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Presentation for the Mine Action Support Group

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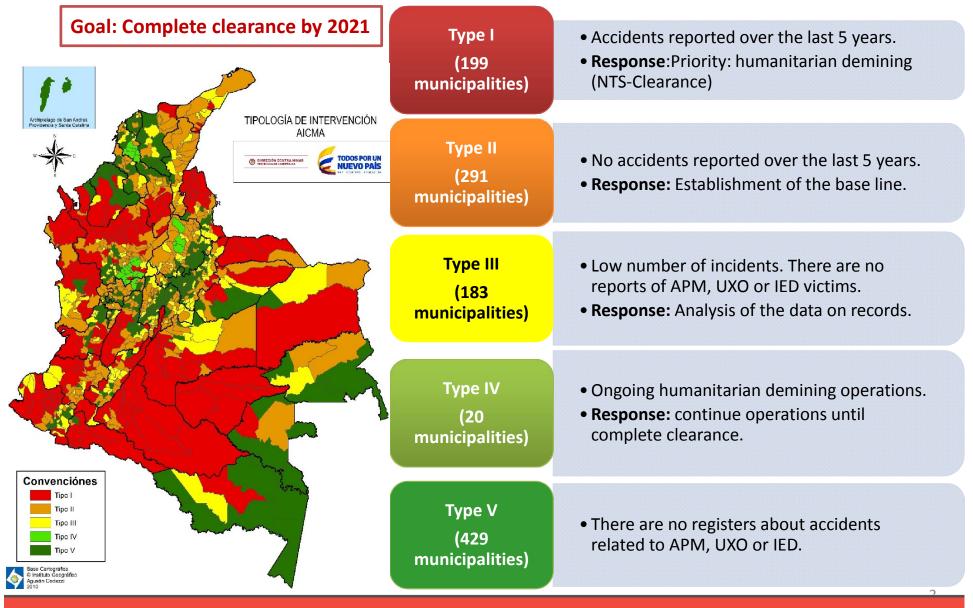


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- Context
 - Second highest number of new mine/ERW victims (217 in 2015, 59 civilians)
 - Humanitarian impacts (including displaced persons, land restitution, protection needs)
- Key Issues and Challenges:
 - Peace accord with the FARC-EP Rapid Response Plan
 - The nascent civilian humanitarian demining sector is not enough to cope with the contamination
 - Ottawa Treaty Obligation to finish clearance by 2021



Intervention plan 2016-2021.





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• UNMAS add value in cooperation with key stakeholders and donors:

- Strengthen the National Mine Action Authority
- Improve humanitarian demining framework
- Expand the humanitarian demining sector
- Financing needs:
 - Rapid Response Plan (18 months after sign peace): 15,000,000 USD
 - Colombia Mine-Free (2021): 350,000,000 USD
- Coordination Mechanisms:
 - Mine Actions Support Group (MASG); UNMAS/DAICMA Coordination of Mine Action Donors in Colombia; New Global Initiative for Humanitarian Demining
- Funding Mechanisms:
 - UNMAS Voluntary Trust Fund; UN MPTF (Rapid Response Plan); WB Trust Fund; IADB Trust Fund; EU Peace Fund; Bilateral /Direct contributions

