



### United Nations Volunteers (UNV) programme - Asia and the Pacific Partnership with UNV to advance the COVID-19 Vaccination Campaign

#### How can UN Volunteers support COVID vaccination operations?

UN Volunteers are a unique resource for UN partners to support a holistic COVID-19 vaccination campaign. They can help with tasks such as procuring the vaccines, communicating vaccine safety, identifying target groups, managing medical supply and cold chain, administering vaccinations, and monitoring the vaccine's impact. They can also support delivery, digital solutions and the inclusion of vulnerable groups.

#### Why should UN entities partner with UNV Asia Pacific?

UNV has a range of comparative advantages as a provider of talent solutions to the UN system. We have proven an ability to significantly advance the impact of UN entities throughout the pandemic with mobilization of UN Volunteers, from international experts to local community staff, that is:



**Quick** : Average recruitment speed of 14 – 28 days for nationals, with a possibility to fast-track.



**Local** : In 2020, 67% of UN Volunteers mobilized were nationals.



**Highly-qualified** : UNV's Regional Talent Pool has candidates from 134 professional profiles, 50% of whom have over 5 years' experience.



**Inclusive** : 57% of the UN Volunteers mobilized in Asia Pacific in 2020 were women. UNV's Talent Pool includes people with disabilities, youth, community members, and regional candidates represent 206 different languages.



**Duty of care** : UNV ensure that all volunteers are covered with health insurance and will facilitate a smooth deployment.

UNV has a diverse, highly skilled Talent Pool in Asia Pacific. With over **52 thousand candidates** ready for deployment in a range of volunteer modalities, UNV can cater directly to partner needs. Half of UNV's candidates in the region have **over 5 years' experience** and **40% are women**.

*“ No country will be safe from COVID-19 until all countries are safe. ”*  
UN Secretary General

For more information on recruiting volunteers, and to see standard Description of Assignments for UN Volunteers in the COVID-19 Response, please visit the link here: <https://www.unv.org/Basic-Page/Novel-Coronavirus-COVID-19>

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### UN Volunteers' Areas of Expertise for COVID vaccination operations

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<b>Public Information &amp; Community Engagement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>» Mapping target groups and communicating vaccine safety</li> <li>» Outreach, advocacy and information exchange, incl. through digital platforms</li> <li>» Community engagement, training, and advocacy in Asia Pacific</li> </ul>	<b>3,741</b> Public Information <b>3,038</b> Partner Coordination <b>6,071</b> Community Outreach <b>2,645</b> Knowledge Management
<b>Supply &amp; Logistics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>» Cold chain management, esp. for remote Asia Pacific settings</li> <li>» Medical equipment procurement, incl. syringes and PPE</li> <li>» Immunization supply and warehouse storage coordination</li> </ul>	<b>3,431</b> Logistics Management <b>3,197</b> HR Management <b>1,926</b> Procurement <b>850</b> Medical Supply <b>1,940</b> Inventory Management
<b>Vaccination Delivery &amp; Strengthening Health Capacity</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>» Vaccine handling and patient coordination,</li> <li>» Vaccination administration by qualified professionals</li> <li>» Strengthening national healthcare infrastructure &amp; capacity</li> </ul>	<b>4,066</b> Public Health Specialists <b>1,426</b> Human Medicine <b>668</b> Medical Testing <b>1,671</b> Healthcare Admin <b>1,117</b> Nursing
<b>Monitoring &amp; Evaluation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>» A monitoring report compiling results and learning</li> <li>» A set of KPIs to monitor results across the chain</li> </ul>	<b>6,872</b> Monitoring/Evaluation <b>1,729</b> Database Design <b>5,807</b> Administration <b>568</b> Statistics
<b>Digital Solutions for Vaccine Distribution</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>» Digital storage, stock monitoring, and distribution solutions</li> <li>» Digital vaccine admin, logistics, &amp; beneficiary database</li> <li>» Geographical delineation of supply and digital track-and-trace</li> </ul>	<b>2,022</b> IT Management <b>1,739</b> Software Analysis <b>626</b> Geographic IT systems

**UN Expert Volunteers**

**15+ years of expertise**

**UN Specialist Volunteers**

**Skills & experience**

**UN Youth Volunteers**

**Young innovators**

**UN Community Volunteers**

**Local Knowledge**

**Online Volunteers**

**Volunteers serving remotely**

For more information refer to the UN Partner Toolkit, please visit the link here: <https://toolkit.unv.org/home>

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