Why the Changing Lives Transformation Fund?

In line with WFP’s dual mandate and Strategic Plan, strategic evaluation of WFP’s funding (2020) recommend WFP

- develop a consolidated plan for and approach to accessing development financing;

- invest in the organizational capacity needed to better position itself and enhance partnerships with development funders (...), including through greater investment in policy advice, evidence generation and capacity strengthening;

- clarify its ambition for brokering direct development financing for national partners.

Source: Strategic Evaluation of Funding WFP’s Work (2014-19), issued May 2020
Transformative, catalytic and sustainable

Transformative

Catalytic

Sustainable
Up to 10 proposals by country offices will be funded under three transformative investment themes:

1. **Transition**
   Investments that transition populations from dependence on humanitarian assistance to increased self-sufficiency
   Potential partners: UNHCR, IOM, FAO, ILO, UNDP, UNICEF, IFIs

2. **System Strengthening**
   Investments that strengthen the capacity and resilience of national programmes and systems to deliver effectively for those most behind
   Potential partners: FAO, UNICEF, UNFPA, UNWomen, WHO, IFIs, GIZ

3. **Climate Adaptation**
   Investments that enable climate adaptation for countries / people most at risk from climate shocks
   Potential partners: FAO, IFAD, UNDP, UNEP, Thematic Funds

**How will countries be selected?**
42 countries on preliminary long list to serve as starting point for RBs to select countries

Benin, Burkina Faso, Côte d’Ivoire, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal, Togo

Armenia, Egypt, Iran, Jordan, Lebanon, Bangladesh, Cambodia, India, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Pakistan, Philippines, Sri Lanka, Timor-Leste

Bolivia, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Eswatini, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, Tanzania, Zambia, Djibouti, Ethiopia, Kenya, Rwanda, Uganda, Djibouti, Ethiopia, Kenya, Rwanda, Uganda

Regional Bureau:
- Asia & the Pacific
- Latin America and the Caribbean
- Middle East, Northern Africa and Eastern Europe
- Southern Africa
- Eastern Africa
- Western Africa
4 step selection process ensures right countries are selected

1. **Country Office Nomination by RB**
   - RB “call for proposals” based on long list and in line with investment themes, CLTF principles and criteria
   - Three sequential thematic windows in 2022/2023
   - RBs nominate COs to proceed to next step

2. **Proposal Submission**
   - Nominated CO submits investment case
   - Proposals reviewed and scored per CLTF criteria and submitted to the Investment Selection Committee

3. **Programme Selection**
   - Investment Selection Committee selects up to 10 investment cases considering:
     - Country context
     - CO readiness
     - Potential to support national objectives for transformative change
     - Relevance to fragile contexts/populations
     - WFP cross-cutting priorities

4. **Funding Allocation**
   - Multilateral Budget Committee allocates funding through country portfolio budget:
     - USD 2-7 Million per country
     - Over 3-5 years

Selection process
CLTF performance framework uses KPIs to measure outcomes in each country and corporate impact.

### Transformative
1. Depth of change & reach

### Catalytic
2. Resources

### Sustainable
3. Continuity Post-CLTF

### Learning
4. Resources

### Enhanced partnerships
5. Enhanced partnerships

Each area has a number of indicators associated with it.
“If you want to go fast, go alone; if you want to go far go together”

WFP country offices will use the CLTF to support governments to build a coalition so “we go far on the road to Zero Hunger”.

Multi-sectoral approaches and solutions are key to success.

Key additional partners include:

- FAO, IFAD and other UN agencies
- IFIs and multilateral funds
- Civil society, private sector and academia as appropriate