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Virtual Safe Space Platform for Adolescent Girls and Women

Warsaw, May 2024

What is Laaha?

Laaha - a safe space for women and girls online

- Laaha provides information to women and girls on their rights, gender-based violence, sexual and reproductive health and where and how to access services when needed.
- Designed by and for women and girls in humanitarian and development settings to address gender-based violence.
- The platform was designed by and for women and girls with the support of UNICEF and its partners.

Laaha aims to

- support women and girls empowerment.
- share information on topics that are sometimes taboo or stigmatised.
- help women and girls who have experienced violence access available services near them.

Initial Pilot

- The VSS was piloted in Iraq and Lebanon in 2018
- Through the pilot, it became apparent that adolescent girls and women wanted **information on GBV and SRH**

Current Iterations

- Laaha is available in English, Spanish, Kurdish and Arabic
- in March 2024 rolled-out in Ukrainian in host countries and Ukraine

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Content

Body and health

Help services

Relationships and Rights

Safety

https://laaha.org/country-selector

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Children evacuated children from institutions in Ukraine

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children have been evacuated from institutional care facilities in Ukraine to Poland

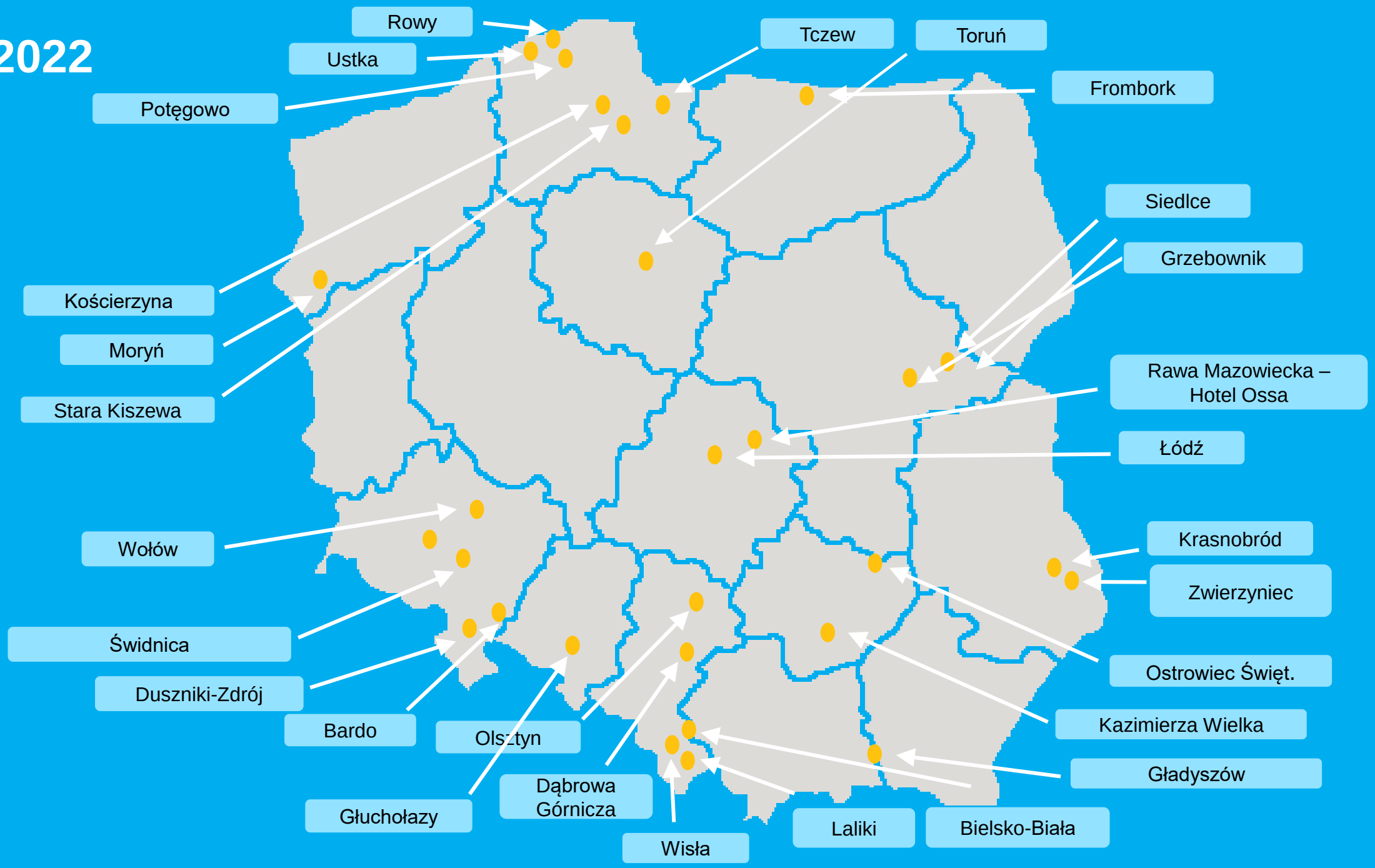
1 010

children remain in Poland

2022

2024

2022



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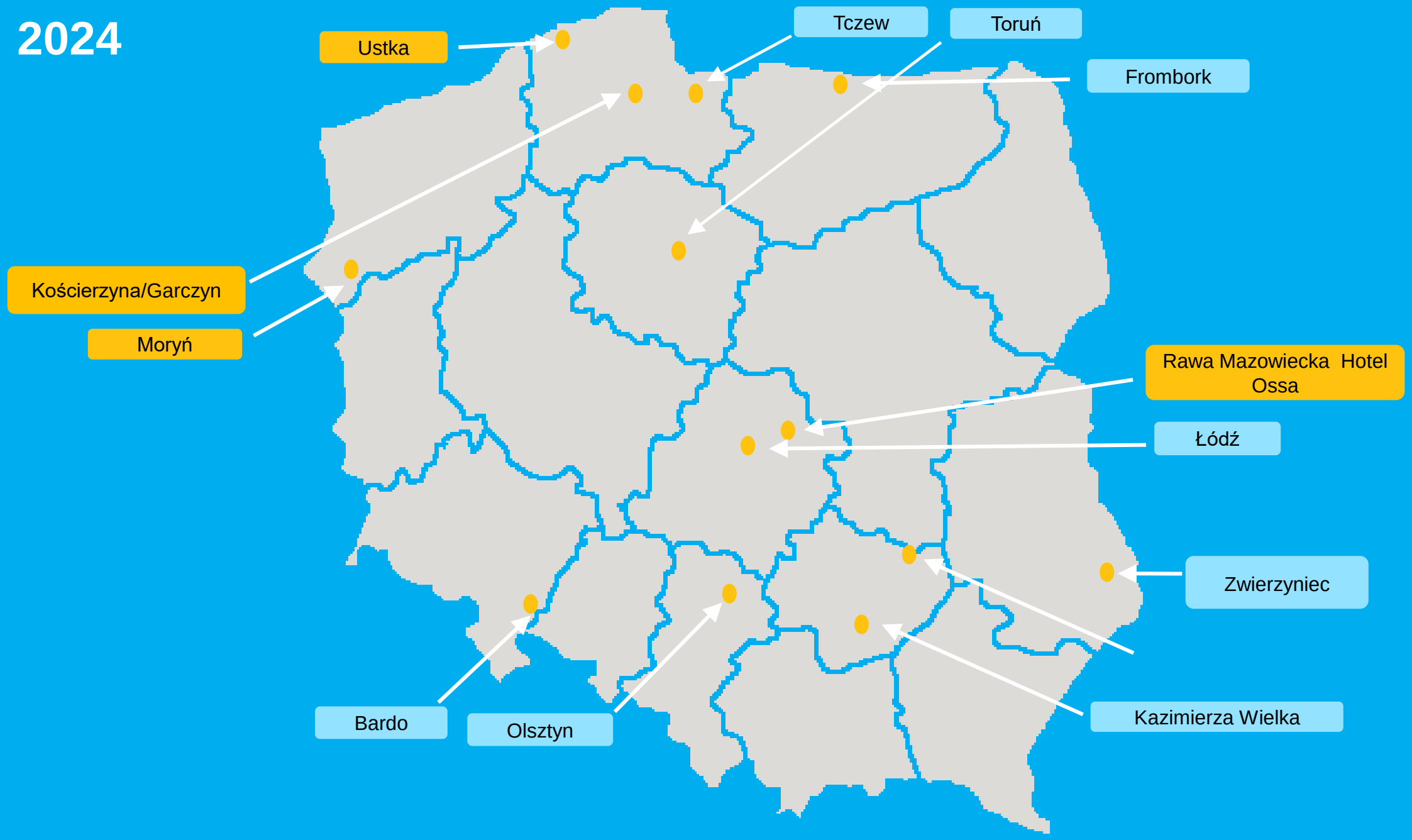

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UNICEF's work

1. Supporting the **relocation of children** evacuated from institutions to small-scale family-like residential care facilities

2. Providing adequate **support, care, and protection** to evacuated children in facilities in Poland by **strengthening the existing child protection system**

3. Supporting **cross-border dialogue**

Relocation process

Location	Agreements	Progress
Hotel Ossa	Relocation of all children (involvement of EC)	- **134 children** relocated to **12 small group homes** in Łódź municipality - ongoing search for municipalities
Other groups (Moryń, Garczyn)	Openess of GoU and GoP for relocations	Ongoing search for municipalities

Model of Łódź: Provision of services

Rental and refurbishment of houses

Consultations with Ukrainian caregivers

Approval of the house by Ukrainian authorities. Selection of children to be relocated.

Relocation

Provision of additional services

Challenges

- New partner municipalities to host evacuated children
- VAC
- Challenging behaviors
- School enrollment
- HIV cases
- Lack of IDs
- Support to care leavers

Cross-sectoral aspects

- Visits of Ukrainian authorities
- Foster care interest
- Capacity building for caregivers: workshop for 43 caregivers

Thank you

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