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The Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen

Monthly updates

FROM JANUARY TO JUNE 2024



The Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen (SDRPY)

The Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen (SDRPY) was established in May 2018 through a royal decree from the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques, King Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud. Given the earlier international experiences in the development of Yemen, SDRPY's development strategy was created with the aim of meeting the needs of the people of Yemen, providing institutional, technical, and logistical support to Yemen. The Program is operated under a comprehensive development agreement between the governments of Saudi Arabia and Yemen, and is an extension of the Kingdom's efforts to move the support from humanitarian relief to that of efficient, effective, and sustainable development. Accordingly, SDRPY focuses on providing sustainable economic and development support for Yemen across various sectors, implementing development projects and programs aimed at strengthening and developing essential services, developing the infrastructure, creating job opportunities, capacity-building of Yemeni government institutions , enhancing the Yemeni government's capacity to absorb loans and development grants and enriching the Yemeni government's capacity to adhere to the highest standards of governance The Program collaborates with several partners at the local, regional, and international levels. SDRPY partners include the Yemeni government and non-government agencies, ministries, development funds, local authorities in Yemeni governorates, and various regional and international development organizations and agencies. On the ground, the Program serves a variety of Yemeni governorates across eight vital sectors, including, health, education, transportation, energy, water, agriculture, fisheries, enhancing and strengthening government capabilities. Through SDRPY offices in Yemen, the program implements comprehensive and effective development projects and programs to meet the needs of the people of Yemen. Additionally, the presence of local offices enables SDRPY to follow up and supervise it s work directly, study the needs on the ground, and report on project progress. Also, SDRPY's local team assists in addressing development challenges and identifying appropriate and sustainable development solutions based on the impact and implications of projects, programs, activities, and initiatives on the people of Yemen.



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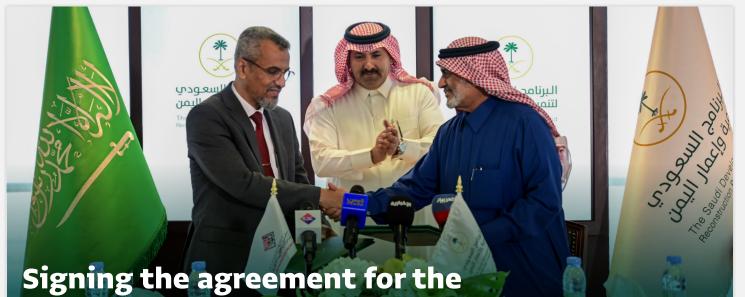
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"Access to Education in Rural Areas" project

The project will empower 150 women to become teachers in rural areas across Yemen, boost girls' education, benefit rural areas in Hadramout, Shabwa, Lahij, and AlMahrah and generate more jobs for Yemenis. The project is a joint effort of of the Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen and Alawn Foundation for Development.



For the first time in Marib, the 1st women's economic conference was held, showcasing the talent and potential of Yemeni women

The conference marks the commencement of the "Sabaa Program for the Economic Empowerment of Women." In partnership with the Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen and Marib Girls Foundation, the program aims to facilitate and accelerate women's start-ups' activities, supports female entrepreneurs to launch their own projects, and connect them with potential partners, government agencies, private businesses, banks, and microfinance institutions. Through our partnership with Marib Girls Foundation, we launched 60 projects for businesswomen.





The Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen and United Nations Development Program team up for Yemen's sustainable future

SDRPY, represented by Eng. Al-Attas and UNDP represented by Ms. Zena Ahmed, UNDP Resident Representative for Yemen, sing MOU: joint development projects & expertise exchange to fuel sustainable development goals progress in Yemen.



The construction of King Salman Medical & Educational City in Al Mahrah Governorate is proceeding. The City will include all medical specialties, as well as modern medical devices. The city comprises an area of 1 milion m², is equipped with hospital with a capacity of 110 beds



A historic moment for Aden; the "Enhancing Water Security with Renewable Energy in Aden" project was signed to provide clean water and green energy to 800K people in the governorate

The agreement was signed at SDRPY's headquarter. The project is a joint effort of the Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen and Selah Foundation for Development to provide clean water and green energy to 800K people in the governorate.

