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#GetToZero



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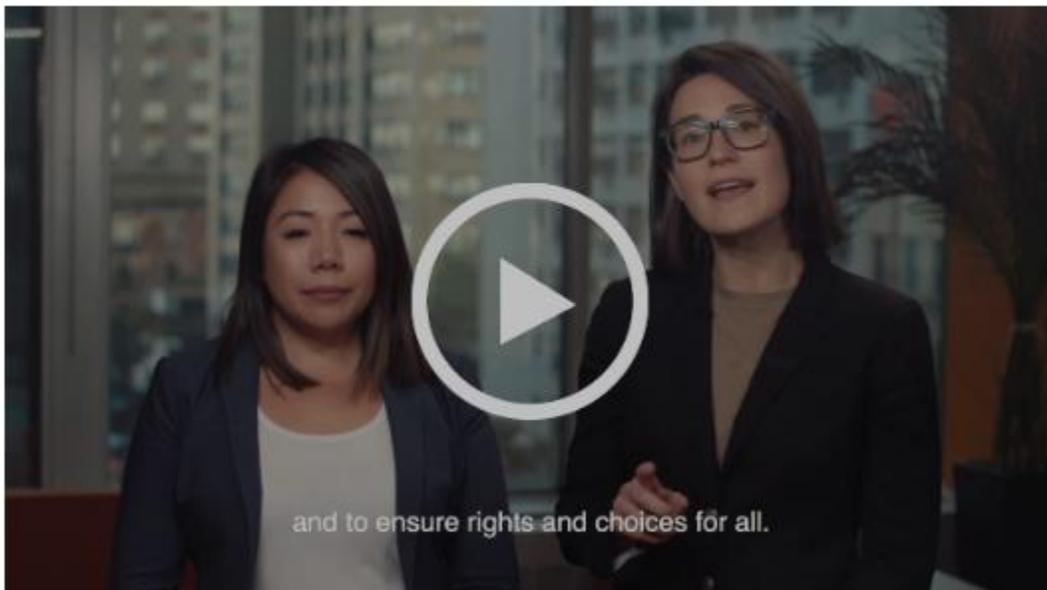
## GETTING TO **ZERO**

GOOD PRACTICES ON

- Ending preventable maternal deaths
- Ending unmet need for family planning
- Ending gender-based violence and all harmful practices

**A synthesis of UNFPA country programme evaluations**

**Watch highlights of the synthesis report**



### From the Director's desk

Just in time for the [Nairobi Summit](#) that marks the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development (ICPD), we are pleased to share learnings from the [synthesis of 57 country programme evaluations at UNFPA](#).

The synthesis identifies good practices and effective programming trends to achieve universal access to sexual and reproductive health and rights by 2030, driven by three transformative results: zero preventable maternal deaths, zero unmet need for family planning, and zero gender-based violence and all harmful practices against women and girls.

Evaluation plays a central role in supporting the organization, and its partners, to strengthen accountability for results, ensure evidence-based decision-making, and identify key lessons learned for improved programming. UNFPA country programme evaluations are a key vehicle for evaluative evidence for the organization. Periodically, the Evaluation Office undertakes a synthesis of this rich evidence to extract accessible and usable knowledge for the organization, to better understand what kinds of programmatic interventions work to accelerate results.

I am confident that the knowledge and learning from this synthesis will help UNFPA and partners to align efforts to ensure rights and choices for all, especially those still left behind 25 years later. Collective learning, knowledge sharing, and mutual accountability, are critical than ever before, to achieve the ICPD Programme of Action and the 2030 Agenda.

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**Read the synthesis and brief at [www.unfpa.org/evaluation](http://www.unfpa.org/evaluation)**

### Overarching good practices to achieve sexual and reproductive rights and choices for all



**Attention to and transformation of discriminatory social and cultural norms, attitudes, behaviours and beliefs** accelerates positive change in all transformative results



**Strategic use of diverse partnerships with government, UN agencies, civil society and influential actors at local, national, regional and global levels** helps to accelerate change



**Planning for and ensuring attention to SRHR in crisis situations** leads to more responsive humanitarian interventions that help rebuild communities



**Supporting the generation and use of quality data** promotes targeted action and accountability across all transformative results



**UNFPA interventions that engage in gender analysis and integrate gender mainstreaming** are better positioned to improve the lives of women and girls

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Bringing the **right evidence**



to the **right people**



at the **right time**



to ensure **rights and choices for all**

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