



2026 proforma cost estimates for short-term National UN Volunteers - 1 April 2026

MIA and foreign exchange rates accurate as of January 2026

All values in USD

Danger and Warhead Differential is not included

Global charges confirmed as of January 2026

Specialist, Expert and Associate categories include one dependent for insurance

Proforma assumes a GMS rate of 10%

Does not include UNDP security charge of 3% (5% of MIA)

\$81.86 monthly CT license fee per volunteer applies (Volunteers serving with UNV and UNDP only, is not included in proforma table)

Proforma cost components and their definition and costing methodology can be found [here](#)

For more information on how to engage UN Volunteers in implementation of UNDP programmes and projects, go to: [https://bookit.unv.org](#)

APP	Expert full time			Expert part time			Specialist			Specialist part time			Associate			Associate part time			Community full time			Community part time		
	Mission	Donor (10% GMS)	APP	Mission	Donor (10% GMS)	APP	Mission	Donor (10% GMS)	APP	Mission	Donor (10% GMS)	APP	Mission	Donor (10% GMS)	APP	Mission	Donor (10% GMS)	APP	Mission	Donor (10% GMS)	APP	Mission	Donor (10% GMS)	
																								3 months
7,889	7,810	8,787	4,108	4,613	4,519	5,714	5,885	4,377	3,041	2,970	3,394	4,621	4,515	5,187	2,475	2,416	2,768	2,521	2,461	2,813	1,385	1,349	1,545	
5,288	5,167	5,816	2,828	2,761	3,111	3,685	3,793	3,833	3,126	2,074	2,372	3,180	3,105	3,548	1,774	1,790	1,980	1,721	1,690	1,933	1,090	1,003	1,149	
8,134	7,952	8,847	4,251	4,154	4,677	5,915	5,782	6,602	3,142	3,068	3,506	4,606	4,606	5,364	2,588	2,526	2,887	2,546	2,485	2,841	1,437	1,403	1,604	
5,572	5,626	6,332	3,063	2,991	3,369	4,127	4,120	4,707	2,293	2,293	2,559	3,448	3,367	3,847	1,908	1,861	2,129	1,867	1,821	2,083	1,097	1,068	1,223	
11,293	13,042	12,627	5,931	5,099	6,434	8,122	7,880	9,120	4,201	4,122	4,766	6,611	6,462	7,179	3,090	3,090	3,895	3,498	3,368	3,848	1,888	1,841	2,107	
9,370	9,162	10,307	4,870	4,758	5,357	6,798	6,646	7,588	3,584	3,500	3,999	5,513	5,388	6,132	2,941	2,871	3,281	2,899	2,831	3,235	1,613	1,573	1,800	
7,071	6,912	7,778	3,720	3,634	4,092	5,156	5,039	5,754	2,762	2,697	3,030	4,309	4,102	4,686	2,284	2,259	2,548	2,242	2,188	2,502	1,285	1,251	1,437	
5,563	5,442	6,125	2,968	2,899	3,265	4,083	3,988	4,556	2,236	2,172	2,484	3,340	3,262	3,727	1,854	1,800	2,069	1,813	1,768	2,023	1,070	1,041	1,194	
21,317	20,850	22,435	10,643	10,603	11,927	15,332	14,994	17,153	7,852	7,675	8,762	11,340	11,067	12,773	6,354	6,211	7,092	6,313	6,170	7,045	3,320	3,243	3,705	
