



Partnering to save lives

The UPS Foundation has formed a global partnership with Gavi, the Vaccine Alliance, and Zipline, a robotics company, to conduct a 12-month pilot project in Rwanda to deliver life-saving blood, vaccines and other critical medical supplies via a drone delivery network, with potential for global expansion.



What UPS provides



Logistics

More than 100 years of logistics expertise through global distribution networks, helps ensure the success of the initiative



Healthcare expertise

Deep healthcare expertise in the areas of storing, transporting and distributing medicines, medical devices, products and supplies



Funding

The UPS Foundation is providing more than \$1 million in cash, in-kind and technical support to launch this initiative



Expansion

Through innovation, collaboration and a combination of speed and accuracy, UPS continues to deliver aid across borders

What our partnership provides



Global Health Expertise



Logistics | Expertise | Funding | Innovation



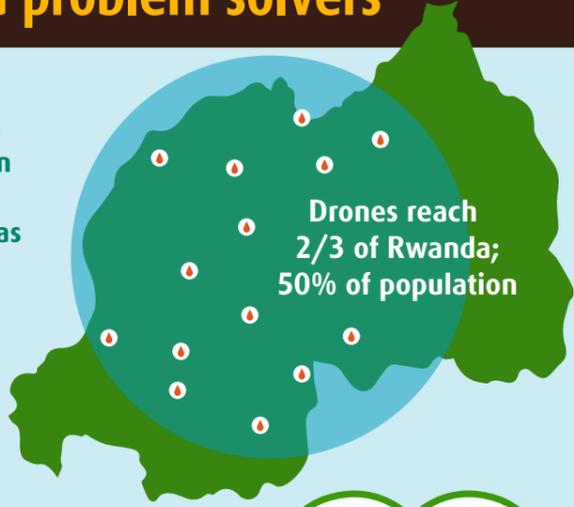
Drone technology



ups united problem solvers™

"This exciting new partnership is one that shows UPS's innovation at its best. Its application for a good cause is something that has enormous potential for other parts of UPS's global network."

Jean-Francois Condamine
UPS President, Indian subcontinent, Middle East and Africa



Why Drones?

Ministry of Health in Rwanda is dedicated to improving health outcomes for people in rural communities

Lack of available blood supplies to combat postpartum hemorrhaging contribute to high numbers of death in childbirth

Faster access to life saving vaccines for rural communities



14 health facilities



50+ deliveries per day



~6M people reached

UPS is committed to partnerships that drive positive global change

"Public-private partnerships like this one, are extremely important in solving global challenges. The UPS Foundation remains committed to exploring ways to enhance humanitarian logistics through innovation to help save lives."

Eduardo Martinez, President, The UPS Foundation