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**YEAR IN REVIEW**

**WE ASSEMBLE**

- Global Humanitarian Response Plans to help vulnerable people in the fight against COVID-19
- Partnerships with businesses to strengthen humanitarian response
- Steps to protect vulnerable groups including older people, women & girls, and people with disabilities
- Strengthened local response:
  - Deployments by surge mechanism
  - 30 Deployments from headquarters including 12 Core Team deployments
  - 41 United Nations Disaster Assessment and Coordination deployments
  - 5 Joint Environment Unit deployments*
  - 25 Deployments from country offices, including 14 from the Country Office Surge Pool

**Deployments by location**

- Europe, Central Asia and the Caucasus
- Asia and the Pacific
- Latin America and the Caribbean
- Middle East and North Africa
- Southern and Eastern Africa
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*Of these, one mission (Mauritius) was a JEU-only mission, two in conjunction with UNDAC.
Note: The above figures do not reflect all of the deployments that occurred across country and regional offices or remote support.

**WE ALERT AND INFORM**

- 1.3M monthly users in ReliefWeb
- 18k data sets in Humanitarian Data Exchange
- 56 country operations in Humanitarian Response.info
- 381 maps
- 1,643 infographics 140 MORE THAN IN 2019
- 23 countries and 3 regions used the online Situation Reports IN 7 DIFFERENT LANGUAGES

**WE ADVOCATE FOR SOLUTIONS**

**UN Economic and Social Council’s**
**Humanitarian Affairs Segment**

- Health challenges in humanitarian contexts
- Preventing sexual and gender-based violence
- Durable solutions for internally displaced persons
- Anticipatory approach to COVID-19 & other crises

**Under-Secretary-General advocacy**

- Supported pandemic relief & vaccines for the world’s poorest countries
- Highlighted the impact of climate, conflict & the pandemic on food security
- Sounded the alarm on the impact of locusts
- Underlined support for people in the Central Sahel
- Conducted virtual missions to meet affected communities & local NGOs in Burkina Faso & South Sudan
- Spotlighted gender-related issues/gender-based violence

**Assistant Secretary-General advocacy**

- Mission to Afghanistan to highlight pandemic & climate impact on people
- Data responsibility in humanitarian action
- Inclusive approach in humanitarian action

**WE FUND**

- CERF
- CBPFs

- 18 countries reached through pooled funds

**2018**

**2019**

**2020**