



TÜRKİYE

2025 IFRC network country plan



Funding Requirement **CHF 97.1M**

25 March 2025

In support of the Turkish Red Crescent



513

National Society
branches



1,806

National Society
local units



12,580

National Society
staff



380,450

National Society
volunteers

People to be reached



100,000

Ongoing
emergency
operations



52,000

Climate and
environment



1.4M

Disasters
and crises



600,000

Health and
wellbeing



400,000

Migration and
displacement



815,000

Values, power
and inclusion

IFRC network multi-year focus

Emergency response

- Earthquake

Longer-term needs

- Migration and displacements • Earthquake recovery • Disaster preparedness • Public Health
- Climate change adaptation
- Disaster Risk Reduction and Resilience

Capacity development

- Humanitarian diplomacy
 - Communications
 - Digital Innovation
 - Income generation

Key country data links

INFORM Severity rating **High**

INFORM Climate Change Risk Index **Medium**

Human Development Index rank **45**

World Bank Population figure **87.5M**

World Bank Population below poverty line **14.4%**

IFRC Country Delegation Türkiye, Ankara

Hazards



Earthquakes



Population movement



Floods



Landslides



Forest fires

Funding requirements

Total 97.1M CHF

Through Participating National Societies



→ **12.3M CHF**

Through the IFRC



84.8M CHF

IFRC Breakdown

Ongoing emergency operations

10M CHF

Longer term needs

3M CHF

Climate and environment

39.3M CHF

Disasters and crises

5M CHF

Health and wellbeing

23.6M CHF

Migration and displacement

950,000 CHF

Values, power & inclusion

3M CHF

Enabling local actors

Participating National Societies

American Red Cross*

Austrian Red Cross*

Belgian Red Cross (Flanders)*

Belgian Red Cross (Francophone)*

British Red Cross

Canadian Red Cross Society*

German Red Cross

Italian Red Cross*

Japanese Red Cross Society

The Republic of Korea National Red Cross

The Netherlands Red Cross*

New Zealand Red Cross*

Swiss Red Cross*

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

IFRC Appeal codes

Emergency Appeal:

MDRTR004 Türkiye Earthquake

Longer-term needs:

MAATR002

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
British Red Cross	5.9M				●		
German Red Cross	1M		●	●	●		●
Japanese Red Cross Society	1.3M			●			
The Republic of Korea National Red Cross	4M		●	●	●		

Total Funding requirement **CHF 12.3M**



The Turkish Red Crescent has deployed more than 4,000 staff and volunteers in response to the 6 Feb 2023 earthquakes. (Photo: Turkish Red Crescent)

NATIONAL SOCIETY PROFILE

The **Turkish Red Crescent (Türk Kızılay)**, established in 1868, is the largest humanitarian organization in the country. As an auxiliary to the public authorities in humanitarian services, the National Society provides aid for vulnerable people in need during disasters and non-emergency contexts, as it did in the aftermath of the Kahramanmaraş earthquakes in 2023 through the emergency appeal. The Turkish Red Crescent provided emergency response and mid-term recovery support under the emergency appeal. Upon closing of the emergency appeal in 2025, the Turkish Red Crescent will continue to support the affected population for long-term recovery under this country plan.

The Turkish Red Crescent uses its extensive in-country assets, human resources and government and civil society relations for the effective and efficient implementation of activities across all sectors. This includes disaster management as well as social, migration and blood services. The Turkish Red Crescent was admitted to the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) in 1930.

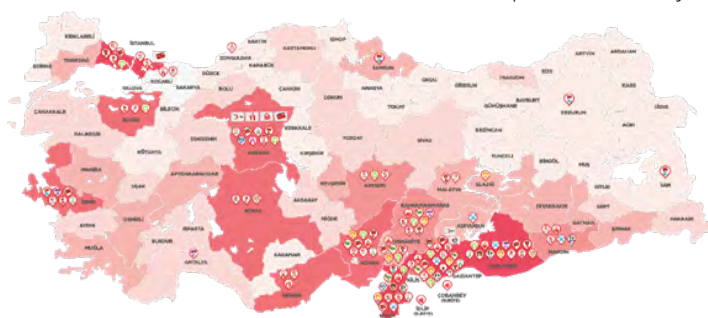
The Turkish Red Crescent's vision is to serve as a model in humanitarian aid services in Türkiye and around the world, and to stand by people in their most challenging times. Prepared with the contributions of all stakeholders, the Turkish Red Crescent Strategic Plan for 2021–2030 comprises a total of 11 goals to reinforce social resilience and develop strong governance and institutional trust. The National Society strives towards eliminating hunger and poverty in society, helping migrants, promoting healthy ageing, meeting blood needs sufficiently, developing resilience against natural hazards and human-made disasters and creating a more viable environment with better access to education. It also seeks to improve stakeholder relations and financial sustainability.

