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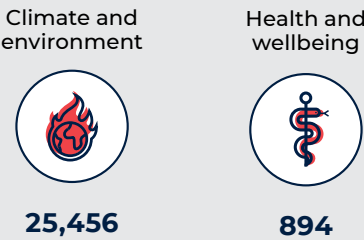


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IN SUPPORT OF THE RED CROSS SOCIETY OF SEYCHELLES



PEOPLE REACHED



FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

in Swiss francs (CHF)

Red Cross Society of Seychelles				
Overview		Funding Sources		
Funding	Not reported	IFRC Secretariat	Not reported	
Expenditure	Not reported	Participating National Societies	Not reported	
		HNS other funding sources	Not reported	

IFRC network				
Country		Funding Requirement		1M
IFRC Secretariat	Longer-term	Funding Requirement	302,000	
		Funding	80,000	
		Expenditure	Not reported	
Participating National Socie..		Funding Requirement	Not reported	
HNS other funding sources		Funding Requirement	725,000	
		Funding	Not reported	

Appeal number **MAASC001**

*Information on data scope and limitations is available on the back page

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

Climate and environment	Number of people reached with activities to address rising climate risks	25,000
	Number of people donating blood	7
	Number of people reached with contextually appropriate health services	894
Health and wellbeing	Number of people trained in first aid	413

ENABLING FUNCTIONS

Strategic and operational coordination	Number of government-led coordination platforms the National Society is part of	1
Accountability and agility	National Society has a functioning data management system that informs decision making and supports monitoring and reporting on the impact and evidence of its actions	
	National Society has a Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA) Action Plan to enforce prevention and support survivors	

Q1. OVERALL PERFORMANCE

Context

In 2025, Seychelles continued to face several environmental and public health challenges influencing the humanitarian context. Climate-related risks such as coastal erosion, flooding and extreme weather events remain significant concerns for the country, increasing the vulnerability of coastal communities and critical infrastructure. The health sector also remained an important area of attention. Communicable diseases such as HIV/AIDS, Dengue, Viral Hepatitis C and Leptospirosis continue to pose public health risks.

Key achievements

Climate and environment

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles strengthened community resilience to climate-related risks through preparedness activities, risk assessments and engagement in early warning initiatives. The National Society advanced work on climate adaptation and disaster preparedness by reviewing legal frameworks for anticipatory action, supporting community-level vulnerability assessments, engaging with government partners to formalize collaboration, and enhancing staff capacity through regional logistics and preparedness training, while continuing to advocate for resources to support the implementation of the Early Warnings for All ([EW4All](#)) initiative.

Disasters and crises

During 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles supported disaster preparedness, response and recovery efforts through relief assistance, psychosocial support, community awareness activities and contributions to disaster risk reduction and early warning initiatives. The National Society also strengthened its role in national disaster management by providing technical input to preparedness frameworks and consultations, while advancing collaboration with government authorities through discussions to formalize cooperation with the Disaster Risk Management Division and enhance coordinated emergency preparedness and response.

Health and wellbeing

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles continued to strengthen health and care services through first aid training, emergency medical support, health awareness activities and partnerships with national authorities. The National Society trained over 400 people in [first aid](#), provided ambulance and first aid services at major national events, supported medical preparedness during the FIFA Beach Soccer World Cup and the national elections, and promoted blood donation and road safety initiatives. Through close collaboration with government institutions and partners, the National Society contributed to improved community health preparedness and access to emergency care across the islands.

Values, power, and inclusion

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles continued to promote the Fundamental Principles of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement through community outreach, youth engagement and communication initiatives, including the publication of its Coup de Cœur newsletter. The National Society strengthened community participation through the revitalization of Red Cross School Clubs and advanced inclusion efforts by engaging with partners and stakeholders to better integrate vulnerable and marginalized groups into humanitarian programmes and services.

