



TANZANIA



2025 IFRC network country plan **extract**

Year Funding Requirement **CHF 5.50M**

3 January 2025

In support of the Tanzania Red Cross Society



31

National Society branches



1,575

National Society local units



445

National Society staff



323,393

National Society volunteers

People to be reached



75,000

Climate and environment



50,000

Disasters and crises



600,000

Health and wellbeing



15,000

Values, power and inclusion

IFRC network multi-year focus

Longer term needs

- Disaster risk reduction
 - Anticipatory action
- Epidemic and pandemic preparedness and response
- Protracted displacement-related needs
 - Livelihoods
 - Climate change adaptation

Capacity development

- Partnerships
- Financial sustainability
- Branch development
 - Youth engagement
 - Digital transformation
- Internal systems strengthening

Key country data links

INFORM Severity rating

Medium

INFORM Climate Change Risk Index

Medium

Human Development Index rank

167

World Bank Population figure

67.4M

World Bank Population below poverty line

26.4%

Hazards



Food insecurity



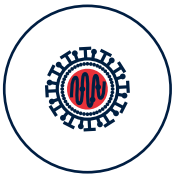
Floods



Droughts



Storms



Disease outbreaks

Funding requirements

2025

Total 5.50M CHF



Participating National Societies

American Red Cross

Finnish Red Cross

Italian Red Cross

Japanese Red Cross Society*

Red Cross of Monaco*

Spanish Red Cross

**National Societies which have contributed only multilaterally through the IFRC in the first half of 2024.*

IFRC Appeal codes

Longer-term needs:

MAATZ002

See back page for explanatory note on funding requirements

Participating National Societies bilateral support for 2025

National Society name	Funding Requirement	Climate	Disasters and crises	Health and wellbeing	Migration	Values, power and inclusion	Enabling local actors
American Red Cross		●					●
Finnish Red Cross	100,000	●	●				●
Italian Red Cross	98,000	●	●				●
Spanish Red Cross				●			●

Total Funding requirement **CHF 198,000**



Tanzania Red Cross Society volunteer raising community awareness about epidemic disease prevention in Bukoka, 16 March 2023.
(Photo: Tanzania Red Cross Society)

NATIONAL SOCIETY PROFILE

As per 2024 Plan. To be updated in full 2025 Plan, as per need

Established in 1962, the **Tanzania Red Cross Society** is a voluntary and independent humanitarian organization which acts as an auxiliary to the public authorities during periods of crises and peace. It was admitted to the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) in 1963. Today, it has a network of more than 700 branches and sub-branches, 445 staff, and more than 300,000 volunteers. Since its formation, the National Society has gained the trust and respect from the Government which has enabled it to become one of the preferred disaster response partners in Tanzania.

The National Society is a first responder in emergencies and its staff and volunteers are regularly engaged in search and rescue operations, the provision of first aid (including psychological first aid), pre-hospital care and medical evacuations, and the safe and dignified management of the dead. The staff of the National Society also provide psychosocial support to affected people. To date, the National Society remains a key operator in the ongoing refugee operation in Western Tanzania.

In the past four years, the National Society has conducted a number of self-assessment exercises, including the organizational capacity assessment and certification (OCAC),

which was vital for the National Society to assess its own capacity to exist, organize, relate, mobilize, perform and grow. Other complementary self-assessment exercises carried out by the National Society were the Safer Access Framework and the Preparedness for Effective Response (PER). The Tanzania Red Cross Society has determined its priorities for developing and improving its general performance and relevance in Tanzania. Along with the improvement of its legal base, review of its constitution, updating its policies and manuals, the National Society has set up a 600 square metre warehouse in central Tanzania (Dodoma) and a stock of essential household items for more than 1,500 families in the region. The National Society has also embarked on the modern first aid training which has been accredited by the International First Aid Accreditation (IFAA), making the Tanzania Red Cross Society the first National Society in Africa to acquire an IFAA accreditation. As of 2023, the National Society has 75 first aid trainers and three master trainers, along with modern first aid training materials.

In 2022, the National Society reached more than 210,000 Tanzanian people through its long-term services and development programmes and 18,000 people by its disaster response and early recovery programmes over time.



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 16 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.

About the plan

This extract will be replaced by the full plan soon.

The plan reflects the priorities of the host National Society, the IFRC and National Societies providing international support, for 2025 and subsequent years. It is aligned with IFRC [Strategy 2030](#), representing the collective ambitions of the IFRC membership, and is the result of a joint planning process and will serve for joint monitoring and reporting. It will be revised on an annual basis to adjust priorities and funding requirements to the needs in-country.

Explanatory note on funding requirements

- The total funding requirements show what the IFRC network seeks 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
- Figures for the years beyond 2025 most often represent partial requirements that are known at time of publication. Many National Societies have annual internal approval processes for funding requirements, and lower figures do not mean a decrease in funding requirements in future years
- Missing data and breakdowns: data may not be available from all IFRC network members for funding requirements. This may lead to inconsistencies across different reporting tools as well as potential under-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

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- [Live Disaster Response Emergency Fund \(DREF\)](#) data
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- National Society data: [IFRC Federation-wide Databank and Reporting System](#)
- [Evaluations database](#)

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