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The RESULTS National Webinar

October 2, 2021

Welcome!

Our Anti-Oppression Values

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RESULTS is a movement of passionate, committed everyday people. Together we use our voices to influence political decisions that will bring an end to poverty. Poverty cannot end as long as oppression exists. We commit to opposing all forms of oppression, including ableism, ageism, classism, colonialism, homophobia, racism, religious discrimination, sexism, transphobia, white saviorism, and xenophobia.

At RESULTS we pledge to create space for all voices, including those of us who are currently experiencing poverty. We will address oppressive behavior in our interactions, families, communities, work, and world. Our strength is rooted in our diversity of experiences, not in our assumptions.

With unearned privilege comes the responsibility to act so the burden to educate and change doesn't fall solely on those experiencing oppression. When we miss the mark on our values, we will acknowledge our mistake, seek forgiveness, learn, and work together as a community to pursue equity.

There are no saviors — only partners, advocates, and allies. We agree to help make the RESULTS movement a respectful, inclusive space.

Find all our anti-oppression resources at: <https://results.org/volunteers/anti-oppression/>



Remarks from
Rep. Maxine Waters (D-CA-43)
Chair of House Financial Services Committee

Guest Speaker

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Sarah Hassmer

Senior Counsel

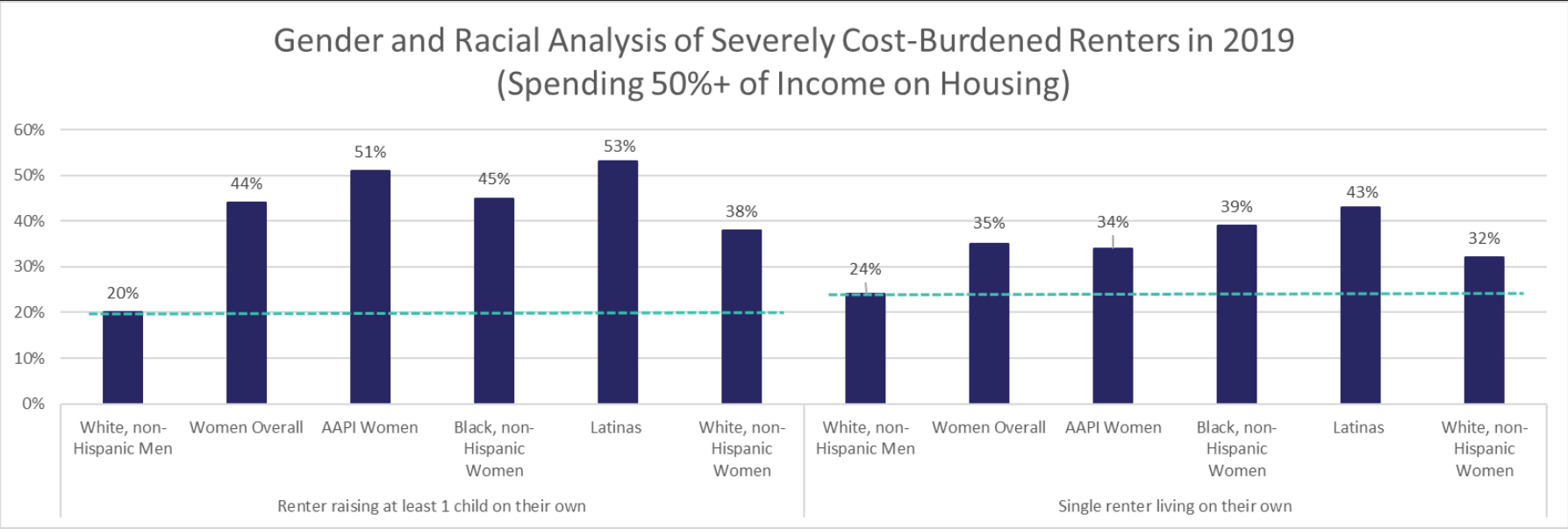
National Women's Law Center

- Advocates for policies to increase economic security for low-income women, children, and families. Her current portfolio includes housing justice, food assistance, and other federal anti-poverty programs such as refundable tax credits, disability benefits, and COVID relief.
- Elevating intersectional issues experienced by low-income women of color, LGBTQ people, disabled women, immigrant women, and survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault.
- Prior to NWLC, she worked for the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) for over six years.