With a view to provide hundreds of educational opportunities, SDRPY handed over the Abyan Martyr Alawi Model School in the Khanfir District

SDRPY has handed over the Abyan Martyr Alawi Model School in the Khanfir District. This project, which has been implemented and supervised by the Social Fund for Development (SFD), is part of #SDRPY projects, in collaboration with SFD, to establish model schools in Shabwa, Lahij, AdDali and Abyan. The school is one of 52 educational projects implemented by SDRPY in Yemen







With the supervision of several physicians from across the Middle East, Prince Mohammed bin salman Hospital held the Arab Board of Health Specializations exam during January 19-20 for 35 doctors, including 19 Yemeni doctors and 16 foreign doctors. Following SDRPY's rehabilitation of the hospital, Prince Mohammed bin salman Hospital was selected for its readiness and capabilities.

In Aden, a new model school has been established

Quality education is an essential building block for the growth and development of societies and communities. It enriches lives & is an essential tool for a bright future for all. With a view to providing new educational opportunities in a stimulating and secure environment for students, SDRPY launched the Campus Model School in Aden.





SDRPY delivers one of its first development projects in the Governorate of Shabwa, which is a new model school in Nisab

SDRPY is a shining example of how to contribute to providing access to quality education in Yemen. It delivers today one of its first development projects in the Governorate of Shabwa, which is a new model school in Nisab, the project of which has been implemented & supervised by The Social Fund for Development (SFD).





Al-Jabir delivered a lecture on Saudi Arabia's development and reconstruction efforts in Yemen

SDRPY's General Supervisor, His Excellency Moahmmed Al-Jabir delivered a lecture on SaudiArabia's development and reconstruction efforts in Yemen. The lecture was part of the "YoungLeaders Program" — one of Salam for Cultural Communication's programs that aims to buildbridges and spread multicultural communication among young and upcoming leaders.



Hayjat Al-Abed road is essential to Taiz and Aden as it's the only road that connects the 2 governorates. The SDRPY team resumed rehabilitating Hayjat Al-Abed Road, and will serve +5 million direct and indirect beneficiaries.

The project aims to improve the 9 km road with over 55 turns, raising the road's efficiency, mobility, & safety for all.



Assistant General Supervisor, Eng. Hassan Al-Attas met with the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) delegation at the SDRPY's headquarters in Riyadh. During the meeting, ways and areas of cooperation between the two sides were discussed. The meeting also emphasized the importance of coordinating efforts and development work in Yemen, in order to positively impact the living conditions of the Yemeni people and achieve a decent standard of living for them, as well as sustainable development in the Republic of Yemen under the leadership of the Yemeni government.



With the aim of supporting renewable water sources in Yemen's countryside, SDRPY has installed integrated water systems in nine rural areas in AlMahrah, including Man'ar, Huswain, Sayhut, and Shahan districts.

SDRPY rehabilitated 23km of internal roads in AlGhaydah, boosting safety, elevating peopless daily lives, connecting families, and Streamlining mobility. The project is part of SDRPY's commitment to sustainable transportation development in Yemen.





THE SECOND BATCH OF THE GRANT TO SUPPORT THE BUDGET DEFICIT FOR THE YEMENI GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED TO THE CENTRAL BANK OF YEMEN IN ADEN, AMOUNTING TO 250 MILLION US DOLLARS



Launching the Quality System Management qualification program for 12 consultants to meet the requirements of the ISO market. As part of the Local Market Support Project in collaboration with the Islamic Development Bank, this program aims to ensure compliance with standards by beneficiaries.



Prince Mohammed bin Salman Hospital, previously named (Aden General Hospital & Cardiac Center) is set to become a training & qualification hub for healthcare professionals, thanks to a new agreement signed with the Yemeni Council for Medical Specialties. With SDRPY's support, an agreement was signed With the Yemeni Council for Medical Specialties to accredit Prince Mohammed bin Salman Hospital as a distinguished facility for training and qualifying healthcare professionals in their respective fields, for the Cardiology and Vascular Diseases Board Program, Respiratory Care Diploma, and Intensive Care Diploma.

