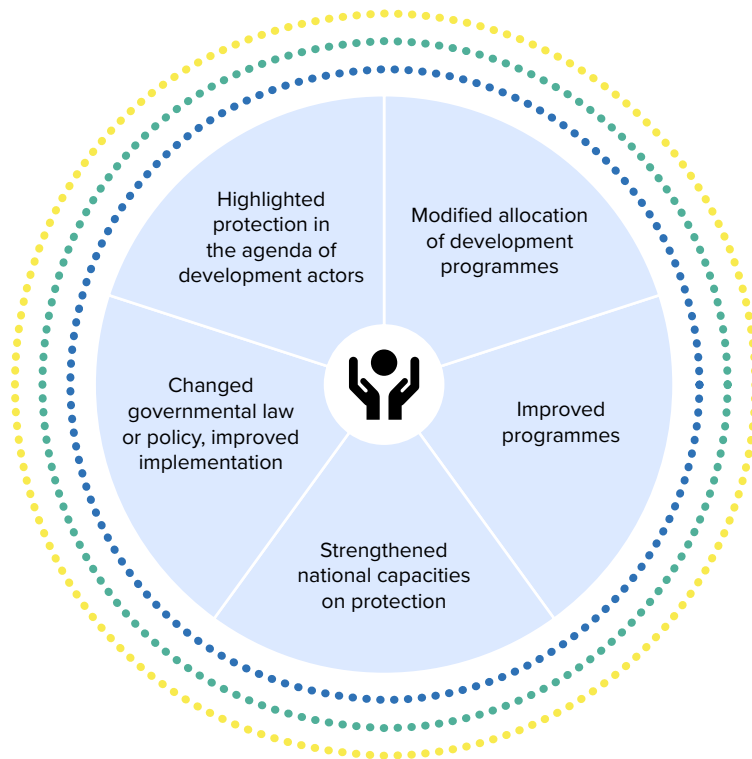


UNHCR can leverage protection through humanitarian-development cooperation by...

...partnering with development actors on advocacy and support policy implementation.

...supporting development actor planning.

...collaborating on programmes.



Humanitarian-development cooperation can strengthen the protection of displaced people

- Provide an analysis of the protection situation of displaced people.
- Analyze how legal, regulatory and policy aspects affect the socio-economic situation of persons of concern.
- Advise development actors on what interventions to prioritize.
- Comment on the design of development interventions (to ensure protection concerns are taken into account).
- Include protection in common analysis papers, such as the UN's Common Country Analysis.

For example:

UNHCR regularly advises the World Bank on the adequacy of a country's protection framework for the purpose of allocations under the International Development Association's (IDA) host community and refugee window. The assessments have informed the World Bank's advocacy on protection concerns with governments of IDA recipient countries.

- Support advocacy efforts through coordination mechanisms.
- Provide the data that is instrumental to advocacy.
- Assess policy proposals on their implications for persons of concern.
- Advise on legal reform.

For example:

In Jordan, diplomatic activities supported the government's agreement to issue **work permits** to Syrian refugees for certain economic sectors. The number of work permits issued is one of the indicators required to implement the large, multi-donor Jordan Compact. Work permits have had a positive effect on refugees' protection situations. Households with work permits were significantly less likely to have specific legal or physical protection needs.

In Ethiopia, UNHCR cooperated with development actors to support the implementation of the new **Refugee Proclamation**, among others, on vital events registration.

- Collaborate with development actors on (integrated) programmes.
- Create program to leverage protection through responses in other sectors, such as housing, livelihoods or energy.
- Identify opportunities in relation to rule of law, access to justice and safety.

For example:

Energy provision in refugee camps in Jordan was achieved jointly through investments from development actors. Increased access to electricity has positive effects on protection through increased community engagement and better connectivity with the outside world.