Enabling local actors

Throughout 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles strengthened its role as an auxiliary to public authorities through close collaboration with government institutions, partners and the private sector, contributing to national coordination, preparedness planning, [humanitarian diplomacy](#) and public safety initiatives, including support during the national elections. The National Society continued to build its institutional capacity through staff development, volunteer engagement, infrastructure improvements and regional technical exchanges, while enhancing its communication and visibility through media outreach, digital platforms and stakeholder engagement. Efforts to strengthen financial sustainability, operational systems and partnerships supported the delivery of humanitarian services across the islands, although challenges related to human resources, volunteer retention and the need for stronger PMER and SOP systems remain areas for further development.

Q2. CHANGES AND AMENDMENTS

During the reporting period, no major changes were made to the overall objectives, outcomes or strategic direction of the Unified Plan 2025. However, some minor adjustments were made at the activity level to accommodate operational realities. These included the reprioritization and sequencing of activities in response to logistical and infrastructural constraints, particularly linked to limited office space. As a result, certain planned activities were delayed or scaled down, with a stronger focus placed on maintaining essential service delivery and core humanitarian actions.

Operational constraints during the reporting period included limited working space, resource constraints and reliance on a small number of staff and volunteers, which affected the pace and scope of implementation. Despite these challenges, the National Society maintained continuity of its programmes and was able to achieve key planned outputs, although in some cases at a reduced scale.

Q3. MEASURING RESULTS OF THE IFRC NETWORK ACTION

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES



Climate and environment

Progress by the National Society against objectives

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles contributed to community preparedness and awareness activities related to climate hazards such as flooding, storm surges and coastal erosion. Volunteers supported community-level data collection and assessments on flood and storm surge risks, helping improve understanding of climate vulnerabilities and informing preparedness measures at community level.

The National Society continued reviewing and assessing its legal and regulatory framework to ensure compliance with national legislation, strengthen governance structures and enhance operational effectiveness. Key focus areas include ensuring alignment with national legal requirements governing humanitarian action, reviewing internal statutes and regulations to clarify governance and decision-making processes, and identifying potential legal or operational risks affecting programme implementation, volunteer management and partnerships.

As part of preparedness efforts, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles reviewed the national legal framework relevant to the implementation of the Early Action Protocol ([EAP](#)). This process aimed to identify legal provisions that support anticipatory action and rapid disaster response while highlighting potential legal gaps or constraints that could affect early action interventions. The review also helped strengthen coordination with government authorities and key stakeholders to facilitate timely and legally compliant disaster response.

In addition, the National Society initiated discussions with the Ministry of Agriculture, Climate Change and Environment to formalize collaboration through a Memorandum of Understanding. This partnership aims to strengthen joint work on adaptation of climate change, environmental resilience and disaster preparedness, contributing to improved coordination and support for vulnerable communities affected by climate-related risks.

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles serves as the lead for Pillar 4 of the Early Warning for All ([EW4All](#)) initiative, which focuses on ensuring that communities receive and act on early warnings. However, no funding has yet been allocated for this pillar, which remains a significant constraint. As the four pillars of EW4All are interdependent, the implementation of Pillar 4 depends on progress in the other pillars. Despite this challenge, the National Society continues to provide technical input and advocating for the timely mobilization of resources to enable effective implementation.

Additional capacity strengthening was provided through participation in regional logistics and preparedness training held from 19–21 May 2025 at the Indian Ocean Regional Intervention Platform (PIROI) Centre in Réunion, where one National Society logistics officer joined participants from three other countries (Madagascar, Comoros and Mayotte). The training strengthened technical capacity in procurement, warehousing and emergency logistics and provided exposure to a regional logistics platform capable of storing emergency supplies for over 25,000 people, contributing to stronger preparedness for climate-related emergencies.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC provided technical and coordination support to the Red Cross Society of Seychelles. Regular exchanges and coordination meetings strengthened collaboration between the National Society and IFRC counterparts, facilitating knowledge sharing and technical guidance on climate-related initiatives. The IFRC also provided technical guidance for the Early Warning for All ([EW4All](#)) initiative.



Disasters and crises

For real-time information on emergencies, visit IFRC GO page: [Seychelles](#).