This collaboration aims to enhance the efficiency of Yemen's healthcare personnel, ultimately improving the quality of care for patients.









A series of SDRPY's impactful educational projects at Aden University's Pharmacy and Law Faculties has been inaugurated. The projects implemented at the Pharmacy Faculty for Pharmaceutical Industries at Aden University involved enhancing and equipping 28 laboratories, a specialized research laboratory, administrative offices, classrooms, graduate classrooms and the college's central library, featuring reading rooms and collections of scientific literature.

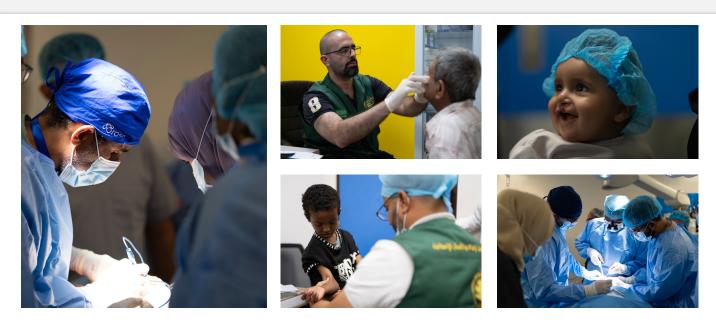
The projects implemented at the Law Faculty at Aden University also include the equipping and furnishing of the Criminal Research Laboratory, a pioneering initiative in Yemen. This laboratory supports capacity-building programs and the training of security personnel to develop their skills in criminal investigation, criminology, and forensic medicine and their practical use of the latest technologies in their specialization. These unique features of the project highlight its significance and SDRPY's support for innovation and excellence.



In support of the sports sector in Yemen, SDRPY is sponsoring the Ramadan basketball and volleyball tournament in Hadhramout Governorate, which kicks off today, with 289 young men playing basketball within 17 clubs and 140 young men playing volleyball within 10 clubs. The event will take place in collaboration with the offices of the Yemeni Basketball and Volleyball Federation. SDRPY sponsors this event with the intention of motivating and encouraging the development of sport in Hadhramout Governorate, as well as empowering the youth.



SDRPY launched several key development projects in Yemen, including healthcare infrastructure upgrades and educational advancements, the Radiology and MRI Department Rehabilitation Project, the University of Saba Region Expansion Project and the Emergency and Critical Medical Services Support Project



To contribute to reducing the humanitarian need in #Yemen, the Medical Volunteer Program was launched in #Aden today at the Prince Mohammed bin Salman Hospital. The program, supported and implemented through the collaboration of KSRelief and SDRPY, consists of several medical volunteer projects and is led by highly skilled healthcare professionals from the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, covering a range of medical specialties. The included projects encompass specialized clinics and a range of volunteer medical initiatives across various fields, including open heart surgery and catheterization, neurosurgery, orthopedic surgery, and reconstructive and corrective surgeries.



His Excellency Ambassador Mohammed Aljabir, SDRPY's General Supervisor, held a meeting with a delegation of members of the United States Congress at SDRPY's headquarters in Riyadh. In the meeting, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's development efforts in Yemen through SDRPY were discussed, which have contributed to the strengthening of the economy of Yemen, improving Yemen's living conditions, and providing jobs for Yemenis.



His Excellency Ambassador Mohammed Aljabir, SDRPY's General Supervisor, met with United Nations Resident and Humanitarian Coordinator in Yemen Mr. julien, during the meeting development efforts in Yemen were presented & avenues of joint cooperation between SDRPY and OCHA were explored.



Educational and Training Programs were launched at Prince Mohammed bin Salman Hospital

Training health professionals is essential for enhancing health services and promoting their quality. With the aim of training academically distinguished professionals and researchers in their respective fields, educational and training programs were launched today for the Cardiology and Vascular Diseases Board Program, Respiratory Care Diploma, and Intensive Care Diploma.

Over 1,145,578 medical consultations were conducted at the hospital between January 2023 and April 2024 because of its advanced infrastructure and ability to host such advanced programs.

