollment and retention.

Torj East is heavily impacted by the hunger crisis due to communal conflicts and floods and displacements. People send their children to cattle camps to work instead of school.

Head teacher John Aker says, “In 2019, we had 320 children who registered in the school but many dropped out for lack scholastics materials. In 2020, when World Vision distributed the materials, the enrolment increased to 400. As of March 2022, we have a considerable increase of 650 pupils. I am optimistic that more will come. This education initiative is truly a boost for children’s education.”
In 2022, the collective efforts of 1,134 staff, government employees, and volunteers helped oversee the implementation of World Vision’s programs and projects in 9 out of 10 states. These programs and projects were managed through 4 zonal offices based in Kuajok, Malakal, Juba, and Yambio. Operations of these zonal offices were augmented by 21 satellite offices.

WHERE WE WORK

Through the support of World Vision’s partners, we are able to continue serving the most vulnerable children and their communities in South Sudan.

In FY22, World Vision's 54 active projects were undertaken in partnership with 7 INGOs, and 24 national and local organizations, including 4 faith-based organizations.

2022 FINANCIALS & LINKAGES

TOTAL FUNDS
$134 million

FOOD & GIFTS-IN-KIND
$62.7 million

GRANTS & MULTILATERAL (CASH)
$48.1 million

WORLD VISION PRIVATE NEW SPONSORSHIP FUNDS
$14.2 million

CASH & VOUCHER TRANSFERS
$9 million

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WHO WE ARE

OUR FOUNDATION
Christian faith
Beginning with our founder’s passion to share God’s heart for the world, our faith remains central to our work today. We seek to know Jesus and to share His love with the world through the transforming power of the Holy Spirit. Our prayer is that all may come to experience life to its fullest measure.

OUR IMPACT
Children’s well-being
In everything we do, we aim to enable fullness of life for children — in body, mind, and spirit. We work alongside families and with local, national, and global partners, helping children take an active role with their families in building lives free of need and full of promise.

OUR APPROACH
Empowered communities
Empowered by God’s grace, and guided by our deep experience and expertise, we work together with supporters, partners, and communities in collective efforts that enrich the lives of all involved. We help change the way the world works for children and create lasting impact that we live on for generations to come.

OUR VISION
“Our vision for every child, life in all its fullness. Our prayer for every heart, the will to make it so.”

2nd Class, Hai Cinema Juba, South Sudan
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The children play with visiting World Vision staff who lead the protection and education programme in a IDP settlement camp in Juba.