



# Medical care in Ukraine

Germany's support for a stronger healthcare system in mental health and psychosocial support, rehabilitation and eHealth.



Doctors remove a dangerous abscess from the ear of a three-year-old child at a Children's Hospital in Kyiv. @ KfW

In some parts of Ukraine, less than 50% of medical infrastructure is still operational. And many hospitals are close to breaking point as they tend to traumatised and injured soldiers, veterans and internally displaced persons (IDPs) alongside regular patients. There is also an acute need for mental health and psychosocial support to help the armed forces and civilian population process the daily trauma of war. The German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) is helping Ukraine safeguard the provision of medical care to the general public by strengthening the country's health and social infrastructure.

### **Results in figures**



people have benefited to date from reconstructed and refurbished medical facilities.

Close to

children have

psychosocial

received

support.

Some **1,700,000** people received healthcare services in 2023.



**6,600** medical professionals have attended training courses.

Almost **304,000** individuals have taken advantage of the

advantage of the psychosocial support services on offer.

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The Ukrainian-German hospital partnerships have made a positive difference to



3,430

patients have received psychosocial treatment to help them deal with injuries or trauma resulting from the war.



professionals have completed training to become prosthetists/orthotists, and prosthetic/orthotic technicians.

Close to **1,300** health sector staff have received psychosocial support since the begin-

ning of the Russian war of aggression.



The Programme Hospital Partnerships trains employees from the fire brigade, police, civil defence, mine action and communities in emergency aid. © GIZ



- Fitting out operating theatres at 40 hospitals
- Supporting hospital partnerships involving a total of 18 German partners and 75 Ukrainian healthcare facilities, some of them working with non-governmental organisations
- Expanding and equipping the UNBROKEN Rehabilitation Centre, including building and fitting out Ukraine's largest centre for orthopaedic technology and prosthetic and orthotic technician training



The new UNBROKEN Prosthetic and Orthotic Center in Lviv trains specialists in the field of prosthetics to respond to the urgent need for prostheses. © GIZ

- Devising, certifying and running an advanced training course on approaches to advising and treating survivors of sexual and gender-specific violence
- Training members of the public as first-aiders

# Mental health and psychosocial support

Delivering gender-responsive psychosocial support services to boost mental well-being and promote (re-)integration for women and children in particular

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Improving access for veterans to high-quality mental health and psychosocial support (MHPSS) services, with a particular focus on aspects of gender

#### Lead executing agencies in Ukraine





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