Access to high-quality medical services is crucial for well-being and development. Prince Mohammed bin Salman Hospital in #Aden is considered one of the medical establishments that have gained credibility in Yemen; it has been rehabilitated and operated by SDRPY.

The "Enhancing Water Security with Renewable Energy in Hadhramout" Project Agreement was Signed at SDRPY's HQ

Water security is crucial for ensuring sustainable access to quality water, protecting ecosystems, enhancing agricultural productivity, promoting food security, and achieving sustainable and inclusive growth. A landmark moment for the Governorate of Hadhramout; the "Enhancing Water Security with Renewable Energy in Hadhramout" project agreement was signed at SDRPY'S HQ in Riyadh

1,700,00 indirect beneficiaries

445,000



direct beneficiaries







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As part of the Future Projects Forum, SDRPY is participating in a dedicated pavilion

Forums are essential for fostering interaction and engagement, offering increased visibility, showcasing projects and services, increasing collaboration, exploring new opportunities, and sharing expertise.

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Marib Celebrated the Inauguration of the Official Football Championship

With 14 participating teams, Marib celebrated the inauguration of the Official Football Championship Supported by SDRPY, the local Football Association organized the championship in collaboration with the Youth and Sports Office.





SDRPY is participating in panel discussions organized by the UNDP

With the aim of launching a strategy to engage the private sector in Yemen and a plan to invest in renewable and diversified energy, UNDP is holding panel discussions in which a delegation of SDRPY is participating, along with representatives from the Yemeni private sector and the renewable energy sector.







The Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen participated in the International Exhibition for Nonprofit Sector (IENA 2024), held under the theme «Effective Partnerships for Sustainable Development"

The SDRPY showcased its sustainable development projects and initiatives in the Republic of Yemen, highlighting its developmental experience which contributed to improving infrastructure efficiency across various critical sectors. It also emphasized enhancing rural resilience, empowering women economically, building productive social assets, as well as capacity building and development of human resources, and promoting sustainable development in Yemen





Progress Continues Swiftly on the Rehabilitation of Hayjat Al-Abed Road

Progress continues swiftly on the rehabilitation of Hayjat Al-Abed Road, a vital artery connecting the governorate of Taiz to other governorates and will serve +5 million direct and indirect beneficiaries.

The project aims to improve the 9 km road with over 50 turns, enhance traffic safety, streamline movement, and reduce road accidents. This essential project will positively impact numerous critical sectors.



Saudi Arabia's SDRPY Lays Foundation Stone for Hospital Project in Yemen's Abyan Governorate

The Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen (SDRPY) laid the foundation stone on Tuesday for the Sabah Hospital project in the Sabah District of Yemen's Abyan Governorate. The project is part of the SDRPY's initiatives to support the health sector and aims to boost healthcare services across Yemeni governorates. The hospital will include several facilities, such as departments for women and childbirth, maternity and childcare, inpatient rooms, operating rooms, and emergency services. It will also feature various clinics, including internal medicine, dental, and ENT (ear, nose, and throat) clinics, as well as radiology and laboratory rooms. The hospital will be equipped with laboratory, radiology, and sterilization equipment, and devices for surgical operations. The SDRPY has worked to improve and bolster the efficiency of healthcare facilities by constructing and equipping hospitals and health centers, as well as operating them.



Building a Road for Everyone: Completion of the 1st Phase of Alaber Road Expansion and Rehabilitation Project

The Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen (SDRPY) has completed the 1st Phase of the Alaber Road Expansion and Rehabilitation Project. The 50.3 km road, linking the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia with Yemen, is undergoing further development. The project aims to enhance safe mobility for millions of Yemenis.

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University of Aden's Faculty of Law Gets a Boost in Forensics!

A new forensic technology training course was launched, exploring both theory & practice and aiming to strengthen local forensic capabilities. This initiative is part of SDRPY's ongoing support for the education sector, including establishing 28 laboratories.