7,453	7,385	8,197	3,510	3,500	3,901	5,628	5,505	6,078	2,986	2,830	3,235	4,416	4,315	4,929	2,393	2,335	2,670	2,351	2,294	2,629	1,396	1,365	1,584	
11,138	10,891	12,252	5,754	5,623	6,329	8,061	7,881	8,899	4,215	4,138	4,704	6,523	6,316	7,280	3,446	3,386	3,845	3,404	3,325	3,789	1,886	1,860	2,082	
12,172	11,903	13,389	6,271	6,129	6,898	8,800	8,604	9,622	4,584	4,479	5,116	7,114	6,954	7,939	3,614	3,555	4,175	3,690	3,614	4,129	2,054	1,964	2,247	
3,206	3,131	3,526	1,787	1,743	1,966	2,995	2,938	3,273	1,582	1,546	1,742	2,590	2,541	2,920	1,179	1,148	1,316	1,138	1,108	1,269	743	711	817	
12,487	12,406	13,956	6,528	6,381	7,181	9,167	8,963	10,237	4,708	4,659	5,321	7,408	7,242	8,268	3,888	3,799	4,339	3,847	3,758	4,293	2,087	2,036	2,309	
9,370	9,162	10,307	4,870	4,758	5,357	6,798	6,646	7,588	3,584	3,500	3,999	5,513	5,388	6,132	2,941	2,871	3,281	2,899	2,831	3,235	1,613	1,573	1,800	
25,227	24,675	27,750	12,798	12,515	14,078	18,125	17,726	20,230	9,247	9,041	10,321	14,574	14,252	16,266	7,471	7,304	8,339	7,430	7,263	8,292	3,879	3,789	4,328	
8,471	8,135	9,321	4,412	4,300	4,864	6,158	6,019	6,873	2,641	2,564	2,917	3,642	3,500	4,087	2,581	2,685	2,961	2,996	2,641	2,580	2,949	1,485	1,447	
4,962	4,848	5,458	2,665	2,602	2,932	4,640	4,565	5,073	2,009	1,960	2,242	2,993	2,923	3,340	1,681	1,639	1,876	1,640	1,589	1,829	983	957	1,097	
1,664	1,579	1,800	1,016	1,067	1,218	2,222	2,258	2,658	1,038	1,046	1,202	1,734	2,352	2,379	2,511	1,310	1,276	1,461	1,269	1,234	1,415	798	775	
8,909	8,754	9,688	4,563	4,436	5,040	6,348	6,184	6,963	3,265	3,189	3,643	5,063	4,959	5,658	2,796	2,736	3,146	2,784	2,736	3,146	1,593	1,546	1,784	
6,421	6,472	7,181	3,425	3,414	3,835	4,724	4,689	5,181	2,892	2,844	3,262	4,381	4,289	4,919	2,135	2,100	2,405	2,114	2,062	2,399	1,271	1,189	1,375	
4,780	4,671	5,258	2,513	2,432	2,832	3,520	3,438	3,928	1,844	1,847	2,170	2,890	2,822	3,225	1,629	1,588	1,818	1,588	1,548	1,771	958	931	1,068	
8,134	8,189	9,213	4,172	4,272	4,810	6,028	5,951	6,795	3,229	3,153	3,603	4,944	4,832	5,518	2,657	2,593	2,964	2,615	2,553	2,928	1,471	1,434	1,641	
8,966	8,796	9,688	4,563	4,436	5,040	6,348	6,184	6,963	3,265	3,189	3,643	5,063	4,959	5,658	2,796	2,736	3,146	2,784	2,736	3,146	1,593	1,546	1,784	
4,882	4,771	5,371	2,626	2,563	2,888	3,593	3,509	4,009	1,981	1,932	2,210	2,948	2,879	3,290	1,658	1,617	1,860	1,617	1,576	1,804	972	946	1,084	
5,463	5,339	6,009	2,916	2,847	3,207	4,007	3,915	4,472	2,188	2,135	2,442	3,280	3,209	3,660	1,824	1,779	2,036	1,783	1,739	1,989	1,055	1,027	1,177	
5,714	5,584	6,254	3,200	3,130	3,540	4,438	4,360	4,862	2,286	2,232	2,542	3,384	3,312	3,824	1,809	1,760	2,017	1,760	1,712	1,962	1,022	994	1,147	
