

Provision of multi-sectoral humanitarian assistance to conflict-affected populations in Eastern Ukraine (ACCESS III)



The conflict in eastern Ukraine has already been going for 6 years. 3.4 million of people need humanitarian assistance. A lot of them don't have access to basic needs, because the conflict has damaged schools, health facilities, roads, water infrastructure. With support of EU humanitarian aid, a group of humanitarian organizations under ACCESS Consortium led by People in Need deliver multi-sectoral humanitarian assistance to the most vulnerable people in government and non-government controlled areas of eastern Ukraine since 2017.

In 2019-2020, Consortium partners have planned to support over 85,000 people affected by the hostilities on both sides of Contact Line. The multi-sectoral assistance provided by the ACCESS Consortium includes protection activities; health services including sexual and reproductive health, mental health and psychosocial support services; water, sanitation and hygiene activities; shelter rehabilitation and winterization; and multipurpose cash and vouchers to meet food and other basic needs.

Under ACCESS, ACTED provides multi-purpose cash assistance to some of the most vulnerable, and partners with IMPACT Initiatives through the REACH Initiative to conduct multi-sector needs assessment which inform the design of the overall humanitarian response in Ukraine. In 2020, ACTED will look to complement the emergency assistance it delivers under ACCESS by establishing synergies with its recovery programme and identifying/referring potential vulnerable beneficiaries with high capacity to livelihoods-oriented activities, keeping the most vulnerable under a humanitarian mandate.

The project is designed to:

- 1.increase sectoral and geographical synergies in response to emergency needs in key priority areas
- 2.support coordinated needs assessments to ensure the effective delivery of external assistance
- 3.contribute to stronger coordination among humanitarian actors
- 4.strengthen protection for highly-vulnerable groups and improve cohesion and resilience through protection mainstreaming and community mobilization
- 5.deliver joint advocacy messages to decision makers to ensure principled action and rights-based approaches



PROJECT DURATION

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PARTNERS

ACTED
IMPACT Initiatives
People in Need
Médicos del Mundo
Right to Protection
HelpAge

HUMANITARIAN NEEDS AND NUMBER OF ACCESS BENEFICIARIES PER SECTOR



3,2 M
**WATER,
SANITATION &
HYGIENE**



11,500
BENEFICIARIES



3,1 M
**PROTECTION
SUPPORT**



11,900
BENEFICIARIES



1,3 M
**HEALTH &
NUTRITION**



25,900
BENEFICIARIES



1,1 M
**FOOD
SECURITY &
LIVELIHOODS**



3, 575
BENEFICIARIES



0,3 M
**SHELTER &
NFI NEEDS**



1,900
BENEFICIARIES

ACTED/REACH ACTIVITIES



FOOD SECURITY AND BASIC NEEDS ASSISTANCE:

multi-purpose cash assistance to help vulnerable people meet their basic needs.
Planned under ACCESS III:
-1250 beneficiaries



INFORMATION MANAGEMENT:

conducting multi-sectoral needs assessments (MSNAs) to improve joint analysis.
Planned under ACCESS III:
- 1 MSNA in GCA
- 1 MSNA in NCGA



HUMANITARIAN ADVOCACY:

raising awareness of the humanitarian crisis in Eastern Ukraine.
ACTED contributes to the Advocacy and Communications activities under ACCESS through participation in the Consortium's Technical Working Groups

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