

Review of Fragility, Emergencies, Refugees Policy

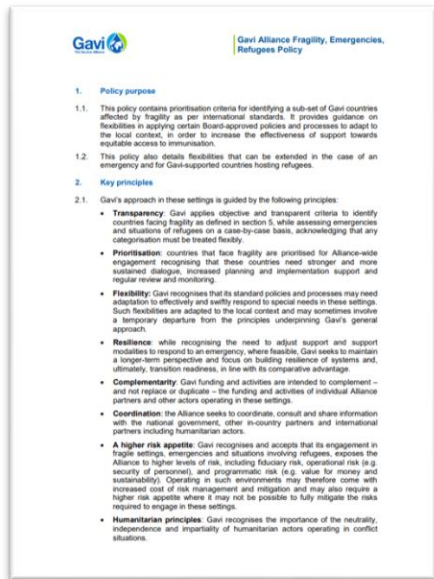
BOARD MEETING

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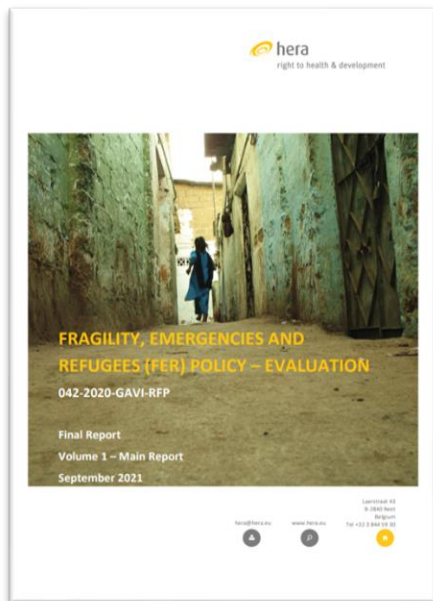
22-23 June 2022, Geneva, Switzerland



Fragility, Emergencies & Refugees policy under review



Current FER Policy from 2017



Evaluation in 2021

Fragile & Conflict Segment

Partnerships

Policies

Programmatic Focus

Policy part of broader organisational response

Chronic fragility: revised classification

Inclusion Criteria

Is the country globally recognised as experiencing fragility?

Quantitative

- **Fund for Peace** Fragile States Index
- **OECD** states of fragility
- **World Bank** list of fragile & conflict-affected situations
- Presence **Humanitarian Response Plan**

Is the country facing immunisation programme performance challenges

Quantitative

- **Immunisation reach:** DTP3 < average coverage across Gavi portfolio
- **Risk of outbreaks:** 3 year trend in large disruptive VPD outbreaks

Does the country face other contextual factors that limit progress:

- governance
- health system
- resilience to global challenges

Qualitative

- Analysis by alliance partners, country staff, SCMs
- Recent reports/publications
- Political situation