4,172	4,076	4,589	2,271	2,215	2,498	3,085	3,013	3,443	1,727	1,684	1,927	2,542	2,482	2,837	1,456	1,419	1,624	1,414	1,378	1,578	871	846	971	
5,750	5,620	6,325	3,060	2,988	3,366	4,213	4,116	4,702	2,291	2,236	2,556	3,444	3,364	3,843	1,906	1,860	2,127	1,865	1,819	2,081	1,096	1,067	1,223	
4,938	4,826	5,432	2,654	2,591	2,915	3,633	3,548	4,054	2,001	1,952	2,230	2,980	2,910	3,325	1,674	1,633	1,868	1,633	1,592	1,822	980	951	1,099	
5,454	5,330	5,945	3,043	2,981	3,345	4,093	4,018	4,521	2,042	1,993	2,271	3,020	2,949	3,364	1,842	1,798	2,044	1,798	1,756	1,984	1,034	1,005	1,159	
5,887	5,764	6,475	3,128	3,055	3,441	4,310	4,211	4,810	2,340	2,283	2,611	3,522	3,440	3,930	1,945	1,898	2,171	1,904	1,857	2,124	1,116	1,086	1,244	
10,104	9,879	11,114	5,236	5,117	5,790	7,322	7,198	8,172	3,846	3,757	4,292	5,832	5,707	6,620	3,100	3,076	3,516	3,109	3,036	3,469	1,738	1,675	1,917	
5,018	4,836	5,366	2,706	2,636	2,981	3,693	3,618	4,123	2,042	1,993	2,271	3,020	2,949	3,364	1,842	1,798	2,044	1,798	1,756	1,984	1,034	1,005	1,159	
11,167	11,876	14,483	6,768	6,616	7,445	9,150	9,039	10,613	4,960	4,827	5,512	7,692	7,560	8,724	4,025	3,913	4,490	3,884	3,862	4,446	2,136	2,013	2,405	
7,905	7,728	8,695	4,137	4,042	4,551	5,752	5,621	6,419	3,050	2,988	3,415	4,447	4,345	4,963	2,480	2,350	2,687	2,480	2,421	2,768	1,404	1,368	1,566	
4,751	4,643	5,226	2,540	2,499	2,816	3,499	3,418	3,987	2,188	2,187	2,507	3,289	3,231	3,558	1,680	1,621	1,900	1,689	1,579	1,940	1,054	1,025	1,164	
6,367	6,247	7,031	3,180	3,101	3,718	4,671	4,564	5,213	2,350	2,260	2,600	3,412	3,320	3,772	1,622	1,582	1,829	1,582	1,539	1,786	915	888	1,025	
7,821	7,645	8,603	4,095	4,000	4,504	5,692	5,563	6,352	3,030	2,959	3,382	4,627	4,521	5,184	2,498	2,438	2,827	2,456	2,398	2,741	1,392	1,356	1,553	
2,451	2,392	2,696	1,410	1,374	1,551	1,856	1,810	2,073	1,112	1,103	1,281	1,558	1,518	1,738	963	917	1,074	927	897	1,028	655	606	697	
8,100	7,919	8,919	4,842	4,844	5,491	6,909	6,838	7,898	4,519	4,442	5,069	6,897	6,787	7,848	2,578	2,536	2,897	2,536	2,489	2,842	1,493	1,464	1,688	
6,273	6,132	6,901	3,321	3,244	3,653	4,586	4,481	5,118	2,478	2,418	2,765	3,743	3,656	4,177	2,056	2,006	2,294	2,014	1,965	2,248	1,171	1,140	1,357	
8,777	8,581	9,654	4,572	4,468	5,030	6,374	6,231	7,134	3,472	3,293	3,763	5,173	5,056	5,724	2,771	2,705	3,092	2,720	2,665	3,046	1,528	1,499	1,705	
6,551	6,445	7,153	3,520	3,450	3,960	4,878	4,788	5,322	2,188	2,136	2,498	3,342	3,292	3,722	1,552	1,521	1,730	1,552	1,501	1,730	919	891	1,047	
10,761	10,521	11,837	5,566	5,438	6,122	7,791	7,617	8,896	4,080	3,986	4,553	6,305</												

