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Every country in the world is affected by one or more forms of malnutrition. Combating malnutrition in all its forms is one of the greatest global health challenges. Women, infants, children, and adolescents are at particular risk of malnutrition.

Switzerland recognizes the importance of combating malnutrition among children in underserved regions as a critical aspect of global development. However, Switzerland's approach to combating malnutrition among children in underserved regions focuses on a multi-sectoral approach, integrating health, agriculture, education, and social protection systems. The Swiss government encourages partner countries to develop and implement comprehensive national strategies that address not only the immediate nutritional needs of children but also the underlying causes of malnutrition.

Moreover, Switzerland recognizes the importance of sustainable agriculture and food systems in addressing malnutrition. The country supports initiatives that promote sustainable agriculture practices, such as agroecology, which can improve food production, nutrition, and resilience to climate change. For instance, responsibility for the care and nutrition of Swiss children belongs to their parents. Children support is paid by the state to parents or orphans who do not have sufficient financial means. There are nurseries for babies and children starting from 3 months for working parents. Children who spend the whole day in nurseries and schools have breakfast and lunch schools. Switzerland has prepared a table on the nutrition of children.

In conclusion, Switzerland considers combating malnutrition among children in underserved regions as a fundamental aspect of global development. The country's approach focuses on a multi-sectoral approach, nutrition-specific interventions, sustainable agriculture, partnerships, and collaboration. By addressing the underlying causes of malnutrition and implementing comprehensive strategies, Switzerland aims to contribute to the well-being and future prospects of children in underserved regions.

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