## IMPACT OF U.S. LEADERSHIP AND INVESTMENTS IN FOREIGN ASSISTANCE

U.S. foreign assistance programs have a history of bipartisan action and are inclusive, data-driven, transparent, and accountable to the American people.





#### BASIC EDUCATION

From 2011-2017, **USAID** education programs have reached over

### 109 million learners in more than 50 countries,

including 22.6 million children living in conflict or crisis settings.<sup>33</sup>

#### **CONFLICT MANAGEMENT**

80%

of the countries in which **USAID** works are fragile and conflict-affected. U.S. government funds upward of

## \$750 million

annually to directly and indirectly address violent conflict abroad.



## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

USAID has mobilized up to

\$2.3 billion

in private financing for more than

100,000 entrepreneurs

around the world over the past 12 years, through USAID's Development Credit Authority.<sup>34</sup>



## DEMOCRACY, RIGHTS, AND GOVERNANCE

Since 2011, **USAID's Human Rights Grants Program** has addressed the most urgent
Human Rights challenges in

89

different countries.32





### CLIMATE CHANGE AND **NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT**

In Kenva USAID investments in natural resource management have helped to put

### 6 million hectares

(roughly the size of West Virginia) under improved management practices, making the area more resilient in the face of drought.38

#### **FOOD SECURITY, AGRICULTURE, AND** NUTRITION

Since 2011, the Feed the Future Initiative has lifted

### 23.4 million people

in rural communities out of poverty.35



#### GENDER EQUALITY

Currently, **USAID** has gender programs in

countries.

In Afghanistan, USAID works to strengthen women's participation civil society, helps women gain business and management skills, and fosters women's increased participation in government.36



#### WATER, SANITATION, AND HYGIENE

From 2009-2017.

### 37.3 million people received

sustainable access to an improved water supply, and

### 24.1 million people received

improved access to sanitation facilities.39



#### GLOBAL HEALTH

As of March 2018, PEPFAR had supported lifesaving treatment for 14 million people, prevented

# **2.2 million children** from being born with HIV, and trained nearly

250,000 new health workers in HIV and other essential services.<sup>37</sup>