

World Food Programme

SAVING LIVES CHANGING LIVES

Office of the Ombudsman and Mediation Services Briefing to the Executive Board

2022 June

A DEMANDING TIME FOR WFP

Ukraine crisis

Global food crisis

Constant increase in emergencies



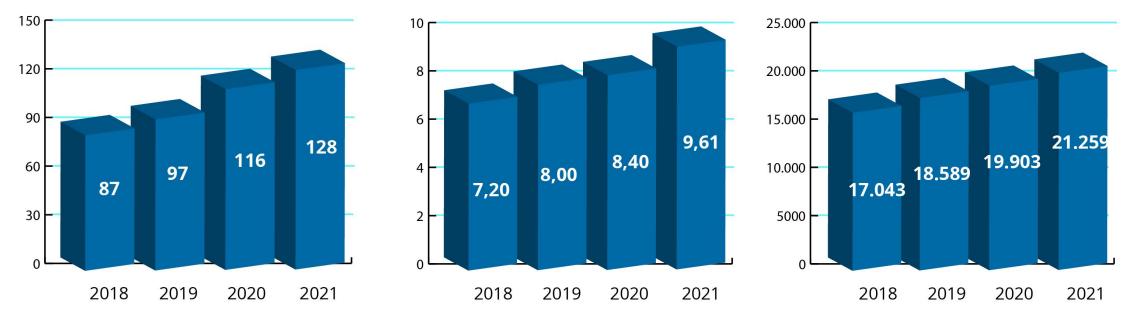


A DEMANDING TIME FOR WFP

Beneficiaries (in million, reached through direct food assistance) 2018 - 2021

Funding (in billion USD) 2018 - 2021

No of WFP Employees 2018 - 2021



- What is lying ahead for WFP?
- How does OBD contribute to a resilient workforce and a thriving workplace culture?





How can OBD support the organization to meet its goals in times of so many demands, so many beneficiaries, and such stretched resources?

- Purpose of OBD is contribute to employees
 - achieving <u>more</u>: more time/focus for beneficiaries; more innovation and support directed to beneficiaries
 - not getting drawn into time and energy consuming conflicts that negatively affect morale, work climate and creativity
- Support creating a thriving work environment where employees can give their best





Capacitybuilding mediation confidential workplace training neutral respect facilitation rwa coaching conflict informal SNU independent helping systemic Confident stakeholders leadership teamclimate recommendations safeplace **ISSUES CONCERNS INFORMAL**

Serving the organization with informal conflict resolution









HOW OBD CONTRIBUTES



- Early warning canary in the mine
- Prevention
- Agent of change
- Analysing the interplay between leadership, employees, policies, and systems in place, and local circumstances
- Firsthand information beyond statistics
- Insights into organizational climate, Pulse, variations by location



OBD AND REPORTING ON CASES

- Main issue categories, 2017 2021 (% of all issues reported)
- Evaluative relationships as example for consistency of topics

Relationships

Safety, Health

and Wellness

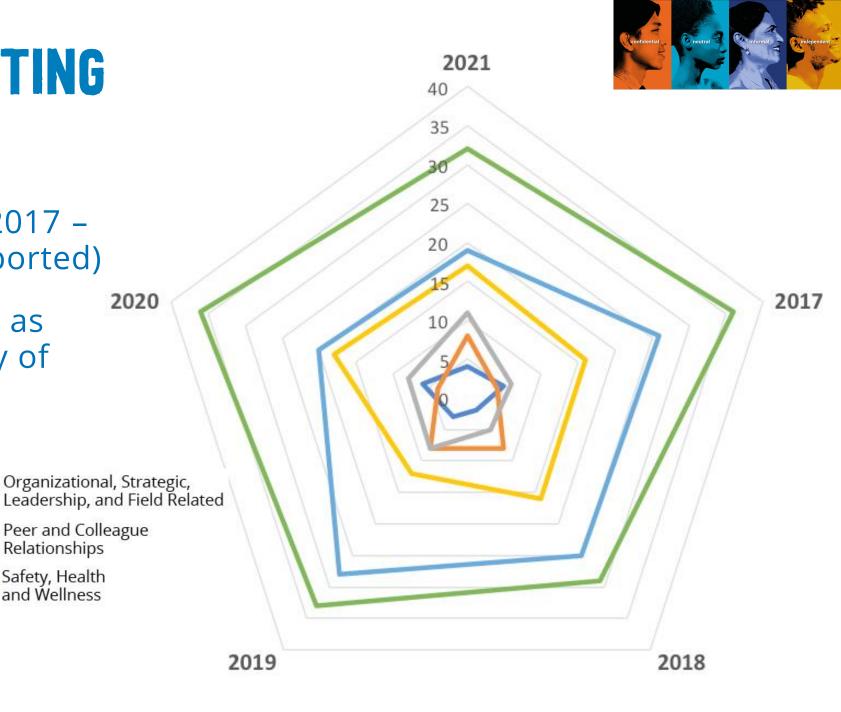
Evaluative relationships

Legal, Regulatory

and Compliance

Job & Career

orld Food



OBD CHANGES Workplace Lives

SO EMPLOYEES CAN Focus on saving and Changing lives









THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT ...to the organization ...and to the Office of the Ombudsman and Mediation Services



Thank You! Ombudsman@wfp.org



Contacting the Ombudsman is always a safe first step – Everybody is welcome with any work-related issue