Progress by the National Society against objectives

During the reporting period, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles supported disaster preparedness and response initiatives, including relief assistance and psychosocial support when required, while continuing to promote [disaster risk reduction](#) and [early warning](#) awareness at community level. The National Society also contributed technical expertise to national coordination mechanisms by participating in workshops and consultations related to the review of disaster management Standard Operating Procedures and other preparedness frameworks led by relevant authorities.

Close collaboration with government institutions remained a priority. In this context, the National Society initiated discussions to formalize cooperation with the Disaster Risk Management Division through a Memorandum of Understanding, which aims to strengthen coordination, clarify operational roles and enhance joint preparedness and response actions during emergencies.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC provided technical and financial support to the National Society for its interventions under disasters and crises.



Health and wellbeing

Progress by the National Society against objectives

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles continued to implement a comprehensive Health and Care Programme focused on first aid training, psychosocial support, health promotion and emergency medical services, while working closely with national authorities and partners to complement national health priorities.

A major achievement during the year was the expansion of [first aid](#) training programmes across the three main islands (Mahé, Praslin and La Digue). The National Society conducted 20 first aid training sessions, certifying 160 participants. During the second half of the year, a further 25 training sessions were organized, reaching 253 additional participants.

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles also provided first aid services and ambulance standby support at major national events and public gatherings. During the first half of the year, ambulance services were deployed on 18 occasions, while an additional 10 standby services were provided between July and December 2025. Across these interventions, more than 50 casualties were attended to across Mahé, Praslin and La Digue. The Red Cross Society of Seychelles volunteers and staff also supported large national events including the FIFA Beach Soccer World Cup,

where 5 staff assisted in providing medical support to spectators in collaboration with the Ministry of Health. Only five minor injuries were recorded during the event, demonstrating effective preparedness and response.

During the 2025 national elections, the National Society deployed 81 volunteers across polling stations nationwide to provide first aid support to voters, election officials and the general public. A command centre was established at the headquarters to coordinate operations across the islands, ensuring rapid communication and response in case of medical incidents.

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles also strengthened community health awareness and blood donation advocacy through public sensitization campaigns and partnerships with institutions such as the Seychelles Police, Seychelles Civil Aviation Authority and workplaces. Two blood drives organized during the year resulted in seven registered donors.

In addition, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles remained actively engaged in national coordination mechanisms and health-related advocacy initiatives. The National Society participated in the Road Safety Advisory Committee, advocating for the integration of first aid training for drivers and the mandatory availability of first aid kits in vehicles. The Red Cross Society of Seychelles also collaborated closely with the Ministry of Health, the Electoral Commission and the Ministry of Tourism to ensure adequate medical preparedness and first aid support for national events and public gatherings.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC provided technical assistance and capacity-strengthening support to the Red Cross Society of Seychelles in strengthening its health programming and ensuring alignment with global Red Cross and Red Crescent standards. The National Society also benefited from regional peer-learning platforms and knowledge-sharing opportunities, which facilitated the exchange of best practices in community health, first aid, and psychosocial support.



The Red Cross Society of Seychelles staff and volunteers participate in a national exhibition to raise awareness and promote disaster risk reduction and community resilience. (Photo: Red Cross Society of Seychelles)



Values, power and inclusion

Progress by the National Society against objectives

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles continued to promote the Fundamental Principles of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement through community outreach, media engagement and information sharing, including the publication of its third edition of the 'Coup de Cœur' newsletter in July 2025, which highlighted ongoing humanitarian actions and was disseminated through the National Society website and social media platforms.

Community Engagement and Accountability (CEA) and youth participation were also strengthened through activities such as the revitalization of the Red Cross School Clubs, including an information session held at the Independent School in May 2025 with 39 students expressing interest in joining the Red Cross School Club.

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles also continued its efforts to promote inclusion by engaging with stakeholders and partners working with vulnerable populations. During the reporting period, discussions were initiated with the Citizens Engagement Platform Seychelles to explore ways of integrating marginalized and vulnerable groups into the National Society's programmes, including first aid training, disaster risk reduction activities and other community-based initiatives.