Looking ahead, the Turkish Red Crescent is aiming to expand its impact and leadership in humanitarian and development efforts, guided by an ambitious vision for 2025 and beyond. The National Society aims to enhance its capacity to respond to evolving crises and long-term needs by integrating innovative approaches and scaling up community-driven solutions. Building on its legacy, the Turkish Red Crescent will prioritize

socio-economic empowerment and resilience-building through its extensive network of community centers, focusing on health, protection, livelihoods and inclusive social services. The National Society will strengthen its flagship Kizilaykart Platform, leveraging advanced digital tools and innovative payment methods to provide cash assistance more efficiently to vulnerable populations, including migrants and host communities. The Turkish Red Crescent will continue to respond to the needs and specific challenges of the migrant population, drawing on its extensive experience and adapting to the evolving context in neighboring countries. With over a decade of expertise in migration response, the National Society will expand its support for migrants through targeted initiatives that address protection, health and livelihood needs while fostering social cohesion with host communities. By proactively engaging in regional coordination and maintaining flexibility to address emerging migration trends, the Turkish Red Crescent remains committed to ensuring dignified, inclusive and sustainable solutions for those affected by displacement.

Key initiatives include integrating climate-smart recovery strategies, expanding mental health and psychosocial support services, and fostering sustainable development through localized solutions. As part of its commitment to modernization, the Turkish Red Crescent will implement advanced data analytics, streamline disaster preparedness and enhance response mechanisms, including establishing a humanitarian logistics hub at Istanbul Airport to ensure rapid aid delivery. Collaboration remains central to the National Society's approach, with plans to deepen partnerships with international, governmental and private sector actors while driving localized responses and global knowledge exchange. Through these initiatives, the Turkish Red Crescent is committed to transforming humanitarian action, supporting recovery and empowering communities to thrive in the face of complex challenges, reaffirming its role as a leader in the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement.

In 2022, the Turkish Red Crescent reached over 33 million people with long term services and development programmes, whereas close to five million people were reached through its disaster response and early recovery programmes.



The provincial branches of the Turkish Red Crescent

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IFRC NETWORK ACTION

JOINT SITUATIONAL ANALYSIS

With a population of more than 85 million, Türkiye is an upper middle-income country and is highly vulnerable to natural hazards such as earthquakes, landslides, floods, and forest fires. More than 95 per cent of the country lies in some of the most active earthquake and landslide regions in the world. At the outset of 2023, devastating earthquakes caused widespread damage in southern Türkiye. In the wake of the catastrophic earthquakes that hit Türkiye, the nation is facing an escalating humanitarian crisis as the needs on the ground continue to grow. The earthquakes and its subsequent aftershocks have caused extensive devastation in both urban and rural areas. Nearly 16 million people have been affected and approximately 9.1 million people stand as direct witnesses to these earthquakes. This catastrophe resulted in the loss of over 50 thousand lives and the internal displacement of more than three million individuals. As per 2024 data, 675,291 people were seeking shelter in the container cities established shortly after the earthquakes. While new housing is under construction and alternate shelter solutions are being explored, the state of displacement is increasingly prolonged.

Türkiye has been hosting the most migrants in the world. According to statistics provided by the Presidency of Migration Management, as of 2024, more than 2.9 million Syrians under temporary protection status are residing in Türkiye. A sizeable number of migrants with international protection status from other countries, such as Ukraine, Afghanistan, Iraq, Iran and Somalia, are also housed in Türkiye. Over 1.8 million migrants live in the earthquake-affected area, roughly half of whom are women and girls when the number of foreign residents in the earthquake-affected region is considered. The disaster has put even more pressure on both migrant populations and host communities, stretching capacities.