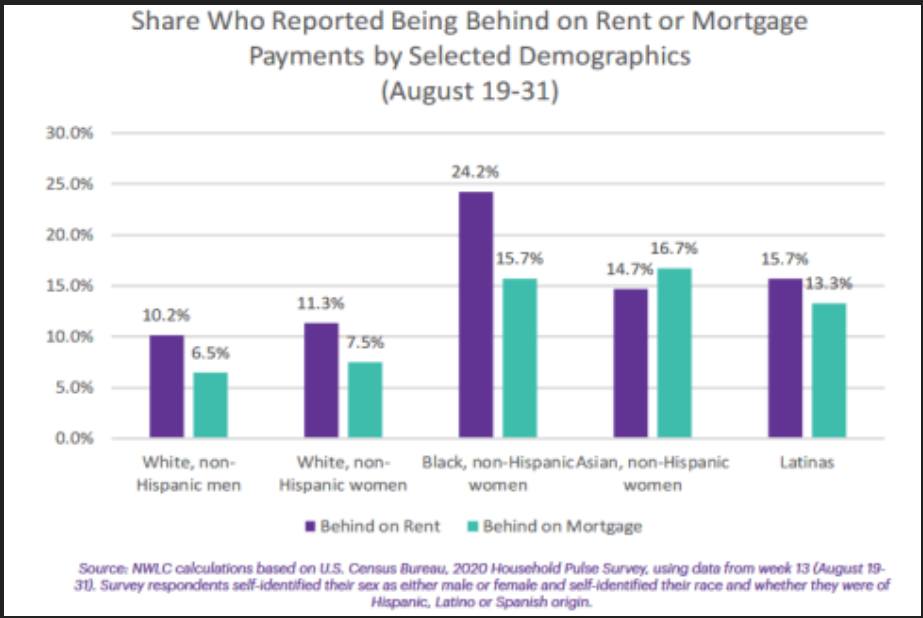


Housing and Tax Priorities in Build Back Better (BBB)

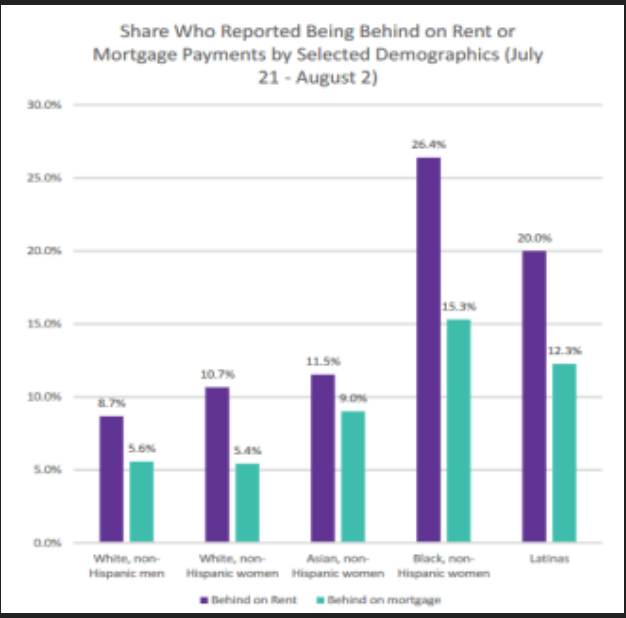
Why we need housing investments



It's no surprise that women of color were disproportionately behind on rent



2020



2021

Investments for low-income renters

- \$90B in long-term rental assistance, including \$75B for housing choice vouchers that will help nearly 1 million more women
- \$80B to preserve public housing, including addressing the capital needs backlog
- \$37 billion in the national Housing Trust Fund to build about 330,000 homes affordable to people with the lowest incomes

Refundable Tax Credits

- Making the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) expansions permanent for workers with low incomes who do not claim children.
- Make the Child Tax Credit's (CTC) full refundability permanent and permanently extending eligibility to children in immigrant families. It also extends the increased, advance payments through 2025.
- Making the Child and Dependent Care Tax Credit (CDCTC) improvements permanent, including making the credit refundable for the first time.