SRB	Serbia	8,223	8,040	9,046	4,296	4,197	4,726	5,979	5,844	6,673	3,176	3,100	3,542	4,857	4,746	5,421	2,613	2,551	2,916	2,572	2,510	2,870	1,450	1,413	1,617
SYC	Seychelles	7,363	7,158	8,099	3,686	3,777	4,253	5,365	5,243	5,987	2,867	2,799	3,199	4,486	4,265	4,872	2,367	2,310	2,642	2,326	2,270	2,595	1,327	1,292	1,480
SEF	Sierra Leone	2,630	2,606	2,937	1,535	1,481	1,671	2,012	1,963	2,245	1,191	1,159	1,328	1,684	1,641	1,878	1,026	988	1,145	985	958	1,088	656	636	731
SVK	Slovakia	8,900	8,700	9,790	4,635	4,528	5,098	8,369	8,182	9,341	4,369	4,269	4,876	5,243	5,124	5,852	2,806	2,740	3,131	2,766	2,699	3,086	1,547	1,507	1,726
SVN	Slovenia	11,572	11,313	12,729	5,971	5,834	6,568	6,462	6,316	7,212	3,415	3,336	3,811	6,769	6,617	7,555	3,569	3,486	3,983	3,530	3,446	3,939	1,930	1,880	2,153
SIB	Solomon Islands	4,011	4,897	5,513	2,690	2,626	2,956	3,685	3,600	4,112	2,027	1,977	2,262	3,027	2,951	3,372	1,699	1,653	1,893	1,654	1,612	1,845	981	964	1,105
SOM	Somalia	4,349	4,349	4,784	2,355	2,302	2,595	3,212	3,137	3,584	1,750	1,746	1,998	2,643	2,581	2,950	1,506	1,468	1,680	1,465	1,427	1,634	896	871	999
ZAF	South Africa	7,391	7,227	8,132	3,881	3,791	4,265	5,386	5,264	6,011	2,877	2,809	3,211	4,382	4,282	4,891	2,376	2,319	2,651	2,334	2,278	2,605	1,331	1,296	1,485
SSD	South Sudan	6,618	6,469	7,280	3,284	3,412	3,843	4,833	4,723	5,394	2,601	2,539	2,902	3,940	3,849	4,397	2,154	2,102	2,404	2,113	2,062	2,358	1,220	1,188	1,361
LKA	Sri Lanka	2,978	2,908	3,276	1,671	1,632	1,841	2,231	2,179	2,491	1,301	1,267	1,451	1,860	1,814	2,075	1,114	1,085	1,241	1,071	1,044	1,197	700	679	781
KNA	St Kitts and Nevis	9,370	9,162	10,307	4,870	4,758	5,357	6,798	6,646	7,588	3,584	3,500	3,999	5,513	5,388	6,152	2,941	2,871	3,282	2,899	2,831	3,235	1,613	1,573	1,800
LCA	St Lucia	9,170	9,162	10,307	4,870	4,758	5,357	6,798	6,646	7,588	3,584	3,500	3,999	5,513	5,388	6,152	2,941	2,871	3,282	2,899	2,831	3,235	1,613	1,573	1,800
MAF	Saint Martin	5,027	4,911	5,529	2,698	2,633	2,968	3,695	3,609	4,126	2,037	1,982	2,267	3,030	2,959	3,382	1,700	1,657	1,896	1,658	1,616	1,850	981	966	1,107
VCT	St. Vincent and the Grenadines	9,370	9,162	10,307	4,870	4,758	5,357	6,798	6,646	7,588	3,584	3,500	3,999	5,513	5,388	6,152	2,941	2,871	3,282	2,899	2,831	3,235	1,613	1,573	1,800
SUD	Sudan	8,108	7,927	8,919	4,239	4,141	4,663	5,897	5,764	6,582	3,133	3,060	3,496	4,791	4,682	5,348	2,580	2,519	2,879	2,539	2,478	2,833	1,433	1,396	1,599