In addition, the National Society participated in sessions and consultations focusing on vulnerable and marginalized populations, strengthening its understanding of emerging needs.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC provided technical and financial support to the Red Cross Society of Seychelles through the provision of tools, guidance, and opportunities for peer learning aimed at strengthening the integration of humanitarian values, protection, and inclusion across programmes. Participation in regional workshops, meetings, and information-sharing platforms enabled the Red Cross Society of Seychelles to exchange experiences with other National Societies and adopt good practices related to equity, diversity, and inclusion.

ENABLING LOCAL ACTORS



Strategic and operational coordination

IFRC membership coordination

IFRC membership coordination involves working with National Societies to assess the humanitarian context, agree on common priorities and jointly develop common strategies. This includes addressing issues such as obtaining greater humanitarian acceptance and access, mobilizing funding and other resources, clarifying consistent public messaging, and monitoring progress. It also entails ensuring that strategies and programmes in support of people in need incorporate clarity of humanitarian action while linking with development assistance and contribute to reinforcing National Societies in their respective countries, including through their auxiliary role.

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles is part of the four IFRC Pan-African initiatives focusing on Tree Planting and Care, Zero Hunger, Red Ready and National Society development.

The **French Red Cross** is a key strategic partner for the Red Cross Society of Seychelles, through the Indian Ocean Regional Intervention Platform (PIROI), which is based in La Réunion. PIROI provides a range of training courses, resources and tools for the National Societies in the Indian Ocean, and maintains emergency response capacities, in close coordination with the IFRC. PIROI also directly supports activities for disaster risk reduction in Seychelles.

Movement coordination

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles ensures regular exchanges with the IFRC, the International Committee of the Red Cross and participating National Societies, for the alignment of support and action between Movement partners. In times of emergencies, closer coordination is organized. This is carried out in line with the Strengthening Movement Coordination and Cooperation ([SMCC](#)) principles, and the newly adopted [Seville Agreement 2.0](#).

External coordination

Throughout 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles continued to reinforce its role as an auxiliary to the public authorities by strengthening coordination and collaboration with national institutions, partners and stakeholders involved in humanitarian action. The Red Cross Society of Seychelles maintained strong working relationships with key government institutions including the Ministry of Health, the Disaster Risk Management Division, the Department of Foreign Affairs, the Electoral Commission, the Ministry of Tourism and the Seychelles Land Transport Agency. Through these partnerships, the National Society contributed to national coordination mechanisms, technical consultations and preparedness planning processes.

The National Society also supported the provision of first aid services and emergency medical assistance during major public events and national processes, including the 2025 national elections, helping to ensure public safety and effective coordination with relevant authorities.

The National Society also actively participated in national coordination platforms such as the Seychelles Humanitarian Affairs Committee, chaired by the Department of Foreign Affairs, contributing to discussions on the promotion and implementation of International Humanitarian Law and shared updates on humanitarian priorities and developments within the country.

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles further strengthened collaboration with national partners and the private sector to support humanitarian activities and resource mobilization. Seychelles Credit Union provided in-kind donations of food items to support vulnerable households, while cooperation with partners such as the Mauritius Commercial Bank contributed to supporting National Society initiatives and strengthening its financial sustainability.

At the regional and international level, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles continued to engage with national international partners. The National Society participated in regional workshops and technical exchanges related to disaster risk reduction, early warning systems and climate adaptation, including events organized with partners such as UNDRR.



National Society development

Progress by the National Society against objectives

During 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles continued to strengthen its institutional capacity and organizational sustainability in line with its Strategic Plan 2023–2027. Efforts focused on staff development, strengthening governance structures, improving working conditions and expanding the National Society's operational presence across the islands.

In 2025, seven staff members successfully completed professional training programmes at the Guy Morel Institute, covering areas such as leadership, customer service excellence, professional mindset and workplace health and safety. Additional training opportunities for staff and volunteers are planned to continue strengthening organizational capacity.

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles also invested in improving its working environment and operational infrastructure. Major renovation works at the headquarters were undertaken to enhance workplace functionality, safety and accessibility. The renovation includes office restructuring and improved meeting facilities, with completion expected during the first quarter of 2026.