The importance of the CTC for women of color and their families

How Those Who Received an Advance Child Tax Credit Spent Their Payment by Selected Demographics and Selected Options (July 21 - August 2)				
	FOOD	CHILD CARE	RENT	MORTGAGE
White, non-Hispanic men	32.1%	7.8%	5.4%	10.5%
White, non-Hispanic women	41.6%	9.3%	8.8%	12.8%
Asian, non-Hispanic women	61.7%	10.1%	9.4%	12.4%
Black, non-Hispanic women	51.1%	11.9%	26.1%	6.9%
Latinas	59.0%	9.4%	29.6%	9.9%

Source: NWLC calculations based on U.S. Census Bureau, 2020-2021 Household Pulse Survey, using data from week 34 (July 21 – August 2). Survey respondents self-identified as male, female, transgender, or none and self-identified their race and whether they were of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin.

Equitable Investments + Equitable Tax Policies = Equitable Recovery

- The investments that will make the economy work for women of color – like care economy, housing, health care, refundable tax credits – *are* infrastructure.
- Everyone benefits from these investments: children, families, employers, and the economy as a whole.
- New revenues from progressive sources can help support these critical investments.
- We can raise revenues in a way that will support our shared priorities *and* make the tax code more equitable—by taxing corporations and the very rich.

Revenue Raisers

- Making corporations pay their fair share by raising the corporate tax rate & closing loopholes that incentivize offshoring profits.
- Making the wealthy pay their fair share by raising the top income tax rate.
- Taxing income from wealth like income from work.
- Funding the IRS to enforce tax laws against wealthy tax cheats.
- Ways and Means bill raises \$2.2 T... but we can do better.

For More Information

- <https://nwlc.org/resources/raising-revenues-to-rebuild-an-economy-that-works-for-everyone/>
- <https://nwlc.org/resources/permanently-expanded-refundable-tax-credits-will-support-an-equitable-economic-recovery/>
- <https://nwlc.org/resources/nwlc-analysis-of-u-s-census-bureau-covid-19-household-pulse-surveys/>
- <https://nwlc.org/resources/gender-and-racial-justice-in-housing/>

Updates on Recovery Talks

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- Ongoing negotiations with President Biden, moderates, and congressional leadership on size/scope of package
- **House proposal**
 - makes CTC fully refundable permanently
 - restores eligibility for immigrants (via ITINs)
 - extends larger CTC through 2025
 - EITC changes permanent
 - \$90B in rental assistance – includes \$75B in HCVs
- **Likelihood of these policies being in final bill dependent on a deal re: the scale of overall package**
 - If a deal, Congress still has to write and combine the legislation

CTC and EITC expansions: why needed?

CTC Expansion

Estimated Number of Children Who Would Benefit Each Year From Permanent Expansion of Child Tax Credit, by State

Relative to before American Rescue Plan's temporary expansion

State	Children under 17 previously left out of full \$2,000 credit who would benefit from permanent expansion	Children under 18 lifted above poverty line by permanent expansion	Children under 18 lifted above or closer to poverty line by permanent expansion	Children under 18 who would benefit from permanent expansion	Share of children under 18 who would benefit from permanent expansion
Total U.S.	27,000,000	4,120,000	9,894,000	65,560,000	89%

EITC Expansion

Estimated Number of Working Adults Without Children Who Would Benefit Each Year From Permanent EITC Expansion in American Families Plan, by State and Race/Ethnicity

Relative to before American Rescue Plan's temporary expansion

State	Total	White	Latino	Black	Asian	Another race or multiple races
Total U.S.	17,445,400	9,658,700	3,639,600	2,739,300	815,700	592,100

New Child Tax Credit payments



Anti-Poverty Policy Effects in August 2021

As the Child Tax Credit reached more children, child poverty dropped further.

