

Ten ways the UN makes a difference

THE UNITED NATIONS

Assists and protects 131 million people fleeing war, famine and persecution

Provides food and assistance to more than 150 million people in over 120 countries and territories

Supplies vaccines to 45% of the world's children, helps save 3 million lives a year

Works with 196 nations to keep the global temperature rise well below 2°C /3.6°F

Keeps peace with 71,000 peacekeepers in 11 operations around the world

Tackles the global water crisis affecting over 4 billion people worldwide

Protects and promotes human rights globally and through 80 treaties/declarations

Coordinates US\$ 46 billion appeal for the humanitarian needs of 248 million people

Uses diplomacy to prevent conflict: assists some 50 countries a year with their elections

Supports over 11 million women a year with sexual and reproductive health services