

European Donor Support to Sexual & Reproductive Health & Family Planning

Snapshot view of European trends in SRH/FP financing

FUNDING TO UNFPA

(core funding + UNFPA projects + funding to UNFPA Supplies):
495 537 492 Euros (4% increase compared to 2017)



5 COUNTRIES
REPORTING AN
INCREASE



4 COUNTRIES
WITH FUNDING
SUSTAINED AT 2017
LEVELS



3 COUNTRIES
REPORTING A
DECREASE

FUNDING TO SRH/FP

(reporting through all streams excl. bilateral):
845 222 372 Euros (4% increase compared to 2017)



5 COUNTRIES
REPORTING AN
INCREASE



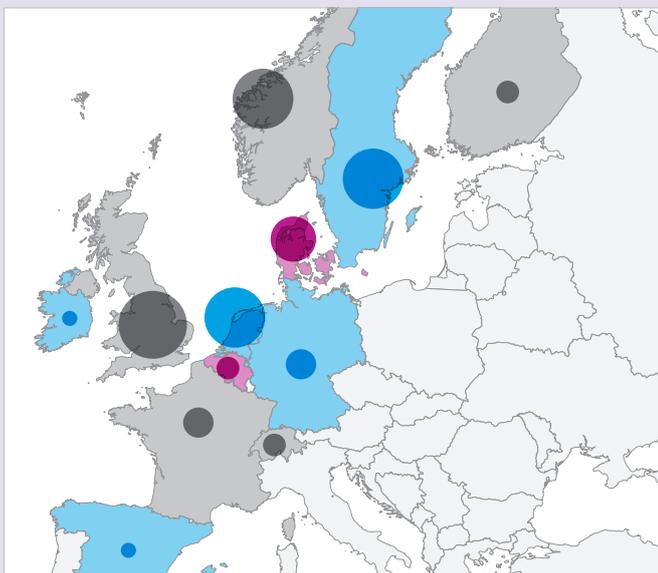
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2 COUNTRIES
REPORTING A
DECREASE

FUNDING THROUGH ALL STREAMS BY EUROPEAN PARTNERS

DECREASE - STABLE - INCREASE



Size of bubble: total of the country's funding in 2018

Countdown 2030 Europe (C2030E) is a consortium of European NGOs who advocate for universal access to sexual and reproductive health (SRH) and family planning (FP) worldwide. We make sure SRH and FP are a funding priority for European donors and a policy priority in Europe and globally. To achieve this mission, the consortium partners track policy and financial trends in their respective countries. This report presents the outcomes of the policy and financial tracking for the year (financial data for 2018, policy updates for 2019).

In 2018, the majority of European countries under review (10 out of 12) either increased or maintained funding to SRH/FP, even where cuts to Official Development Assistance (ODA) were made. The combined figure for all 12 European donor countries gives an estimated support of 845 million Euros to SRH/FP for 2018, an overall increase of 4% when compared to 2017 and 42% compared to 2012. This is complemented by renewed commitment and political focus from key European governments.

The slight increase in overall SRH/FP funding was mainly due to core funding for multilaterals (12%) and international organisations (7%), excluding research. Overall funding to UNFPA was sustained, also bringing in a small increase of 4% when compared to 2017.

Policy trends

Opposition to SRHR in Europe has significantly increased in recent years, and we stand at a critical moment in European history with a new populist rhetoric of fear, national self-interest and conservatism. At the same time, we recently celebrated the 25th anniversary of the ground-breaking International Conference on Population and Development (ICPD) in Nairobi, where our European Donor Governments and the EU reaffirmed strong support to achieving SRHR through development cooperation. Five new SRHR related policy documents were endorsed by these European countries in 2019, and an increased focus on SRHR in humanitarian settings.



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