With the second payment,
the Child Tax Credit kept
3.5 million children
from living in poverty.



The Child Tax Credit lifted
500,000 more
children
out of poverty in August
compared to July.

The overall monthly
child poverty rate fell.

15.9%
JUNE 2021

11.9%
JULY 2021

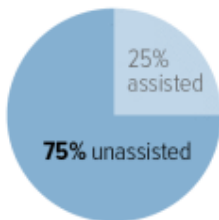
11.5%
AUGUST 2021

Why push for (and oppose cuts to) expanded rental assistance?

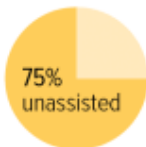
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3 in 4 Low-Income Renters Needing Rental Assistance Do Not Receive It

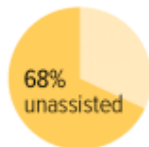
All low-income renters with housing needs



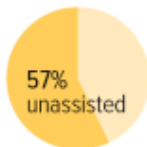
Families with children



Elderly without children



Disabled without children



Other households



Notes: "Low-income" = 80 percent or less of local median income. Households "needing rental assistance" pay more than 30 percent of monthly income for housing and/or live in overcrowded or substandard housing. For more on how we count assisted renters, please see our federal rental assistance factsheets methodology.

Sources: Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) custom tabulations of the 2019 American Housing Survey; 2018 HUD administrative data; FY2020 McKinney-Vento Permanent Supportive Housing bed counts; 2019-2020 Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS grantee performance profiles; and the USDA FY2020 Multi-Family Fair Housing Occupancy Report.

- From early 2000s to today, only a few new vouchers have been created to cover from 2 million households to approximately 2.3 million households.
 - Current proposal would create vouchers to assist an additional 750,000 households
- HCV funding includes \$750 million for mobility services (benefits families with children) and \$500 million for landlord incentives + security deposits
- Recent [study](#) shows voucher holders are less likely to be evicted.

RESULTS U.S. Poverty “Asks”

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- ***Makes the 2021 EITC/CTC provisions permanent***
 - Particularly key to make sure full refundability for the Child Tax Credit for very low- or no-income families is made permanent
- ***Includes at least \$90 billion in rental assistance, with highest possible investments in Housing Choice Vouchers (HCVs) targeting the lowest-income households***

October U.S. Poverty Action Resources

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General

- Monthly Action Sheets: <https://results.org/volunteers/monthly-actions/>
- Lobby Resources: <https://results.org/volunteers/lobbying/>
- Laser Talks: <https://results.org/volunteers/laser-talks/>
- Lobby Report Form: www.tinyurl.com/RESLobbyReport

Data

- EITC and CTC stats by state: <https://www.cbpp.org/research/federal-tax/house-bill-takes-major-steps-forward-for-children-low-paid-workers>
- State housing data: <https://nlihc.org/housing-needs-by-state> and potential number of HCVs by state: <https://www.cbpp.org/research/housing/housing-vouchers-in-economic-recovery-bill-would-sharply-cut-homelessness-housing>.
- Columbia University poverty data: <https://tinyurl.com/ColumbiaCTCPayments>; www.tinyurl.com/ColumbiaCTC, and www.tinyurl.com/ColumbiaHousingCTC
- CTC fiscal impact by state: https://www.jec.senate.gov/public/_cache/files/eec1a41a-e362-453c-bc11-d49c9af2cb8a/ctc-fiscal-impact-final-2021-07-30.pdf