SUR	Suriname	1,188	1,070	1,207	2,779	2,723	3,056	3,811	3,723	4,253	2,090	2,039	2,332	3,333	3,240	3,486	1,766	1,702	1,948	1,704	1,662	1,901	1,016	988	1,133
SWE	Sweden	13,627	13,325	14,950	6,998	6,840	7,698	9,835	9,615	10,951	5,105	4,987	5,696	7,944	7,767	8,867	4,157	4,051	4,639	4,115	4,020	4,594	2,227	2,168	2,480
CHE	Switzerland	36,356	35,562	39,991	18,362	17,959	20,198	26,074	25,593	29,103	13,221	12,929	14,757	20,933	20,473	23,384	10,651	10,414	11,889	10,609	10,374	11,842	5,468	5,344	6,103
SYR	Syria	4,844	4,714	5,306	2,596	2,535	2,856	3,551	3,469	3,964	1,960	1,912	2,187	2,915	2,846	3,253	1,642	1,603	1,832	1,600	1,560	1,785	964	937	1,075
TJK	Tajikistan	3,173	3,099	3,456	1,771	1,727	1,948	2,372	2,315	2,647	1,370	1,335	1,529	1,971	1,912	2,199	1,170	1,139	1,305	1,129	1,098	1,258	728	707	812
TZA	Tanzania, United Rep. of	5,781	5,651	6,360	3,075	3,003	3,383	4,235	4,138	4,726	2,302	2,246	2,569	3,462	3,381	3,863	1,915	1,868	2,137	1,874	1,828	2,091	1,101	1,071	1,228
TWA	Thailand	8,819	8,623	9,701	4,594	4,489	5,053	6,405	6,260	7,148	3,387	3,308	3,780	5,198	5,079	5,801	2,783	2,717	3,106	2,742	2,677	3,060	1,535	1,496	1,712
TLS	Timor-Leste	4,921	4,711	5,301	2,595	2,533	2,855	3,549	3,467	3,961	1,959	1,911	2,186	2,913	2,844	3,251	1,641	1,600	1,831	1,599	1,559	1,784	983	937	1,074
TGO	Togo	4,895	4,781	5,384	2,632	2,569	2,895	3,602	3,518	4,019	1,985	1,937	2,215	2,955	2,886	3,298	1,602	1,620	1,854	1,621	1,580	1,808	974	947	1,086
TKL	Tokelau	2,451	2,392	2,696	1,410	1,374	1,551	1,856	1,810	2,071	1,117	1,083	1,241	1,558	1,518	1,738	963	937	1,074	922	897	1,028	625	606	697
TON	Tonga	4,959	4,807	5,652	2,664	2,579	3,079	4,036	3,976	4,560	1,661	1,622	1,858	2,408	2,347	2,681	1,031	1,011	1,144	1,111	1,100	1,157	646	629	716
TTD	Trinidad and Tobago	12,711	12,432	13,985	6,541	6,394	7,195	9,185	9,082	10,251	4,778	4,668	5,332	7,423	7,256	8,285	3,806	3,806	4,349	3,854	3,765	4,301	2,091	2,040	2,313
TUN	Tunisia	4,318	4,219	4,750	2,143	2,087	2,378	2,978	2,910	3,315	1,560	1,529	1,735	1,985	1,926	2,163	2,930	1,497	1,459	1,670	1,456	1,619	892	867	994
TUR	Turkiye	8,193	8,010	9,013	4,281	4,183	4,709	5,958	5,823	6,649	3,163	3,089	3,510	4,840	4,729	5,492	2,604	2,542	2,906	2,563	2,502	2,880	1,445	1,408	1,612
TKM	Turkmenistan	4,865	4,783	5,385	2,632	2,569	2,895	3,602	3,518	4,020	1,985	1,937	2,215	2,955	2,886	3,298	1,602	1,621	1,854	1,620	1,580	1,808	974	947	1,086