The National Society continues to rely on a committed workforce composed of nine staff members supported by approximately 125 volunteers who contribute to programme implementation and humanitarian activities across the islands. Initiatives such as the revitalization of the La Digue Red Cross branch and the launch of a volunteer membership drive aim to increase the number of active volunteers and expand community outreach activities.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC supports the National Society with technical assistance for design the Volunteer Engagement Campaign, including key messages, multimedia materials and digital marketing strategies. IFRC funding mechanisms such as the IFRC-ICRC National Society Investment Alliance (NSIA), the IFRC Capacity Building Fund (CBF), and the Empress Shoken Fund are utilized for National Society development initiatives.



Humanitarian diplomacy

Progress by the National Society against objectives

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles continued to strengthen its communication and humanitarian diplomacy efforts to enhance public awareness, promote humanitarian values and reinforce the visibility of the National Society's role in supporting vulnerable communities. Communication activities focused on increasing outreach through media engagement, public information campaigns and digital platforms.

During the reporting period, the National Society disseminated information on its activities through press releases, media interviews and social media platforms. Key humanitarian events and initiatives were promoted through the national media, including activities related to World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day and World Blood Donor Day. Communication materials such as flyers and awareness messages were shared through the National Society website and social media channels.

The National Society also published the third edition of the 'Coup de Cœur' newsletter in July 2025, which highlighted its recent humanitarian activities and achievements. The newsletter was disseminated among staff, volunteers and partners and made available through the Red Cross Society of Seychelles website to improve transparency and engagement with stakeholders.

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles also engaged with national authorities and partners through advocacy and participation in national platforms addressing humanitarian and social issues. Through its participation in national committees and stakeholder meetings, the National Society continued to promote the Fundamental Principles of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and advocate for stronger integration of humanitarian considerations in national policies and programmes.

In addition, the National Society's communication efforts supported the visibility of operational activities such as regional trainings, community initiatives and humanitarian assistance programmes.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC supported the Red Cross Society of Seychelles leadership to position the National Society as a national humanitarian leader aligned with the IFRC principles.



Accountability and agility (cross-cutting)

Progress by the National Society against objectives

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles invested in building staff competencies and improving workplace conditions. A total of seven staff members completed professional training programmes during the first half of the year, focusing on leadership, professional development, customer service and health and safety. Additional training for staff and volunteers was also conducted during the second half of the year, reinforcing continuous learning and organizational capacity. Efforts were also made to improve staff working conditions through the ongoing renovation of the National Society headquarters, although this resulted in temporary logistical constraints due to staff relocation.

The Red Cross Society of Seychelles also maintained efforts to ensure financial accountability and transparency, including proper financial reporting and management of resources. Income-generating activities, such as first aid training and ambulance services, contributed to supporting operational costs and strengthening financial sustainability. Partnerships with local organizations also provided in-kind support, complementing available resources and enabling continued service delivery.

In terms of risk management and operational systems, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles continued to identify and address operational risks related to limited human resources, volunteer retention and infrastructure constraints. While progress has been made, the absence of fully developed Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) and structured systems for planning, monitoring, evaluation and reporting (PMER) remains a key gap. Strengthening these systems is essential to improve programme oversight, accountability and evidence-based decision-making.

The National Society participated in regional training initiatives, improving knowledge in procurement, warehousing and emergency logistics. It also ensured appropriate measures during major public events and operations, including coordinated deployments and the establishment of command structures during activities such as national elections, helping ensure safe and well-managed operations.

In the area of digital transformation and communication, the National Society continued to utilize digital platforms such as its website and social media channels to disseminate information and engage with the public. While innovation efforts remain at an early stage, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles has demonstrated adaptive approaches in programme implementation, including strengthening partnerships, improving service delivery models and engaging volunteers in new ways.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC supported the Red Cross Society of Seychelles in effective implementation of its programmes and activities.

