Considerable progress was made in Ukraine during the 2021 year. Key achievements included:

- Finalisation and approval of the National Mental Health Action Plan;
- Adaptation of training programmes to a hybrid online/offline format to account for COVID-19;
- Provision of mhGAP training and supervision to 73 healthcare workers by WHO and partners, increasing service access to over 100,000 people;
- Introduction of Community Mental Health Teams (CMHTs) as a part of the State Programme of Medical Guarantees, providing recovery-focused, person-centered community care for more than 3,500 people with severe mental health conditions and psychosocial disabilities;
- Early progression on the development of a one-year learning course on mental health services planning and innovation to support ongoing service delivery transformation and inform national curriculum for the mental health workforce;
- Translation of the QualityRights tools to Ukrainian, with the goal of raising population, policymakers, and mental health workforce awareness on international human rights standards and support mental health service transformation;
- Advancements to mapping mental health and psychosocial support (MHPSS) services that are addressing MHPSS humanitarian needs in eastern Ukraine;
- Productive engagement between the International Initiative for Mental Health Leadership (IIMHL) and WHO Mental Health Leaders Mentorship Programme, strengthening mental health leadership;

In 2022, Ukraine will continue to focus on implementation of the WHO Special Initiative for Mental Health, including:

- Ongoing policy dialogue and further development of the services framework for mental healthcare, engaging key national stakeholders and reinforced by the Pan-European Mental Health Coalition;
- Continued transformation of mental health services towards community-based forms of care and introducing new psychological interventions, while improving conditions in inpatient and long-stay facilities;
- Collaboration with partners to promote the rights of persons living with mental health conditions, psychosocial, intellectual and/or cognitive disabilities using WHO QualityRights tools;
- Training for primary healthcare workers on how to manage common mental health conditions using WHO mhGAP resources;
- Launch of the Mental Health Learning Course for different sectors engaged in mental health care planning and provision; and
- Continuing to address MHPSS needs of people living in protracted conflict and humanitarian crisis, including support to the national COVID-19 response.