Global Allies Program

Partners Ending Poverty with RESULTS

January Webinar

January 11, 2024
Welcome and happy 2024

Let us know where you are joining us from in the chat!
Our Values & Resources

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.

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

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
Overview of Tonight’s Webinar

• Reflecting on 2023
• Overview of 2024 campaigns
• Advocacy Action
• Closing
118th Congress on track to become one of the least productive in US history

Only 34 bills were passed last year, according to data.

By Joe LeCascio, Benjamin Siegel, and Ivan Pereira
January 10, 2024, 7:30 PM

The 118th Congress is one of the least functional ever
ABC News' Rachel Scott reports on the least functional Congress in modern history and what it means for 2024.
Reflecting on 2023

• Global Appropriations
  o USAID Tuberculosis and Global Fund to Fight AIDS, TB and Malaria
  o Nutrition
  o Maternal and Child Health/ Gavi, Vaccine Alliance ($10 Million increase)
  o Education

• UN High Level Meeting on TB

• Bills:
  o End TB Now Act (H.R. 1776/ S. 288)
  o READ Act (H.R. 681/ S.41)
How you showed up in 2023

Total lobby meetings: **370 meetings (83 face-to-face)**

- **111 Senate meetings, including 12 face-to-face**
- **257 House meetings including 71 face-to-face**
- **2 candidate meetings**
How you showed up in 2023

Total media: **567 pieces** (2022 total: 477)

- 322 discuss the Child Tax Credit
- 138 discuss Renter Tax Credit or housing
- **94 discuss global tuberculosis**
- 43 discuss global education

States published: **45 plus national publications**

Groups published: **60 groups published plus Free Agents and Action Network members**

72 percent of all 2023 media came during our Apr-Jun and Sep-Dec media campaigns
Reflecting on 2023

1. What are some transformational moments you recall from 2023?

2. How does this inform your story and your sense of purpose?

3. What would you like to see yourself doing in 2024?
Looking ahead at 2024

• Because of advocacy, we've made a lot of progress on poverty globally, 38% to 12%
• But at the current rate we won't reach 2030 Sustainable Development Goal of ending extreme poverty.
• There are still have 700 million people living on less than $2.15/day. More than half are children.
• We need to double-down on our advocacy.
2024: Malnutrition

- Malnutrition is an underlying cause of poverty, affecting physical and mental health, and the ability to work.
- Malnutrition is the underlying cause of nearly 50% of preventable child deaths, causes stunting (short for age) and is a leading cause of disabilities.
- 1 in 5 children are affected by stunting—it robs children of their future potential.
- Good nutrition starts with the mother.
2024: Malnutrition

We will:

• Hold USAID accountable on the Global Malnutrition Prevention and Treatment Act.
• Advocate for increased funding for global maternal and child health and nutrition.
• Lay the groundwork for a US leadership around a Nutrition for Growth pledging moment, likely in 2025.
2024: Vaccines

We will:

• Advocate for increased funding for Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance.
• Lay the groundwork for a bold, 4-year, US pledge for the Gavi replenishment moment.
• Gavi has vaccinated over 1 billion children and prevented 17 million deaths.
2024: Education

We will:

• Advocate for the passage of the READ Act
• Advocate for increased funding for global education
• Lay the groundwork for a bold US pledge the Global Partnership for Education during an upcoming pledging moment
2024: Our Boldness

- We need to feature or boldness and fearlessness in 2024, taking action, reaching out to others, showing that they too can be powerful.
Advocacy Action: How will you deepen your relationships with MOCs this year?
Advocacy Action:
How will you deepen your relationships in your community?
How will you use this opportunity to make a difference in 2024?

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Feel free to bring a friend!
Thanks for joining us tonight!