TCA	Turks and Caicos Islands	5,253	5,134	5,779	2,811	2,745	3,092	3,858	3,769	4,305	2,113	2,062	2,358	3,159	3,085	3,525	1,764	1,720	1,968	1,723	1,680	1,922	1,025	997	1,143
TUV	Tuvalu	2,684	2,630	2,964	1,532	1,493	1,685	2,030	1,980	2,265	1,199	1,168	1,338	1,698	1,655	1,894	1,033	1,005	1,153	992	965	1,106	640	640	735
UGA	Uganda	5,601	5,474	6,161	2,985	2,915	3,284	4,106	4,012	4,583	2,298	2,284	2,497	3,359	3,280	3,748	1,864	1,818	2,080	1,827	1,777	2,033	1,075	1,046	1,199
UKR	Ukraine	8,772	8,620	9,740	4,571	4,488	5,028	6,443	6,300	7,180	3,351	3,266	3,744	5,068	4,945	5,695	2,814	2,745	3,137	2,815	2,745	3,137	1,613	1,574	1,800
ARE	United Arab Emirates	23,572	23,055	25,929	11,970	11,705	13,167	16,942	16,570	18,910	8,656	8,462	9,661	13,627	13,326	15,210	6,998	6,841	7,810	6,957	6,800	7,764	3,642	3,558	4,064
GBR	United Kingdom	12,127	16,750	18,840	8,746	8,651	9,621	12,339	12,266	13,772	6,354	6,211	7,081	9,945	9,724	11,180	5,157	5,028	5,755	5,115	4,999	5,709	2,721	2,657	3,037
USA	United States of America	19,931	19,093	21,924	10,150	9,924	11,166	14,341	14,025	16,001	7,355	7,190	8,209	11,547	11,291	12,888	5,958	5,823	6,649	5,916	5,782	6,603	3,127	3,045	3,484
URY	Uruguay	14,423	14,103	15,865	7,397	7,229	8,137	10,406	10,175	11,615	5,887	5,765	6,013	8,399	8,211	9,374	4,384	4,283	4,892	4,342	4,243	4,846	2,335	2,279	2,605
UZB	Uzbekistan	5,213	5,092	5,734	2,793	2,723	3,072	3,827	3,738	4,271	2,098	2,047	2,341	3,135	3,062	3,499	1,752	1,709	1,955	1,710	1,668	1,908	1,019	991	1,136
VUT	Vanuatu	6,139	5,997	6,751	3,256	3,176	3,582	4,488	4,385	5,008	2,428	2,370	2,710	3,664	3,579	4,089	2,016	1,967	2,250	1,975	1,927	2,204	1,151	1,121	1,284
VEN	Venezuela	6,671	6,516	7,338	3,523	3,436	3,875	4,867	4,756	5,432	2,618	2,556	2,921	3,967	3,876	4,428	2,108	2,116	2,419	2,127	2,075	2,371	1,277	1,195	1,369
VNM	Viet Nam	4,686	4,471	5,155	2,531	2,464	2,784	3,448	3,368	3,848	1,909	1,862	2,130	2,831	2,766	3,163	1,601	1,560	1,786	1,559	1,520	1,740	941	917	1,052
YEM	Yemen	2,992	6,925	7,801	3,734	3,660	4,107	5,166	5,098	5,795	2,797	2,702	3,088	4,406	4,310	4,664	2,288	2,231	2,553	2,246	2,192	2,506	1,287	1,253	1,435
ZMB	Zambia	8,575	8,376	9,433	4,476	4,366	4,924	6,225	6,084	6,947	3,297	3,220	3,679	5,053	4,938	5,640	2,711	2,647	3,025	2,670	2,606	2,979	1,498	1,460	1,672
ZWE	Zimbabwe	7,323	7,149	8,055	3,851	3,752	4,236	5,329	5,208	5,948	2,849	2,782	3,179	4,337	4,238	4,840	2,353	2,296	2,626	2,312	2,256	2,579	1,319	1,285	1,472