Achieving zero hunger in an urbanising world

UPDATE ON WFP'S PROGRAMMING IN URBAN AREAS



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WFP'S URBAN POLICY 2002 - THE IMPORTANCE OF URBAN CONTEXTS TO ACHIEVE ZERO HUNGER



- The policy recognises **urban settings** as locations increasingly affected by poverty, food insecurity and malnutrition.
- It outlines the key features of urban food insecurity and why it is different than in rural areas.
- It provides considerations for improving and expanding analysis of vulnerability and needs in urban areas.
- It provides considerations for improving and expanding its efforts on **urban programming**, including on targeting, program design and partnerships.
 - The policy was followed by an **operational** guidance.

TOWARDS A FRAMEWORK FOR ACTION: THE INCREASING BURDEN OF HUNGER In Urban Areas



A FRAMEWORK FOR ACTION: THE URBAN STRATEGY

- Aligned with the WFP Strategic Plan 2022-24, providing a framework to operationalise WFP's strategic outcomes and cross-cutting priorities in urban environments.
- Developed through a whole-oforganization approach, driven by regional bureaux and HQ units, and informed by operational and analytical evidence.
- Partnerships and an enabling role are emphasized, recognizing the increase in national capacities to handle urban issues.





STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK FOR PROGRAMMING IN URBAN AREAS

The urban strategic framework outlines:

Priorities/ entry points

Priorities in the immediate and medium term in its support to vulnerable urban populations.

Roles

Modes of support that WFP can adopt.

Areas of work

Actions WFP will undertake.

Key improvements

Programmatic shifts that are needed to deliver on these priorities.



Thank you for your time and attention

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