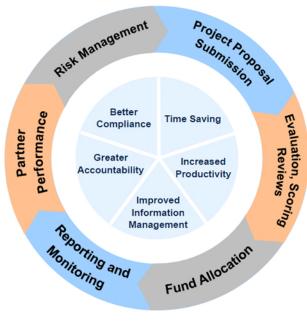


WHAT IS GMS?

The **One Grant Management System (OneGMS)** is a web-based platform that supports the management of the entire grant life cycle for all Country-Based Pooled Funds (CBPFs) and Central Emergency Relief Funds (CERF). It is a mandatory tool for CBPFs and a fundamental management instrument for OCHA's fund managers. The OneGMS promotes efficiency, effectiveness and supports risk management. It harmonises business processes while catering to the special needs of each fund. The system strengthens OCHA's data analysis and information management capacity.

The OneGMS streamlines allocations and facilitates interaction among all stakeholders involved in the grant management process, supporting them in discharging their functions. It allows grant recipients to submit project proposals online. Financial and narrative reporting can therefore be done in real time, together with any project revisions. The system provides for real time tracking of processes, tasks, reminders and feedback.





GRANT MANAGEMENT LIFE CYCLE

WHICH SERVICES DOES THE GMS PROVIDE?

Before the introduction of the GMS, the Grant Management process was cumbersome and subject to human errors, considering that CBPF projects were managed offline. GMS solved these issues by providing:

TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Modernization of tracking and monitoring of grants and projects, embedment of a fraud-dedicated module and visibility on the whole allocation process.

UNIFORMITY AND FLEXIBILITY

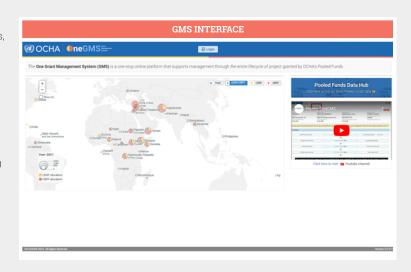
A harmonized system common to all CBPFs, while allowing flexibility relevant to adapt it to each of the specific contexts.

INCLUSIVENESS

Visible task lists, easy access and participatory decision making processes through scorecards and assessments.

INFORMATION MANAGEMENT

CERF and CBPF data and trends analyses made available by on-target visualizations, included in the GMS affiliated information management platforms: the **CERF** and the **CBPF Data Hubs**.



EVER-EVOLVING SYSTEM

GMS is an essential tool to fulfill OCHA's mandate to make humanitarian financing reliable, effective, timely and needs-prioritized.

These considerations drive the constant GMS updates, based on users' feedback, new requirements and technical developments.



GMS INFORMATION MANAGEMENT SERVICES: THE DATA HUBS

The GMS provides real-time data flows for two Data Hubs:

The **Pooled Funds Data Hub**, which delivers high-level allocations and donor contributions data on OCHA's Pooled Funds: CBPF and CERF.

https://pfdata.unocha.org/

And the **CBPF** and **CERF Data Hubs** which various visualizations offer a multi-dimensional level of data analysis for donors, partners and all CBPF stakeholders.

https://cbpf.data.unocha.org/

https://cerf.data.unocha.org/



GMS # in 2023 (up to May 2023)

- 178 projects were approved
- \$150M were allocated and managed through the GMS
- CBPFs received \$590M from 35 Member States and other Donors

WHAT'S NEW ON THE GMS

- One of the major achievements for IMSDAU is the launch of OneGMS phase 1 on the 14th of January 2023. The new platform enabled all CBPFs to launch their 2023 allocations in a new harmonized project proposal template.
- In March 2023, Mali envelop was launched under West Africa Regional Pooled Fund.

USER SUPPORT

The GMS Support Team provides continuous support to registered users through:

- Remote and hands-on trainings
- Annual workshops across all CBPFs
- Open forums for discussion
- A support desk to answer all technical queries

Contact us at:

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