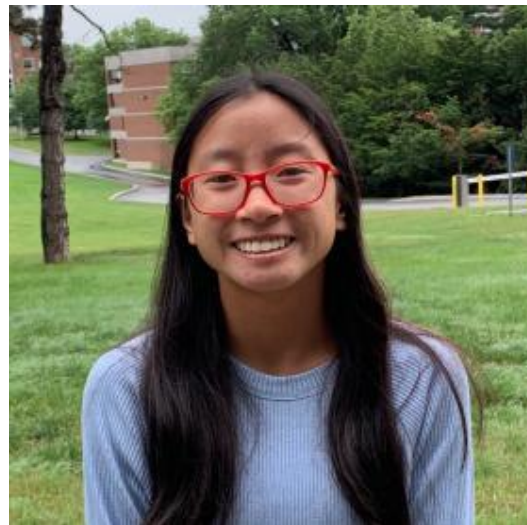


Dr. Joanne Carter
Executive Director

Let's hear from New Advocates!

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Tiffany T
Oklahoma City, OK
Joined June 2021



Julia Hardy
Epping, NH
Joined June 2021

Best Practices

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Before the meeting

- Make sure new volunteers get the meeting information ASAP & include on calendar invitations
- Add to ALL communication streams
- Send a quick reminder text the day before

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During the meeting

- Make time for introductions
- Recap recent actions, accomplishments, and goals
- Be intentional about creating space for new volunteers. Ask questions & check-in frequently
- Take action TOGETHER during the meeting
- Leave with a commitment to a next step

Best Practices

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After the meeting

- Thank them for joining!
- Follow-up and ask how it went and if they have questions
- Offer coaching and mentorship on next steps or actions

Webinar: Cultivating New Relationships Through Action

November 3rd at 8:00 pm ET

Learn more about creating a culture of “welcome” in your group & fostering healthy relationships through advocacy action with new volunteers

Register at:

<https://results.zoom.us/meeting/register/tjYucO-hqjkgHNSWi05SfmzV-fi2zPUSWw6n>

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<https://results.org/volunteers/action-center/>

Bob Dickerson

Grassroots Leadership Award

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Nominate an outstanding volunteer at:
<https://tinyurl.com/BobDAward>

Please submit your nominations by
November 1.

Nominees and recipients will be
announced in December.

Want to learn how to lead from your strengths?

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Discovering Yourself as a Leader Using the GALLUP CliftonStrengths Tool

October 12 at 8:30 pm ET



RESULTS will cover the cost of the Top 5 Talents assessment and by joining this workshop, you will have the opportunity to dig deeper and learn how to leverage them in leadership roles.

All volunteers are encouraged to join!

Register at:

<https://tinyurl.com/RESULTSStrengthsFinder1012>

Global Allies Program: Partners Ending Poverty with RESULTS

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Global Allies Program

Partners Ending Poverty with RESULTS

Connecting Returned Peace Corps
Volunteers with the RESULTS
grassroots network to
end global poverty.

Join us on October 14, 8:30 pm ET

Register at: <https://bit.ly/GAPwithRESULTS1014>

Getting “unstuck” with your members of Congress using Motivational Interviewing techniques

Join this six-month series as it continues!

It resumes **Wednesday, October 27 at 9:00 pm ET.**

Register:

<https://results.zoom.us/meeting/register/tj0vcOiqrj8qHtTAZtyWICKfVAI1d2QU6S8b>

More October Events

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October 20: Action Network Monthly Webinars (12:30 pm and 8 pm ET)

October 21: U.S. Poverty Policy Forum (8:00 pm ET) and Global Poverty Policy Forum (9:00 pm ET)

Register for these and other events at: www.results.org/events

Even More October Events

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New Advocate Orientations are on-going! Register for an upcoming orientation at: www.results.org/volunteer

U.S. Poverty Free Agents Webinars

Tuesday, October 19, 1:00 pm and 8:00 pm ET

Contact Jos Linn at jlinn@results.org for more information.

Global Poverty Free Agents Webinar

Monday, October 25, 7:00 pm ET

Contact Lisa Marchal at lmarchal@results.org for more information.

See more on the RESULTS Events Calendar:

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Be a Regional Coordinator!

