Rights-based family planning programs have a greater ripple effect than almost any other development investment, from saving lives and improving health to strengthening economies, transforming societies, and lifting entire countries out of poverty.

Every woman and girl must be able to exercise her basic human right to control her own reproductive health. Access to safe, voluntary family planning is fundamental to women’s autonomy.

THE FP2020 PARTNERSHIP

The 69 FP2020 COUNTRIES set the agenda for progress with their commitments to develop, support, and strengthen their family planning programs.

DONOR GOVERNMENTS furnish essential resources through bilateral aid, thematic funds, and loan facilities.

FOUNDATIONS provide funding to launch new projects and sustain existing programs.

CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS include implementing partners, service providers, advocacy groups, and technical experts.


PRIVATE SECTOR partners include contraceptive manufacturers, media corporations, and companies that provide workplace health care.

The CORE CONVENERS of the FP2020 partnership are the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF), the UK Department for International Development (DFID), UNFPA, and the US Agency for International Development (USAID). FP2020 is hosted by the United Nations Foundation.

The FP2020 REFERENCE GROUP is responsible for overall strategic direction and coordination of the initiative. Its 25 members represent governments, multilateral institutions, youth, civil society, foundations, and the private sector. The current co-chairs are Dr. Natalia Kanem, executive director of the United Nations Population Fund, and Dr. Chris Elias, president of global development at the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation.

WHAT IS FP2020?

Family Planning 2020 is a global community of partners working together to advance rights-based family planning. The FP2020 partnership was launched at the 2012 London Summit on Family Planning, with the goal of enabling 120 million additional women and girls in 69 of the world’s poorest countries to use voluntary modern contraception by 2020.

In the FP2020 approach, countries lead the way. They set the agenda for progress with formal commitments to develop, support, and strengthen their family planning programs. Each country’s commitment functions as a blueprint for collaboration, providing partners with a shared agenda and measurable goals.
**FP2020 STRUCTURE**

The **SECRETARIAT** works with partners to support progress on commitments, collaborate on data and performance management, advocate for the rights of women and girls, share and expand best practices, promote accountability, align messaging and communications strategies, and build and maintain momentum within the global family planning movement. The Secretariat staff work closely with partners to address rights-based family planning, advocacy, humanitarian care, youth and adolescence, movement-building, and other critical issues that affect access to contraceptives. The Secretariat works in close coordination with the Reference Group and Core Conveners.

**MEASUREMENT PARTNERS** include the Performance Monitoring & Evidence Working Group, Track20, PMA2020, the Demographic Health Survey, and others who work to align and improve family planning measurement.

**FP2020 FOCAL POINTS** in each commitment-making country are individuals representing the government, donor agencies, and civil society organizations. The focal points serve as the key representatives of the FP2020 movement in-country. They coordinate with each other, the government, other partners and stakeholders, and the FP2020 Secretariat to drive progress on the country’s family planning goals.

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**HOW DOES FP2020 WORK WITH COMMITMENT COUNTRIES?**

**FP2020** is designed to foster transparency and accountability at every step.

1. The FP2020 process begins when a country makes a commitment. The FP2020 partnership connects countries with the FP2020 Secretariat and a global network of partners, donors, and experts.

2. A team of focal points representing the government, civil society, and core partners work with the FP2020 Secretariat and stakeholders to drive progress on the country’s FP2020 goals.

3. FP2020 and Track20 work with the government to translate data into information for decision-making. Annual data workshops provide a platform to review data and assess progress toward the country’s FP2020 goals.

4. FP2020 support is aligned with the country’s costed implementation plan for its family planning program. The government collaborates with stakeholders and FP2020 partners to develop and implement the plan.

5. Every 18 months the focal points attend FP2020 regional focal point workshops with experts, partners, the FP2020 Secretariat, and other country teams. Each team develops an Actions for Acceleration plan.

6. The Actions for Acceleration plan is a short-term agenda of immediate next steps in alignment with the costed implementation plan. The focal points develop a new action plan at each workshop.