Q4. AFFECTED PERSONS (PEOPLE REACHED)

See cover pages

Q5. PARTICIPATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY FOR AFFECTED PEOPLE – COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY

See Strategic Priority on 'Values, power and inclusion' under Q3: MEASURING RESULTS OF THE IFRC NETWORK ACTION

Q6. RISK MANAGEMENT

This information is not available in Annual Reports

Q7. EXIT STRATEGY AND SUSTAINABILITY

See Strategic Priorities or Enabling Local Actors, where relevant under Q3: MEASURING RESULTS OF THE IFRC NETWORK ACTION

Q8. LESSONS LEARNED

- The National Society successfully implemented a range of activities, including community health programmes, first aid training and disaster preparedness initiatives, however, the absence of a structured Monitoring and Evaluation framework limited the ability to systematically measure impact and document outcomes. Moving forward, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles plans to establish clearer monitoring tools and reporting mechanisms to support evidence-based planning and improve programme performance
- Another lesson concerns the need for stronger community feedback mechanisms. Although the National Society maintains regular engagement with communities through consultations, outreach activities and volunteer networks, feedback from communities is currently collected through informal channels. This experience highlighted the importance of establishing a more structured Community Engagement and Accountability (CEA) system to ensure that community perspectives are systematically captured and integrated into programme planning and implementation

- The year also demonstrated the value of strong partnerships with government institutions and local stakeholders. Collaboration with ministries, national agencies and private sector partners facilitated the delivery of activities such as first aid services during major public events and community preparedness initiatives
- At the operational level, Red Cross Society of Seychelles learned that human resource capacity and volunteer management remain critical for effective programme implementation. While the National Society benefits from a committed volunteer network, challenges related to volunteer availability and retention highlighted the need for stronger volunteer management systems, improved training opportunities and recognition mechanisms to maintain engagement

SUCCESS STORIES



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Red Cross volunteers ensure safe national elections

During the 2025 Presidential and District Elections, the Red Cross Society of Seychelles played a vital humanitarian role by providing first aid and emergency support to voters, election officials, and members of the public across the country. A total of 81 volunteers and staff were deployed to polling stations in Mahé, Praslin, and La Digue to provide standby medical assistance throughout the electoral process.

To support the operation, a coordination command centre was established at the National Society headquarters to facilitate real-time communication between teams across the islands. Prior to the elections, volunteers received refresher training in first aid, safety procedures, and evacuation protocols, ensuring they were well prepared to respond to emergencies.

The successful operation demonstrated the National Society's capacity to rapidly mobilize volunteers and reinforced public confidence in its role as a trusted humanitarian partner supporting community safety during a major national event.

ANNEX 1. IFRC APPLICATION OF THE 8+3 REPORTING TEMPLATE

The IFRC network structures its result-based management along five Strategic priorities and four Enabling functions, developed based on the IFRC network's [Strategy 2030](#):

IFRC network Strategic Priorities	IFRC network Enabling Functions
SP 1 - Climate and environment	EF 1- Strategic and operational coordination
SP 2 - Disasters and crises	EF 2 - National Society development
SP 3 - Health and wellbeing	EF 3 - Humanitarian diplomacy
SP 4 - Migration and displacement	EF 4 - Accountability and agility
SP 5 - Values, power and inclusion	

The Federation-wide results matrix provides a standard way for the IFRC network to measure its progress towards Strategy 2030 implementation and supports consistent quality of the IFRC network planning, monitoring and reporting. To further advance coherence in monitoring across the IFRC network, a [Federation-wide Indicator Bank](#) has been developed and integrated into the Federation-wide monitoring systems for emergencies and longer-term work, structured along the Federation-wide results matrix as well. Signatory of the Grand Bargain Agreement, the IFRC has committed to its monitoring and reporting standards through integration of the 8+3 reporting template contents into its results-based management approach. The following mapping demonstrate the way in which this report aligns with 8+3 reporting:

