

UNDP and the SDGs



UNDP is providing thought leadership and promoting multi-stakeholder approaches for the implementation of the 2030 Agenda in Ghana. UNDP promotes the SDGs at three levels – data production, mainstreaming into national and local plans, and advocating for the implementation of the SDGs.

The goals focus on five Ps: People, Planet, Prosperity, Peace and Partnership.



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United Nations Development
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in Ghana



UNDP in Ghana

The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) works in about 170 countries and territories, focusing on poverty eradication, and reduction of inequalities and exclusion.

In Ghana, we work with national partners to promote the achievement of the sustainable development goals (SDGs). Our focus is particularly on working towards the achievement of UNDP's global strategic focus areas for 2018-2022, which aim to:

- ✦ Eradicate poverty;
- ✦ Strengthen effective, inclusive and accountable governance;
- ✦ Enhance national prevention & recovery capacities for resilient societies;
- ✦ Promote nature-based solutions for a sustainable planet;
- ✦ Close the energy gap; and
- ✦ Strengthen gender equality and women empowerment.

UNDP Ghana is leveraging on its integrator and facilitator role to support national development efforts through:



Our Thematic Programme Areas

We focus our work on the following three thematic clusters.



Democratic Governance and Peace Building

Inclusive Growth and Development

Sustainable Development

These three thematic areas underpin our country programme priorities. Currently, our focus within the next five years (2018-2022) is on two programme pillars. These are:

Accountable, Transparent and Responsive Governance

Under this programme area, UNDP is working with government institutions to:

- improve capacities to ensure cost-effectiveness, efficiency and accountability;
- ensure access to justice; gender equality; conflict prevention and resolution;
- produce quality data, and the use of the data for evidence-based planning at the national and local levels; and
- develop and implement constitutional, electoral and legal reforms using an inclusive process to improve transparency and cost-effective management of general and local elections.

Green, Equitable and Resilient Development

UNDP, under this programme area, is partnering with national partners to:

- strengthen capacity of public institutions to reduce environmental degradation and implement climate action;
- facilitate access to information, knowledge and tools to promote green jobs, citizen participation in environmental conservation, and community resilience; and
- enhance capacity to improve policy coherence, gender-sensitive business environment; and to promote inclusive value chains in extractives, especially for neglected minerals.

