



Global Allies Program

Partners Ending Poverty with RESULTS

January 13, 2022

Welcome everyone!



Please introduce yourself in the chat!

- Name and pronouns
- Location
- Country of Service in the Peace Corps

Our Anti-Oppression Values

The logo for RESULTS, featuring the word "results" in white lowercase letters on a red speech bubble background.

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, biphobia, 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/>

Tonight's Webinar



- Welcome and Introductions
- Speaker: John Fawcett, VP Policy & Advocacy, RESULTS
Deep dive on global nutrition
- Advocacy actions
- Upcoming events

2022 Global Policy Priorities



Pandemic response



Appropriations



Nutrition Legislation



Global Fund Replenishment

Issue Deep Dive: Global Nutrition



John Fawcett
VP, Policy & Advocacy
RESULTS

Nutrition is a human right



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“Everyone has the **right to a standard of living** adequate for the health and well-being of himself and his family, **including food**, clothing, housing and medical care and necessary social services...”

- *Universal Declaration of Human Rights, Article 25 (A)*

Every man, woman, and child has the **inalienable right to be free from hunger and malnutrition...**

- *Universal Declaration on the Eradication of Hunger and Malnutrition*

Malnutrition is the underlying cause of nearly half (45%) of child deaths.



STUNTING
149.2 million

Stunting affected an estimated 22.0 per cent or 149.2 million children under 5 globally in 2020*



WASTING
45.4 million

In 2020,* wasting continued to threaten the lives of an estimated 6.7 per cent or 45.4 million children under 5 globally

By 2022, COVID-19-related disruptions could result in an additional:

- 9.3 million wasted children
- 2.6 million stunted children
- 168,000 additional child deaths
- 2.1 million maternal anemia cases
- \$29.7 billion in future productivity

Osendarp, S., Akuoku, J.K., Black, R.E. *et al.* The COVID-19 crisis will exacerbate maternal and child undernutrition and child mortality in low- and middle-income countries. *Nat*

The Power 4

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**Prenatal
vitamins**



**Vitamin A
supplements**



**Breastfeeding
support**



**Emergency
Therapeutic
Foods**

2021 Global Policy Priority



Malnutrition is a fixable crisis

Ask your member of Congress to
cosponsor S.2956/H.R.4693

Next Steps

- **Take action with us on ending malnutrition**, then share with your network.
- Stay connected with GAP for upcoming trainings and actions.
- Join us for additional actions on global malnutrition:
Next meeting - **February 10 at 8:30pm ET**

Deepening Our Action

- **December:** Learned laser talk on global nutrition, made calls to our members of Congress to cosponsor S.2956 & HR4693.
 - o Find recording here:
<https://results.org/volunteers/training-webinars/>
- **January:** Take deeper action: reach out directly to the Foreign Policy aides for our Rep. and Senators, start building a relationship, follow up until we get an answer.

Deepening Our Action

1. Check the cosponsor list on www.Congress.gov
2. Look up the staff for members of Congress on Legislator Lookup:
<https://results.org/volunteers/legislator-lookup/> or get support from GAP staff (Karyne and Ken)
3. Craft your message and request to the foreign policy aides by combining your concerns, experience around the issue and RESULTS' global nutrition laser talk in the RESULTS Action Center. Include one-page summary:
https://results.org/?post_type=attachment&p=112372

Deepening Our Action



Email formula for reaching congressional staff:

Senate: `firstname_lastname@SenatorLastName.senate.gov`

House: `firstname.lastname@mail.house.gov`

Building a Relationship



What works in developing a relationship with someone?

Building an Effective Relationship

1. Communicate directly with the aide via email, phone, Zoom. Always be respectful and friendly.
2. Ask for a phone conversation in your email.
3. Make your communication personal—share a bit about yourself, ask questions, learn about the aide.
4. Don't let a lack of response deter you—it is their job to related to constituents. Help them do their job.
5. Share additional information, videos, articles to reinforce your conversation.
6. Get to yes or no answers on your requests.

Building an Effective Relationship



Let's write our messages and share them



“The World Health Organization called climate change “the single biggest health threat facing humanity,” warning that its effects could be more catastrophic and enduring than the coronavirus pandemic.”

(Washington Post, October 20, 2021)

**No one is safe from the climate crisis,
and we must act now!**



Join us for

AT THE INTERSECTION OF GLOBAL HEALTH AND CLIMATE CHANGE

Engaging RPCVs in Grassroots to Global Action

JANUARY 25, 2022 - 8:30 PM ET

Learn what actions we can take to strengthen the global healthcare infrastructure, combat climate change, and advance grassroots community engagement.



SPECIAL GUEST, TED SPEAKER: DR. CHERYL HOLDER

Co-Chair, Florida Medical Society Consortium on
Climate Change and Health

View Dr. Holder's TED Talk, "[The link between climate change, health, and poverty.](#)"



REGISTER HERE:

[**HTTPS://BIT.LY/GLOBALHEALTHANDCLIMATECHANGE**](https://bit.ly/globalhealthandclimatechange)



Upcoming Events



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- **January 25, 2022 - 8:30pm ET**
“At the intersection of climate change, health, and poverty”

Speaker: Dr. Cheryl Holder

Associate Professor, and Associate Dean for Diversity, Equity, Inclusivity, and Community Initiatives at Florida International University, and Co-Chair, Florida Medical Society Consortium on Climate Change and Health



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