

FIRST 60 DAYS OF CROSS-SECTORAL COVID-19 RESPONSE EFFORTS

With gratitude to all our partners in Bosnia and Herzegovina

IMMEDIATE SUPPORT TO HEALTH SYSTEMS AND FRONTLINE WORKERS

Over 2 million items of Personal Protective Equipment delivered

close to **40,000** testing kits

15,000 face shields

20 RT-PCR machines

ECG machines, ventilators and Xray machines and non-contact thermometers

Laptops for cluster tracing provided to relevant institutes

13,400 Protective suits

3D printers for universities, high schools and youth groups in Sarajevo, Mostar, Zenica, Čitluk, Bužim, Banja Luka, Bugojno, Bihać, Cazin, Zvornik, Bosanska Krupa & Tuzla

Medical expert trainings and online classes

Real-time communication channels to international experts via set-up and peer-to-peer exchanges with medical and civil protection experts facilitated

REACHING THE MOST VULNERABLE:

Over 6,000 personal hygiene kits delivered to vulnerable communities, including Roma, persons with disabilities, women in safe houses, Healthy Ageing Centres

142 phones + tablets delivered to mental health centers and entity health ministries to ensure available psycho-social assistance

152 tablets ensured to enable participation of the most vulnerable children in online education

Internet access for online education ensured to more than 5300 primary and high school pupils

Emergency education interventions enabled with rapid **70,000 USD** for 12 Ministries of Education

To help save jobs and boost local economy domestic companies engaged in production of **1 million PPE items**

RAPID NEEDS ASSESSMENTS & ACTION

30 Rapid Needs Assessments to help strengthen health, economic and social response and recovery

BiH Covid-19 Strategic Response and Preparedness Plan completed with Ministry of Civil Affairs and relevant Health Authorities

Global Partners Platform enabled

Expert Technical Guidance and Risk Communication translated and distributed

Child protection emergency and response plan drafted and shared with key NGO partners

Online learning Platforms Guidance for safe return to schools shared with all Ministries of Education

Economic Pulse of BiH & Rapid Economic Assessment presented highlighting need for urgent and comprehensive interventions to preserve jobs, protect the most vulnerable groups and prevent economic downturn

Action plans to mitigate Covid-19 impact on women, children and older persons in progress

Socio-economic Recovery Plan in development

SOCIAL MEDIA OUTREACH AND RISK COMMUNICATION

3 communication experts deployed to relevant entity institutions

Children TV series on Covid-19 in production

Photo-challenge on coronavirus through individual lens

2 social media challenges organized for public engagement

Youth Barometer - a weekly, online talk show for youth started

Local talent engaged to address the impact of COVID-19: **109 proposals** collected via digital 'ideathon' #covIDEJA2020

Free webinars organized via IT Girls initiative #ITGirlsGoOnline

Joint Public Campaign on World Health Day

Support to youth beneficiaries' social media campaigns focused on positive storytelling of Covid-19 response and dedicated radio shows

Regional Assisted Voluntary Return and Reintegration Campaign for Migrants, specifically formulated for the COVID-19 emergency

LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND IN RECEPTION CENTERS FOR ASYLUM SEEKERS, REFUGEES AND MIGRANTS

All reception centers feature isolation areas; disinfection dispensers and tunnels; information-boards

Community briefings regular

Food distribution organized for physical distancing

Educational workshops for parents organized

Online classes for children in the centers ensured; learning materials provided

Social action such as sewing masks in family reception centers enabled

approx. **3200** beneficiaries in the **4 TRC** in Una-Sana Canton participate in a range of educational and recreational workshops

Access ensured to asylum counselling through WhatsApp, regular calls, and online forum

ENGAGING OUR PARTNERS AND BENEFICIARIES

Donor coordination briefings for international community

Assistance tracking and managing tool enabled for authorities

Positive storytelling and engagement via social media encouraged

Network of **46 Community Liaison Points (CLPs)** spread across 15 different municipalities activated for local community engagement

Youth club volunteers and platforms activated and engaged in local Covid-19 response including social media campaigns