

# DG ECHO

# Programmatic Partnerships Roll out phase

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# Key drivers of the Programmatic Partnership

## 1. Grand Bargain quid pro quo:

### More flexibility

- Between activities and years



### More predictability

- Longer term planning



### Efficiency and effectiveness gains

- Reaching more beneficiaries, achieving greater outcomes



### EU Visibility

- Accountability



# Key drivers of the Programmatic Partnership

2. Support **longer-term geographic and sectoral strategies** of common interest and pilot and/or scale up **innovative approaches**

Enhanced **dialogue** at field and HQ level



## Geographic and sectoral strategies

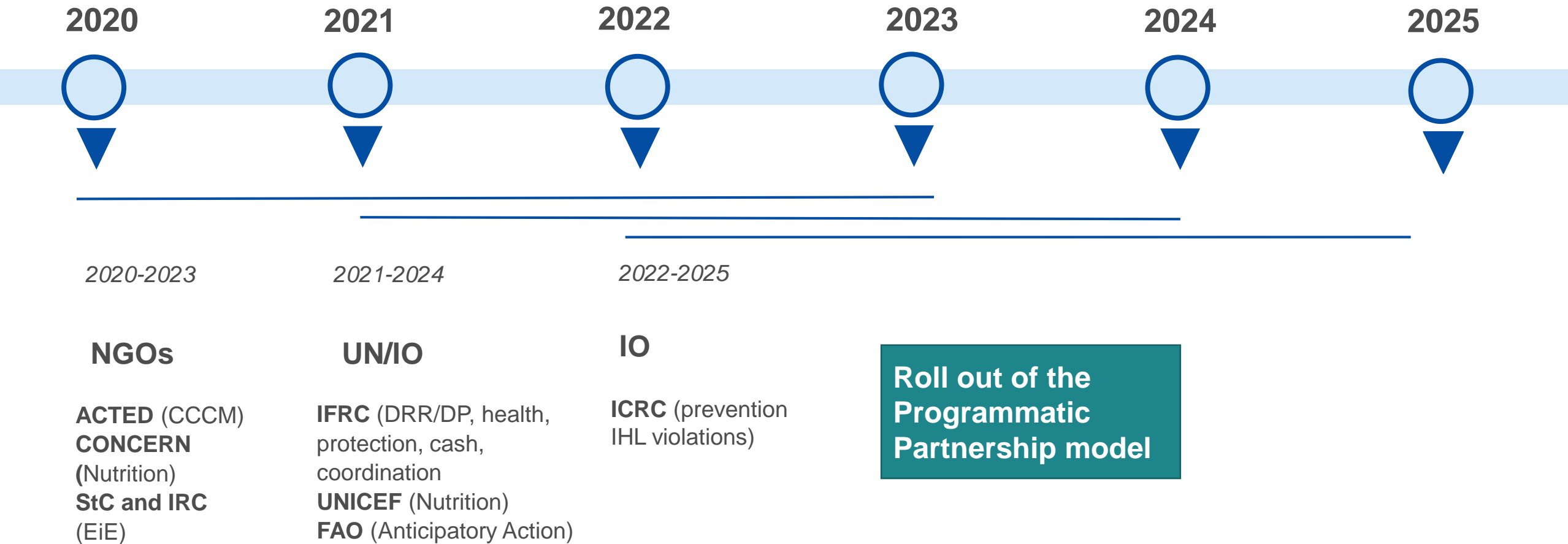
- Localisation agenda
- Greening of humanitarian action
- Nexus approach
- Cash
- ...



## Innovative approaches e.g.

- Nutrition
- Education in Emergencies
- Anticipatory Action
- ...

# Pilot Programmatic Partnerships to date



# ROLL OUT PHASE in 2023 – HIP/HIPTA

**PP mainstreamed within each geographic HIP 2023:**

Section 5 of HIP – Envisaged DG ECHO Response

Section 3.e) of HIPTA: *Actions embedded in multiannual strategies:*

*Funding under this HIP may be used to finance actions implemented in the framework of multiannual strategies, as and when provided for in the HIP.*

## ROLL OUT PHASE in 2023 – Scope and duration

PP can be:

- country-based
- multi-country/regional under the same geographic HIP (unless specified other wise/in agreement with geo unit)

PP must:

- be **in line with the HIP strategy**, including its technical and policy annexes
- offer a multi-annual perspective of **minimum 24 months** and maximum 48 months

## ROLL OUT PHASE in 2023 - Funding

**Multi-year** = funds committed in year 1 for the total duration of the action and for a minimum of 24 months.

**Staged approach** = funds committed in stages (initial commitment of 12 to 24 months with subsequent cost extensions)  
+ Letter of intent

Multi-year if requested by the partner will be prioritised **whenever possible** and upon provision by the partner of the **added value in terms of humanitarian outcomes**.

## **ROLL OUT PHASE in 2023 – Application process**

Submission of a Single Form (SF) by the date specified in the relevant HIPTA.

If multi-year funding: SF covering the whole duration of the programme + Annex with yearly workplan/milestones/outcomes in annex

If staged approach: SF covering the initial stage only + Annex on the multi-annual strategy with yearly milestones/outcomes



## ROLL OUT PHASE in 2023 – Selection

By geographic units in the context of the normal selection procedure

**Criteria:** same as for any project + demonstrated added value of the multi-annual programme in terms of greater outcomes (e.g. increase number of direct beneficiaries) and efficiency gains (in particular when requesting multi-year funding)

## ROLL OUT PHASE in 2023 - Localisation

It is important that the advantages granted to a humanitarian organisation through a Programmatic Partnership, such as flexibility or predictability, trickle down to this organisation's implementing partners, inter alia in the context of the localisation agenda.

**In case of multi-year funding**, this advantage should also be granted to local implementing NGOs, including the transfer of a share of the indirect support costs where feasible.

# ROLL OUT PHASE in 2023 - Flexibility

- Outcome driven
- Shift of funding between countries
- "Crisis modifiers"
- Timeframe

## **ROLL OUT PHASE in 2023 - Visibility**

Detailed plan with an overview of the mandatory standard visibility and communication actions, including on-site branding, media and social media outreach, etc.

Above-standard visibility (ASV) plan strongly encouraged, with campaigning initiatives targeting EU audiences.

## **ROLL OUT PHASE in 2023 - Eligible partners**

- UN agencies and bodies, ICRC and IFRC
- EUMS Specialised Agencies
- INGO partners holding a "Programmatic Partnership Certificate"

**Consortia of eligible partners welcome**

## ROLL OUT PHASE 2023 – TIMELINE

- Publication of Presentation and Q&A on Partners' website
- Publication of HIP/HIPTA (November 2022)
- Presentation of HIP to partners in the field (November/December)
- Submission of proposals, including PP (from January to March 2023)
- Selection of proposals and feedback to partners: first quarter of 2023
- Revised versions if needed and signature of agreements: second quarter of 2023

## ROLL OUT PHASE 2023 – Q&A

*Any additional question of a general nature can be sent before 28 October 2022 to [Marlou.Tolk@ext.ec.europa.eu](mailto:Marlou.Tolk@ext.ec.europa.eu)*

*An updated Q&A will be posted on the partners' website early November which will include answers to these additional questions.*



**THANK YOU**