Climate change is expected to contribute to an increase in average temperature, which will negatively affect water and soil resources that are crucial for food production. Wildfires in the Mediterranean region saw heightened activity in 2021. These problems are likely to cause further distress to Türkiye's entire population and have a particularly negative impact on the vulnerability of migrants living in the country.

Türkiye has been experiencing an economic crisis for the past years, and it has worsened significantly since the COVID-19 pandemic, and the conflict in Ukraine.



Volunteer teams from the Turkish Red Crescent in Agri began preparing hot meals, turning winter's chill into warmth, with each meal box carrying stories and heartfelt connections in January 2025. (Photo: Turkish Red Crescent)

ONGOING EMERGENCY RESPONSE

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Name	Türkiye Earthquakes
IFRC Appeal number	MDRTR004
Duration	25 months (7 Feb 2023 – 28 Feb 2025)
People to be assisted	100,000 people
Funding requirements	CHF 10 M IFRC CHF 32 M Federation-wide
Emergency Appeal	Revised Emergency Appeal
Operational Strategy	Revised Operational Strategy
Latest operation update	Operation Update No. 7

On 6 February 2023, a devastating 7.7 magnitude earthquake struck southeast Türkiye, followed by numerous aftershocks, including a 7.6 magnitude quake the next day. A 6.4 magnitude earthquake hit again on 20 February in Hatay province, adding to the destruction. Over 24,000 tremors were recorded, and by 5 April 2023, the death toll reached 50,096, with over 107,000 injured. The earthquake displaced around three million people, including more than half a million who were evacuated. More than 500,000 buildings were damaged, with almost 265,000 completely collapsed or severely damaged. A total of 17 provinces were impacted, affecting an estimated 9.1 million people.

The Turkish authorities, led by the Disaster and Emergency Management Presidency (AFAD), coordinated the response, with the Turkish Red Crescent playing a pivotal role. From the onset, the Turkish Red Crescent launched comprehensive relief operations, providing vital support in sectors such as health, shelter, transportation and psychosocial assistance. The IFRC activated its Disaster Response Emergency Fund ([DREF](#)) and launched an Emergency Appeal, mobilizing surge personnel to support the operation. The Turkish Red Crescent and the IFRC jointly set up an operational base in Gaziantep to enhance coordination.

Short description of the emergency operational strategy

The IFRC's emergency appeal is addressing the immediate and early recovery needs of 300,000 people. The revised operational strategy emphasizes food security, cash assistance, mental health and psychosocial support ([MHPSS](#)), livelihoods

and protection. As recovery efforts progress, the mass food distribution largely concluded by August 2023, continuing in the most affected areas such as Hatay. New recovery activities include providing fully furnished containers for [shelter](#), [cash assistance](#) for food and health, support for livelihoods and small businesses and expanded [WASH](#) services. Six community centres will be established to support affected communities in various provinces, offering cash, livelihoods, [protection](#), WASH and health services.

The emergency appeal for the 2023 earthquakes will continue until February 2025, providing ongoing support to affected communities. In collaboration with the IFRC, a comprehensive recovery strategy was established in late 2023, with continuous revisions based on assessments and community feedback. The focus during the appeal period is to assist vulnerable populations through a multi-purpose cash assistance programme, enabling families to meet basic needs and promoting self-reliance. The Turkish Red Crescent is also supporting the recovery of affected farmers and businesses to aid long-term economic recovery.

The appeal has raised over CHF 150 million, with more than 90 per cent of the funds allocated to programming for 2023 and 2024. The remaining funds will be used for long-term activities, strengthening the National Society's capacity for future crises and supporting future planning. This strategy ensures a seamless transition to long-term programming and continued support for the communities, with the goal of building sustainable recovery and self-reliance for those affected by the earthquakes.