As part of its efforts to enhance the transportation sector's infrastructure in Yemen, SDRPY has laid the foundation for the development & rehabilitation project of Al-Wadiah Port. The project seeks to streamline services at the KSA-Yemen land border crossing, and aims to increase the port's capacity to accommodate travelers, improve efficiency and promote trade and economic opportunities.

Empowering Future Physicians: The Establishment and Equipping of the College of Medicine Project

SDRPY has laid the foundation stone for establishing and equipping the College of Medicine at Taiz University. The project – an extension of the Program's efforts to support higher and technical education as well as vocational training—aims to enhance human capital in Yemen. Specifically, the project aims to enhance Yemen's healthcare landscape by establishing and equipping three new faculties at Taiz University: Medicine, Pharmacy, and Nursing. This project is expected to contribute towards cultivating a new generation of medical professionals with specialized scientific capabilities, bolstering Yemen's healthcare sector.







Launch of the "Access to Education in Rural Areas" project in 4 Yemeni Governorates

We are proud to announce the signing of the "Access to Education in Rural Areas" project. The agreement was signed by SDRPY's Eng. Al-Attas, and Alawn foundation, represented by Dr. Osman. The project will empower 150 women to become teachers in rural areas across Yemen, boost girls' education, benefit rural areas in Hadramout, Shabwa, Lahij, and AlMahrah and generate more jobs for Yemenis.







Rehabilitation Center for Disabled Children

Project in Aden Governorate

As part of its efforts to support various segments of society in Yemen, and its commitment to the inclusiveness of its programs and initiatives, SDRPY laid the foundation stone for a project to establish and equip a Rehabilitation Center for Disabled Children in Aden Governorate. 7,840 beneficiaries will directly or indirectly benefit from the project which aims to effectively integrate children with disabilities into society, provide therapeutic and rehabilitation services for them and enhance their cognitive, perceptual and motor abilities.





Launch of the Emergency and Critical Medical Services Support Project in 6 Yemeni

Governorates

With the aim of enhancing the capacities of the health sector in Aden, Lahij, Abyan, Taizz, Shabwa and Ad Dali governorates, SDRPY launched an emergency and critical medical services support project, by delivering 15 well-equipped ambulances with all the necessary medical equipment. Such support is provided through SDRPY's collaboration with Saudi Red Crescent Authority.

Investing in youth and sports paves the way for a brighter future for everyone

in Yemen!

Today was the final day of the official football championship supported by the SDRPY in Marib governorate. It is the first effort of its kind to promote sport in the governorate and to encourage Yemeni youth to develop their capabilities and take advantage of their potential through sport.





Between January 2023 and April 2024, the Prince Mohammed bin Salman Hospital in Aden served over one million patients, admitted more than 58,000 inpatients, and treated over 387,000 patients in outpatient clinics. Furthermore, the skilled medical staff performed over 6,695 surgeries and 2,682 cardiac catheterizations. These impressive figures reflect the hospital's significant contribution to Yemen's healthcare sector.





Beneficiaries' Stories





Mr. Abdul Ra'aof Ahmed, a farmer and a beneficiary of one of SDRPY's projects.

As a result of the "Using Renewable Energy to Improve the Quality of Life" project, he was able to increase his productivity, which positively impacted his family.





Mr. Abdullah and his family enjoy their new home in Aden, thanks to the Adequat eHousing Project They are among 236+ families who have better living conditions now in Khormakser and Al Mu'alla districts.





Investment in education is essential for a better future as it is the key to the development of humanity.



Sport contributes to promoting well-being and ensuring healthy lives for all at all ages

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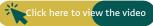


Aden University's Law Faculty students share their vision and ambitions following the support provided by SDRPY to equip the Faculty's specialized laboratories.



The dialysis center in AlGhaydah is a source of hope for people with kidney failure

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«I am glad that my house has finally undergone a positive change» Mrs. Mona expresses her happiness at being able to live at home once again She is one of the beneficiaries of the Adequate Housing Project





SDRPY has developed and transformed the internal roads in AlGhaydah, Al Mahrah Governorate, improving safety, mobility, and quality of life. Enhanced infrastructure brings smoother commutes and closer community connections for residents.