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RESULTS Advocacy & Organizing Fellowship

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- 11-month training program
- Opportunities to lobby in D.C.
- Cohort of young leaders
- Ages 20-35

Applications close Nov. 1!

results.org/fellowship/



Guest Speaker

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Dr. Tom Frieden **President and CEO** **Resolve to Save Lives**

Dr. Frieden is a physician with advanced training in internal medicine, infectious disease, public health, and epidemiology. He served as Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and Commissioner of the New York City Health Department. His work made New York City's tuberculosis control program and overall health department models for the world, established effective programs in India, and improved morale, effectiveness, and impact at the CDC. Dr. Frieden's influential publications have identified the what, how and why of action to improve health.

U.S. Leadership to Address the Global Vaccine Access Crisis

Global COVID-19 Summit: Targets

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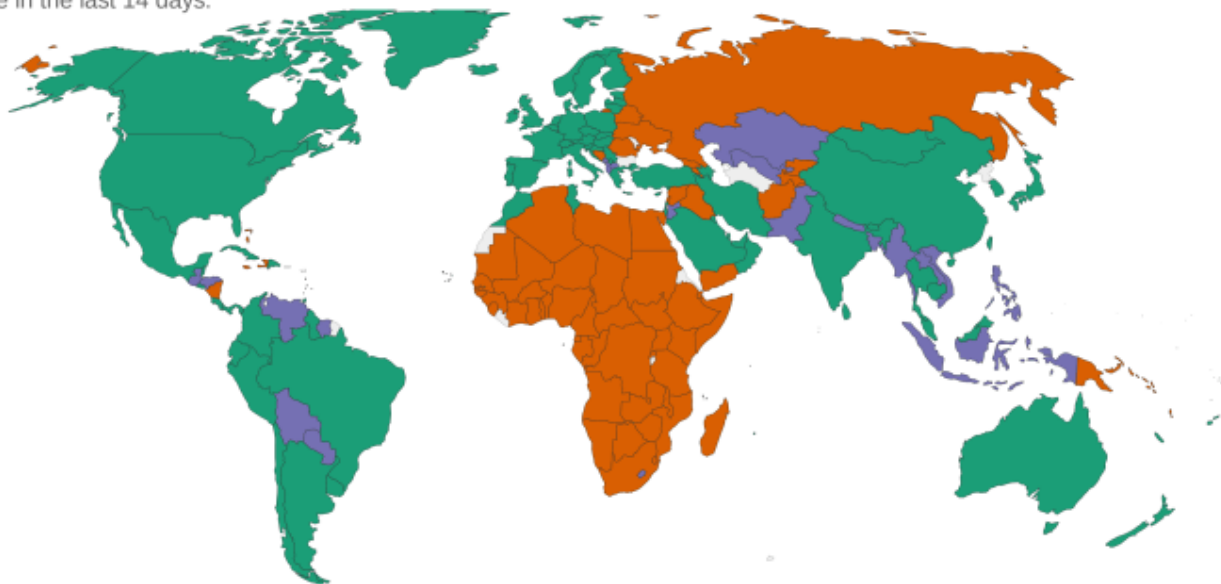
- At least 70 percent of the population fully vaccinated with quality, safe, and effective vaccines in every country and income category by UNGA 2022.
- Vaccinate at least 40 percent by the end of 2021 of the global population.
- Manufacture doses over the medium and long-term. Additional doses and adequate supplies are available to all countries in 2022.

COVID-19: which countries are on track to have vaccinated 40% of their population with at least 1 dose by the end of 2021?

Projections are based on each country's last-reported vaccination coverage, and the number of people vaccinated for the first time in the last 14 days.

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■ Already above 40% vaccinated
 ■ Not on track to 40% vaccinated
■ On track to 40% vaccinated
 ■ No data

Source: Data collection and projections by Our World in Data, based on official sources. Last updated: September 30, 2021.

Note: We exclude countries that have not reported data for more than 30 days. The global target of 40% has been set in August 2021 by the United Nations, World Health Organization, World Bank, International Monetary Fund, and World Trade Organization.

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