Status quo

Classification under revised policy

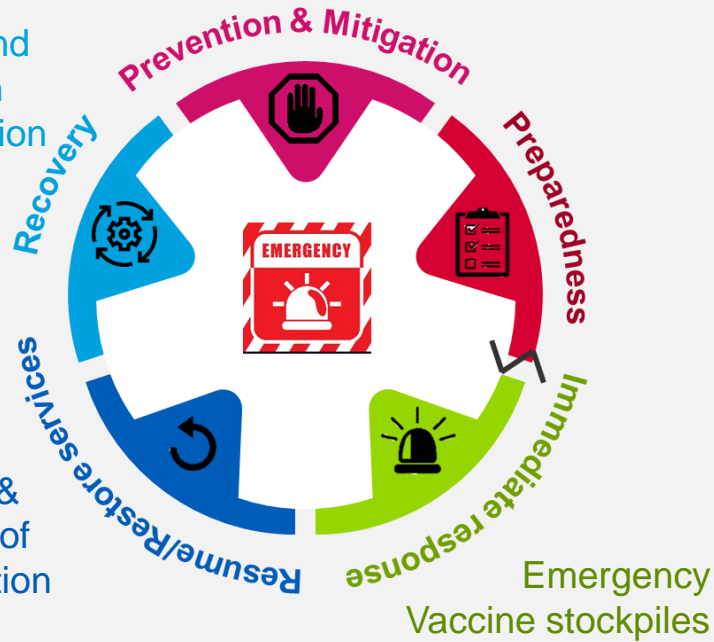
No annual updating of list

Clearer role in emergencies, broadened scope to displaced populations

EMERGENCIES

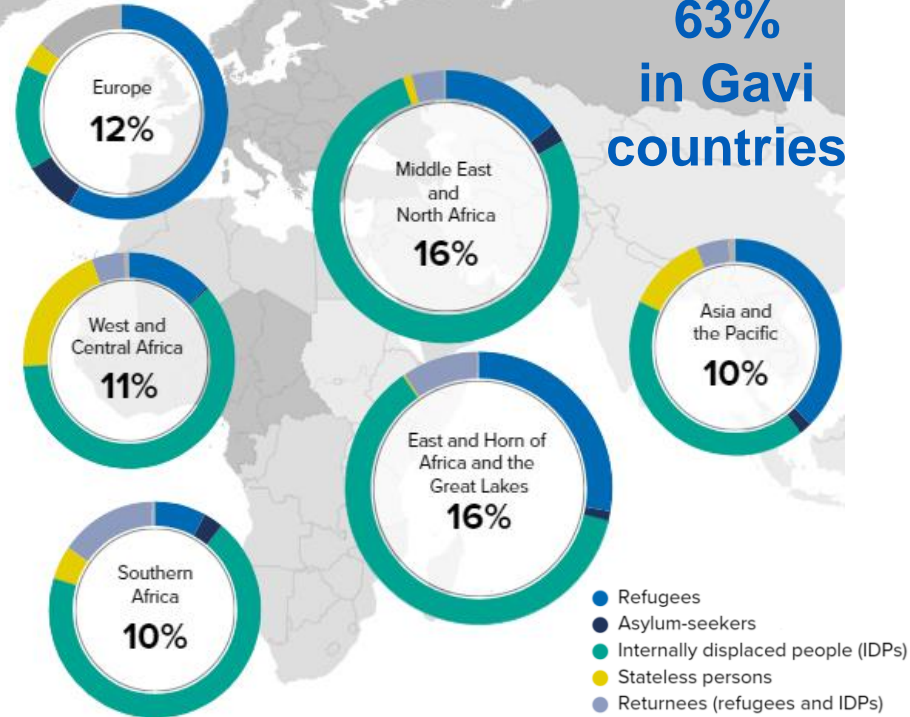
Restore and strengthen immunisation services

Provision & continuity of immunisation services



DISPLACED POPULATIONS

63%
in Gavi
countries



Removal of independent review for time-sensitive requests

Board meeting
22-23 June 2022

UNHCR global appeal 2022

Recommendation

The Gavi Alliance Programme and Policy Committee **recommends** to the Gavi Alliance Board that it:

- a) **Approve** the revised Fragility, Emergencies and Displaced Populations Policy attached as Annex A to Doc 07; and
- b) **Grant** the Gavi Secretariat Emergency Declaration Team¹ the authority to waive the requirement for independent review for new funding as per the Programme Funding Policy. This will be only in time-sensitive situations, with the objective to swiftly disburse funding in acute emergencies on a no regrets basis, noting that the framework including guardrails under which the Emergency Declaration Team can waive the requirements for independent review will be defined by the Secretariat in the operational guidelines, along with requirements for retrospective reporting to governance bodies including the Programme and Policy Committee and the Audit and Finance Committee.

¹The Emergency Declaration Team is composed of MD Finance and MD Country Programmes, however in decisions requiring waiving independent review, the Director of Strategy, Funding and Performance will also be part of the decision making, given their role as second line of defence for Gavi's review process.



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