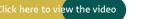
Several cardiac patients) stories in Yemen are similar to Zaid's story, who received the necessary medical care from the cardiac center at Prince Mohammed bin Salman Hospital in Aden that is being rehabilitated and operated by SDRPY.

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Equipping girls with digital skills offers them a path towards a brighter future. Girls, digital skills can be developed by providing digital knowledge, basic services and resources through supporting the education sector, which contributes to building a prosperous future and a more knowledgeable society.

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The following video features Ahmed Abdulrahman in which he explains how he became an employee at the hospital where he was born!

He is an ambitious student; thus, he enrolled in a training program within the project «Building the Future for Yemeni

Youth





SDRPY's "University of Saba Region" project fosters a creative learning environment in Yemen, boosting education for students and future generations. The project is one of SDRPY's development efforts in education.



Mr. Jalal A. Absi's heart is in good hands! Check out Mr. Absi's story as he shares his experience at the Prince Mohammed bin Salman Hospital. Mr. Absi received much-needed cardiac surgery through the Volunteer Medical Program.



Dr. Jamal Al-Din is one of the physicians participating in the Medical Volunteer Program in Prince Mohammed bin Salman Hospital, Aden.

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SDRPY's rehabilitation project of AlGhaydah's internal roads contributed to boosting safety, connecting families, elevating peopless daily lives, and streamlining mobility



Ahmed Mohammed's family now lives in their safe home in the Al-Mualla district in Aden, after SDRPY rehabilitated it as part of the Adequate Housing Project.





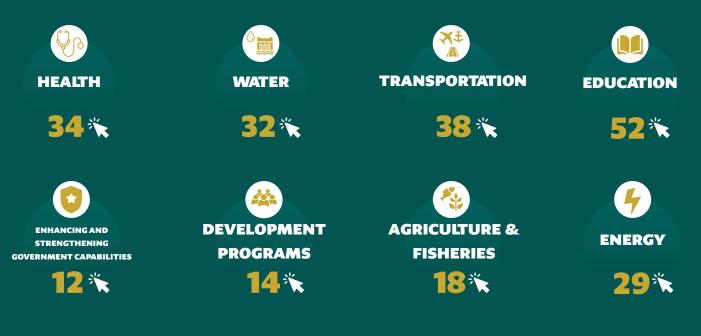
And development continues...



Projects and initiatives



As part of the Saudi Development and Reconstruction Program for Yemen (SDRPY), 229 development projects and programs are being pursued. SDRPY is implementing 170 of these projects and programs targeting 8 sectors.