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES



Climate and environment

Climate change studies in Türkiye report that there is likely to be a decrease in rainfall, a rise in extreme weather events and average temperature increases of 1.5–4°C degrees by 2070. According to [Türkiye's National Climate Change Adaptation Strategy and Action Plan](#), temperature increases could be reaching up to 5°C in inner regions and up to 4°C in the Aegean and Eastern Anatolia. Such factors will contribute to a more arid climate with a higher propensity for weather-related disasters. These changes are not evenly distributed across the country. Higher temperatures are predicted for the west and southwest, with less rainfall in regions with a Mediterranean climate and more rainfall and flooding along the Black Sea coast. The most extreme effects of climate change are predicted, and already observed, to be along the western coastline where much of the population lives. These changes pose serious threats to water and soil resources, crucial for food production and security, especially in rural areas. It is projected that 50 per cent of surface waters in the Gediz and Greater Menderes Basins could be lost by the century's end.

According to [Türkiye's National Climate Change Adaptation Strategy and Action Plan](#), which entered into force in May 2010, Türkiye's national vision within the scope of climate change is to integrate climate change policies within development policies, to expand energy efficiency, to increase the use of clean and renewable energy resources, to support the fight against climate change and to be a country that can offer energy with low carbon intensity.

Multi-year high level objectives of the National Society

The Turkish Red Crescent has defined a set of multi-year objectives to tackle climate change and environmental challenges in Türkiye covering ambitious institutional and programmatic developments, in line with the urgency of the climate and environmental crisis. Key objectives include to:

- Strengthen collaboration with the Red Cross Red Crescent [Climate Centre](#)
- Develop and implement community-driven climate change adaptation and environmental protection projects

Planned activities in 2025

- Raise awareness at the community level with the help of branches and [community centres](#)

- Apply procedures to conform to environmental protection requirements in day-to-day work
- Mainstream environmental protection as an integral part of project and programme implementation, particularly in socio-economic empowerment and community resilience programming
- Organize workshops and working groups to promote green initiatives and protective measures
- Set up a Logistics Hub at Istanbul Airport, specialized in greener solutions for disaster response and humanitarian work
- Inform local institutions and government bodies, such as municipalities, agriculture and forest departments, about the Turkish Red Crescent's approach to climate change
- Develop a climate smart recovery guide integrating the lessons learned from the 2023 earthquake response and recovery
- Strengthen the integration of climate information into programmes and developing climate risk narratives (scenarios/story lines)
- Strengthen the training programmes on climate change and environmental protection

Longer-term support from the IFRC network

The IFRC will continue supporting the Turkish Red Crescent in its climate and environment initiatives, building on progress made in previous years. Since the beginning of 2023, the IFRC and the Turkish Red Crescent Disaster Management and Climate Change Department started working together to define the Turkish Red Crescent's [climate action roadmap](#). Following the completion of the national and provincial climate risk assessments and programme climate screening in 2024, the IFRC will assist the Turkish Red Crescent in implementing community-driven action plans focused on climate change adaptation and environmental protection. A key priority will be the development of a climate-smart recovery guide, incorporating lessons from the 2023 earthquake response to enhance climate resilience in disaster recovery.

The IFRC will also support the integration of climate resilience into the Turkish Red Crescent's socio-economic empowerment initiatives and strengthen training programmes on climate change and environmental protection. Additionally, efforts will focus on embedding climate information into the National Society's programmes and creating climate risk narratives to inform planning and decision-making.



Disasters and crises

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Türkiye's geographic and environmental conditions make it highly susceptible to various disasters and crises. The devastating earthquakes of 6 February 2023, with magnitudes of 7.7 and 7.6 highlights the country's vulnerability to seismic activity, causing over 50,000 fatalities, displacing nearly 3 million people, and directly affecting 9.1 million individuals. These earthquakes also exposed gaps in infrastructure resilience and underscored the need for enhanced disaster preparedness (see under ongoing emergency response section for details).

In addition to earthquakes, Türkiye faces other hazards, such as wildfires in the Mediterranean region, flooding along the Black Sea coast and risks associated with the conflict beyond its southern borders. Risk is linked to the conflicts such as that in Syria, Lebanon and Palestine, etc. The increasing frequency and intensity of these events, compounded by climate change, emphasize the urgent need for robust disaster management strategies.

Multi-year high level objectives of the National Society

The Turkish Disaster Response Plan (TAMP) designates the Turkish Red Crescent as a key partner in disaster response, particularly in coordinating nutrition services and supporting nine other critical sectors, including shelter, health, logistics and psychosocial support. The Turkish Red Crescent's auxiliary role in national emergency management positions it uniquely to collaborate with government and non-governmental entities, ensuring rapid and efficient responses.

