In 2016, Guatemala exchanged 106 South-South Cooperation actions, projects and programs in progress. The bulk of the SSC initiatives (46.6%) were implemented under a regional modality; one-third under bilateral and one-fifth triangular. Guatemala acted as recipient in virtually 60% of this SSC. Indeed, in 2016, this Central American country only acted once as provider.

The South-South Cooperation received by Guatemala allowed to strengthen various capacities, in particular in the Social (Health and Other services and social policies) and Economic (Agriculture) sector. Meanwhile, as provider, it exchanged one experience geared towards Education. Although it interacted with many partners, Colombia and Mexico are worthy of note out owing to their greater relative importance. Overall, the South-South Cooperation in which Guatemala participated in 2016 contributed to the achievement of SDG 2 (Zero Hunger), SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being) and SDG 4 (Quality Education).