

Global Allies Program

Partners Ending Poverty with RESULTS

Monthly Webinar

April 10, 2025





Let us know where you are joining us from in the chat!

Share a greeting in another language if you know one.

Our Values & Resources



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At RESULTS we pledge to create space for all voices, including those of us who are currently Partners Ending Poverty wit 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.

Read our full anti-oppression values statement here at <u>results.org/values</u>.

Check out the **Anti-Oppression Workshop Schedule** for training opportunities.

Find these resources and more at results.org/volunteers/anti-oppression:

- Resource Guides from our Diversity & Inclusion trainings, including:
 - Interrupting Microaggressions
 - Creating Space for Critical Conversations
- Information on how RESULTS responds to oppressive incidents

Tonight's Agenda



Welcome & Introductions

Advocacy Updates & Actions

FY 26 Appropriations: TB Dear Colleague Letter

Closing

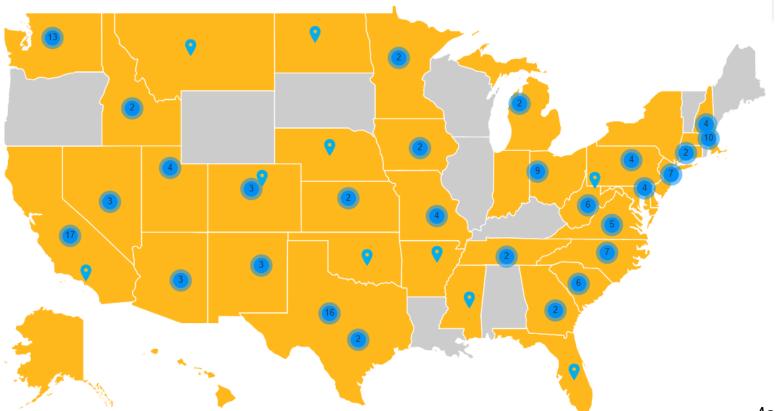




How have you engaged with your members of Congress since our last meeting?

The First 100 Days campaign





As of 4/9/2025



"Waste, fraud, & abuse..."

Account	FY24 Enacted	FY25 House	FY25 Senate	FY25 Enacted	FY26 RESULTS Request
Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB and Malaria	\$1.65 billion	\$1.25 billion	\$1.2 billion	TBD	\$2 billion
USAID Tuberculosis	\$394.5 million	\$394.5 million	\$394.5 million	TBD	\$1 billion
USAID Maternal and Child Health	\$915 million	\$915 million	\$940 million	TBD	\$1.15 billion
Of which, Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance	\$300 million	\$300 million	\$300 million	TBD	\$340 million
USAID Nutrition	\$165 million	\$172.5 million	\$165.5 million	TBD	\$300 million
USAID Basic Education	\$922 million	\$922 million	\$640.55 million	TBD	\$1.15 billion
Of which, the Global Partnership for Education	\$121.6 million	\$121.6 million	\$85 million	TBD	\$200 million





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FY26 House Tuberculosis Dear Colleague Letter

- Bipartisan letter led by Reps. Ami Bera (D-CA) and Ann Wagner (R-MO)
- Asks appropriators to meet the needs-based ask of \$1 billion for bilateral TB programs at USAID
- Deadline: Tuesday, May 13

Sample letters to foreign policy aides

Take Action: TB Dear Colleague Letter



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- Look up your MOCs foreign policy aide using the Legislator Lookup page: https://results.org/volunteers/legislator-lookup If you have trouble finding the name of the foreign policy aide, contact Karyne (kbury@results.org) to help.
- **2. Copy the sample message into an email** to your MOC's Foreign Policy Aide. Once you have their name, use the following format for their email address:

House: FirstName.LastName@mail.house.gov

Senate: <u>FirstName LastName@SenatorLastName.senate.gov</u>

- **3. Select 1 or 2 appropriations issues** that are particularly close to you or your member of Congress. <u>Personalize and share why this issue is important to you as an RPCV.</u>
- 4. Hit send and if you do not hear back, follow up!
 You can call the Capitol Switchboard and ask to speak to the office to confirm receipt of the request (202) 224-3121.



Follow up, follow up, follow up!

Advocacy in 2025



- Research & reach out to members of Congress – keep engaging!
- Continue to write and submit media raise awareness!
- Engage with your community support fellow RPCVs in taking action!

What will be your next step?



Next Webinar:

Thursday, May 8 Dorothy Monza, RESULTS Global Policy Team

Invite others to join:

https://tinyurl.com/2025GAPWebinars



Thank you!



Sustaining yourself as an advocate

RESULTS is committed to supporting our advocates. By caring for ourselves and each other, we can build a stronger, more resilient movement to end poverty.

BUILDING RESILIENCY AS ADVOCATES

Take action now!



Congress: Demand foreign aid resume now!

Media: Loss of foreign aid is costing lives

Advocacy Action



Contact your members of Congress, request that:

- **1. End the stop-work order,** and reinstate critical programs and staff to carry them out.
- 2. Push the State Department to verify that programs under the waiver have restarted, and expand the waiver to all global health and development programs.
- 3. Ensure Congress is involved in shaping the future of foreign aid standing up for programs that are focused on ending poverty and creating good health, and committed to humanitarian and lifesaving impact.