Meetings with UN Agency Procurement Officers

2nd Thematic Session

UN Procurement for medical and pharmaceutical goods, services and technology

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UNICEF was created by the UN General Assembly in 1946

Mandated to advocate for the protection of children's rights, to help meet their basic needs and to expand their opportunities to reach their full potential
MANDATE

- UNICEF works in programmes, advocacy, innovation and technical assistance across **190 countries**

- Addresses country-specific needs, supporting global efforts in collaboration with governments, partners and other UN organizations

- **Five goal areas** drive progress towards realizing the rights of every child, especially the most disadvantaged
FIVE GOAL AREAS

1. Every child survives and thrives
2. Every child learns
3. Every child is protected from violence and exploitation
4. Every child lives in a safe and clean environment
5. Every child has an equitable chance in life
**UNICEF procurement value by major commodity groups (2018)**

- **Vaccines**
  - $1.453 billion

- **Water & Sanitation**
  - $117.3 million

- **Education**
  - $57.4 million

- **Pharmaceuticals**
  - $124 million

- **Nutrition**
  - $183.9 million

- **Cold Chain Equipment**
  - $77.9 million

- **Medical supplies**
  - $106 million

**78% of UNICEF procurement is in collaboration with other UN agencies and partners**

- **Total Procurement Value**
  - $3.486 billion
    - of supplies + services for 150 countries and areas

- **Procurement on Behalf**
  - **$1.536 billion** in procurement on behalf of 107 self-financing governments and partners

  - **$2.378 billion** supplies

  - **$1.108 billion** services (including construction, local technical workforce for programme execution, research, surveys, monitoring and evaluation, international freight, in-country logistics and warehousing, finance and insurance)
UNITED NATIONS POPULATION FUND (UNFPA)

• Established in 1969
• Lead UN agency for contraceptives & reproductive health (RH) supplies
• Delivering a world where every pregnancy is wanted, every childbirth is safe and every young person's potential is fulfilled
• Expanding the possibilities for women and young people to lead healthy sexual and reproductive lives
MANDATE

- Contributing to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals 3, 4 and 5
- Indirectly also contributes to the achievement of 9 other SDGs
- On the ground improving the lives of millions of women and young people in more than 150 countries and in humanitarian crises
PROCUREMENT

DELIVERING SUPPLIES TO ENSURE RIGHTS AND CHOICES FOR ALL

- UNFPA Procurement Services Branch has been providing RH supplies for the developing world for 50 years

- UNFPA manages a global supply chain that responds to the needs of partners in development

- Today, UNFPA is the largest public sector procurer of RH commodities
• In 2018, Reproductive health supplies procured for over $236 million US Dollars
  $172.5M (Contraceptives)
  $14.6M (Medical Equipment)
  $11.1M (Pharmaceuticals)
  $38.2M (Medical/RH/Dignity Kits)
In 2018, UNFPA delivered more than **12,000 emergency reproductive health kits** including over 1,700 tons of life-saving medicines and supplies to 50 countries to support humanitarian response.
Total UNFPA Procurement Spent for RH Commodities 2014-2018

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Total UNFPA Procurement Spent for Corporate Services

Corporate Services Broken Down

- Varied Services
- Professional consultancy Services
- IT & Communications
- Printing & Publication Services
- General Office Equipment & Supplies
- Other Services
Next...
UNITED NATIONS GLOBAL SERVICE CENTER (UNGSC)

- Established in 1994
- UNGSC Headquarters in Brindisi, Italy
- United Nations Information and Communications Technology Facility UNICTF in Valencia, Spain
• Main bridge for telecommunications services (e-mail, telephone communications and videoconferencing sessions)

• Strategic Communications Technology Hub for UN operations worldwide

• Hosts satellite communications links in addition to monitoring and coordinating the establishment and operations of all satellite telecommunications links in the field missions
UNGSC Procurement expenditures go up to 50 million US$ annually

- Supply chain service
- Provision of critical logistics, geospatial, information and telecommunications technologies services

UN Strategic Deployment Stocks (SDS) (to Achieve effective and rapid deployment in support)

- Engineering Support
- Vehicles
- Medical Supply
- General Supply
GOODS AND SERVICES

GOODS:
- Communications Equipment
- Computers
- Office Equipment
- Tools
- Packaging Equipment and Materials
- Spares and Consumables
- Vehicle Spare Parts
- Electrical Equipment and Generators

SERVICES:
- Construction works
- Professional and technical consultancies
- Freight Forwarding & Transportation
- Trainings and Programs (Technical/Professional, Certifications and Soft skills)
- General Maintenance of the premises
- MRO (buildings, systems, equipment)
- Telecommunications: telephone, Internet, leased lines
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