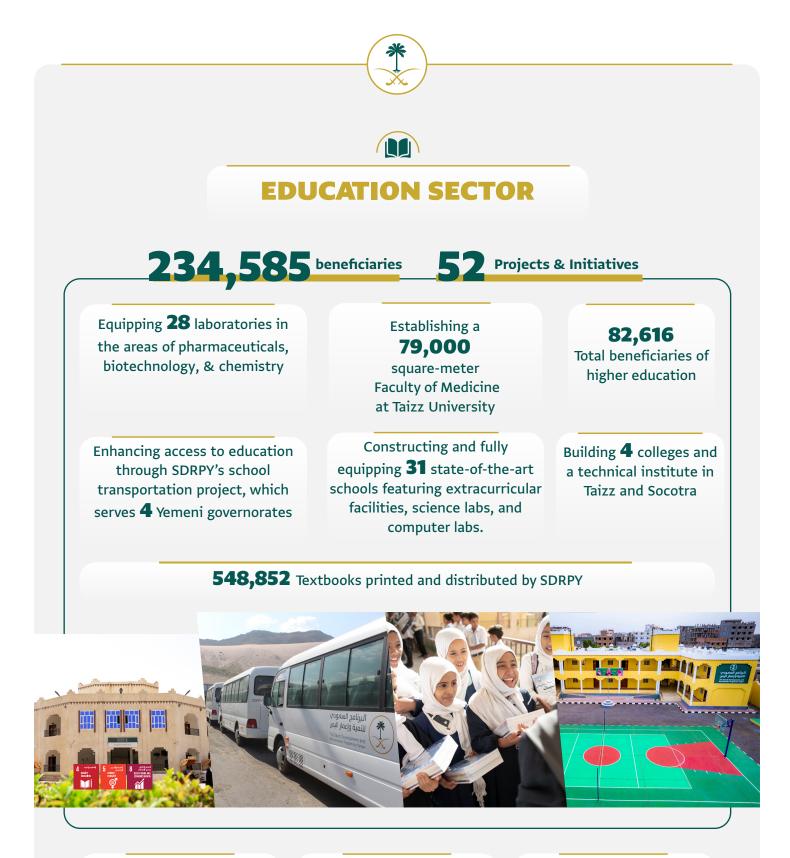


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Total cost of projects and initiatives





Providing access to education to students of all genders and ages, in addition to persons with disabilities **Providing** learning opportunities for both genders

Activating Education as a key driver of development and promoting Social and economic uplift in Yemen

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passengers yearly.



Enhancing security and social cohesion by facilitating access to services and markets

To ease delivery of humanitarian aid and strengthen social bonds **Enhancing** transportation, infrastructure, and logistical opportunities and providing safe transportation for personnel and goods

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Providing efficient and effective health care, disease prevention, and awareness-raising services

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ENERGY SECTOR

12,986,752 beneficiaries

Street lighting is **100%** solar-powered in four Yemeni governorates, where more than 1090 lighting systems have been installed.

Increasing electricity production capacity in Hidaybu District, Socotra Archipelago Governorate, by 50%

Using solar power by 100% in rural water supply systems.

Increasing electricity production capacity in Al Ghaydah istrict, Al Mahrah Governorate, by 75%.

Projects & Initiatives

Increasing electricity production capacity in Qulensya District, Socotra Archipelago Governorate, by **100%**.

Production of **900** kilowatts using solar panels to provide Al-Manasra Field in Aden Governorate with power.

:Saudi Oil Derivatives Grant

First Grant: From May 2021 to April 2022.

Second Grant: From November 2022 to April

80 electricity generation plants have benefitted from the Saudi Oil Derivatives Grant

357,232.71 thousand metric tons of mazut.

659,896.79 thousand metric tons of diesel.



Enhancing the quality of life and standard of living of beneficiaries

Enhancing the Government's ability to provide basic educational and health services and stabilizing the price of essential commodities

Improving efficiency and promote the use of clean energy

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Contributing to food security and supporting the standard of living of beneficiary communities

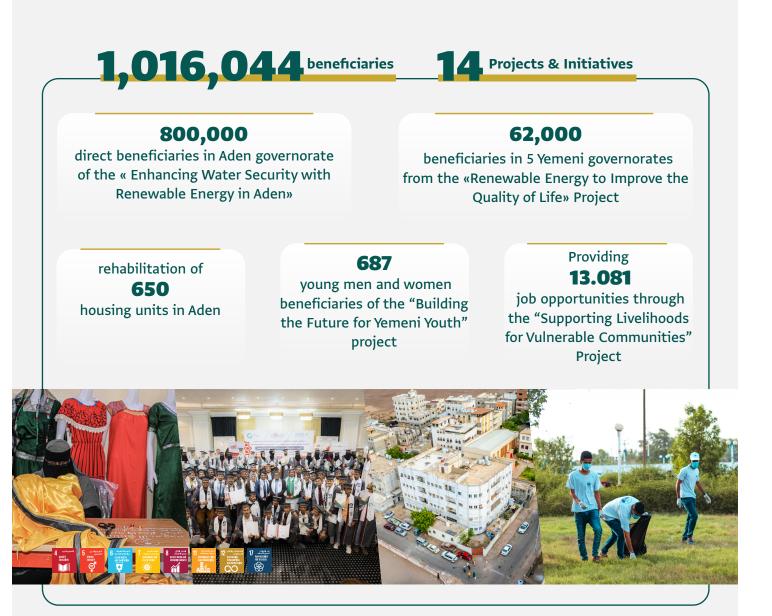
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DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS



Resilience to environmental, economic and social shocks

Investing in human capital

Ensuring rural resilience and economic empowerment in accordance with the principle of gender equality

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