8+3 template	IFRC network Annual Report (with variance in structure in red)
Core Questions	
1. Overall Performance	Overall Performance
2. Changes and Amendments	Changes and amendments
3. Measuring Results	Measuring Results
4. Affected Persons	Cover pages with indicators values
5. Participation & AAP	Under Q3 Strategic Priority 5: Values, power and inclusion – Community Engagement and Accountability
6. Risk management	Risk management
7. Exit Strategy and Sustainability	Under Q3 sub-sections by Strategic Priority/Enabling Function where relevant
8. Lessons Learned	Lessons learned
Additional Questions	
1. Value for Money/ Cost Effectiveness	Not included in annual reports
2. Visibility	Not included in annual reports
3. Coordination	Under Q3 Enabling Function 1: Strategic and operational coordination
4. Implementing Partners	Cross-cutting, with a focus on support to localization through the Q3 Enabling Functions 1 to 4
5. Activities or Steps Towards implementation	Cross-cutting in Q3 Strategic Priorities and Enabling Functions
6. Environment	Under Q3 Strategic Priority 1: Climate and environment



The International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC)

is the world's largest humanitarian network, with 191 National Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies and around 15 million volunteers. Our volunteers are present in communities before, during and after a crisis or disaster. We work in the most hard to reach and complex settings in the world, saving lives and promoting human dignity. We support communities to become stronger and more resilient places where people can live safe and healthy lives, and have opportunities to thrive.

DATA SCOPE AND LIMITATIONS

- **Timeframe and alignment:** The reporting timeframe for this overview is covering the period from 1 January to 31 December 2025. However, due to the diversity of the IFRC and differences in fiscal years, this coverage may not fully align for some National Societies.
- **Financial overview:** This overview consolidates data reported by the National Society and its IFRC network partners, as well as data extracted from IFRC's financial systems. All reported figures should include the administrative and operational costs of the different entities. The financial data with a grey background is solely reported by the National Society, including the funding sources. Financial reporting is often times estimated depending on availability of financial figures, closing of financial periods, and may be incomplete. 'Not reported' could sometimes mean 'not applicable'. Also note that funding requirements are already reflected in the published 2025 IFRC network country plan. The total funding requirements show what the IFRC network has sought to raise for the given year through different channels: funding through the IFRC, through participating National Societies as bilateral support, and through the host National Society from non-IFRC network sources. All figures should include the administrative and operational costs of the different entities.
 - » Host National Society funding requirements not coming from IFRC network sources can comprise a variety of sources, as demonstrated when reporting on income in the IFRC Federation-wide Databank and Reporting System
 - » Participating National Society funding requirements for bilateral support are those validated by respective headquarters, and often represent mainly secured funding
 - » IFRC funding requirements comprise both what is sourced from the IFRC core budget and what is sought through emergency and thematic funding. This includes participating National Societies' multilateral support through IFRC, and all other IFRC sources of funding
- **Missing data and breakdowns:** National Societies have diverse data collection systems and processes that may not align with the standardized indicators. Data may not be available for some indicators, for some National Societies. This may lead to inconsistencies across different reporting tools as well as potential under or over-estimation of the efforts led by all.
- **Reporting bias:** The data informing this Federation-wide overview is self-reported by each National Society (or its designated support entity) which is the owner and gatekeeper, and responsible for accuracy and updating. IFRC tries to triangulate the data provided by the National Societies with previous data and other data in the public domain.
- **Definitions:**
 - » **Local units:** ALL subdivisions of a National Society that coordinate and deliver services to people. These include ALL levels (provincial, state, city, district branches, sections or chapters, headquarters, and regional and intermediate offices, as well as community-based units)
 - » **Branches:** A Branch has its roles, responsibilities and relationship with the National Headquarters defined through the National Society's Statutes, including the level of autonomy given, especially in the area of its legal status, mobilising local resources and building local partnerships, and the decisions it makes. It has a local-level decision-making mechanism through its Branch members, board and volunteers, equally defined through the National Society's Statutes

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- [SC_Seychelles AR Financials.pdf](#) (Note: This financial report link will be fed upon the completion of the audit.)
- [IFRC network country plans](#)
- [Subscribe for updates](#)
- [Live Disaster Response Emergency Fund \(DREF\) data](#)
- Operational information: [IFRC GO platform](#)
- National Society data: [IFRC Federation-wide Databank and Reporting System](#)
- [Evaluations database](#)

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