

UN wants better family planning

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(AP)—The U.N.'s top population official wants governments to do more to ensure that women have access to family planning.

The U.N. says the world will add a billion people to its current population of some 7 billion within a decade, further straining the planet's resources.

Babatunde Osotimehin, executive director of the U.N. Population Fund, says more than 220 million women in the [developing world](#) want family planning but aren't getting it.

Speaking to The Associated Press at the [World Economic Forum](#) in Davos, he said many women want to have fewer children and that "30 percent of those who die [giving birth](#) we can prevent with family planning."

He also called for providing girls with "comprehensive sexuality education."

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