Within the earthquakes emergency response operation and for effective response to disasters, the National Society will continue to implement the plan of action following the Preparedness for Effective Response (PER) assessment conducted in October 2021. This is part of the Turkish Red Crescent strengthening efforts as outlined in the National Society strategy. Looking forward, recognizing the need for continued investment in preparedness, the Turkish Red Crescent aspires to develop a regional disaster management centre in Istanbul (European side). In addition, the Turkish Red Crescent will seek to invest in ready-to-eat food preparedness stocks, recognizing the National Society's designated role in food provision under the National Disaster Management Plan.

According to the PER action plan, the Turkish Red Crescent disaster management team selected the following areas of priority:

- Raising awareness about disasters and realizing early and effective pre-disaster preparedness
- Developing the National Society search/rescue and chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear (CBRN) capacities
- Harnessing the power of Artificial Intelligence to enhance disaster management by integrating machine learning algorithms and enabling the generation of predictive models based on a comprehensive analysis of past disasters
- Build the Kızılay disaster management system for a more effective and technologically advanced approach to disaster management by integrating AI

Planned activities in 2025

- Continue to respond to the needs of people affected by disasters and crises as they arise
- Support communities with essential resources for earthquake hazard reduction within their homes
- Conduct preparedness exercises using an earthquake simulation vehicle
- Expand the communication network by acquiring a communication vehicle and strategically placing it across the country annually
- Enhanced mass feeding capabilities by converting food delivery vehicles, food packaging machinery, food preparation tools, a dishwashing unit and a soup vending machine

Longer-term support from the IFRC network

The IFRC will work together with the Turkish Red Crescent to integrate lessons learned from previous disaster management operations where applicable, as well as align the organizational priorities based on the Earthquakes [Emergency Appeal](#) and [Operations Strategy](#). This is part of the National Society strengthening during the recovery phase of the earthquake operation. In this regard, an operational review will be carried out by the Turkish Red Crescent and the IFRC. Findings and recommendations will be used to inform future programming in Türkiye and in other similar contexts globally.

The **Republic of Korea National Red Cross** remains committed to supporting the Turkish Red Crescent in the aftermath of the 2023 Kahramanmaraş earthquakes through a multi-year initiative. This includes the Turkish Red Crescent Antakya

Impact Center Construction and Reinforcement Project and the provision of services at Temporary Community Service Centers. The primary goal is to strengthen the well-being and resilience of communities in Hatay province by establishing safe, accessible and well-equipped Impact Centers. These centers will act as key hubs for delivering essential services and support to earthquake-affected populations, promoting long-term recovery and community empowerment.

The **German Red Cross** will provide financial and technical support to develop the Turkish Red Crescent's capacity for disaster risk reduction, focusing on earthquake-affected areas including Malatya, Adıyaman, Kahramanmaraş, Osmaniye and Hatay. Key activities will include training, workshops, stakeholder meetings, exchange programmes and mass awareness campaigns.



Health and wellbeing

The health and well-being context in Türkiye is influenced by factors such as healthcare accessibility, public health initiatives, mental health awareness, lifestyle-related issues, aging population concerns, disaster preparedness and the integration of traditional medicine. Disparities in healthcare access exist between urban and rural areas. Public health initiatives focus on prevention and education. Mental health awareness is increasing and efforts are being made to address stigma. Lifestyle changes have led to concerns about diseases such as obesity. Türkiye's aging population necessitates improved geriatric care and social support. Disaster management is crucial due to the country's vulnerability to natural disasters. Traditional medicine is being integrated into modern healthcare practices.

Many Syrians can easily access health services in Türkiye in accordance with Türkiye's social security system based on general health insurance. However, Türkiye's public health services are strained by the large number of migrants within the country, most of whom lack access to quality preventive and curative health services due to language and cultural barriers. Vulnerability and poverty negatively impact Syrian migrants in Türkiye, with Syrians in less stable situations seeking out healthcare more frequently, reporting higher rates of obesity, heart disease and other long-term ailments. Mental illness is an especially acute issue, reported widely in both the Syrian and the Turkish population, with economic stress and post-conflict trauma issues. Low health literacy in this community is still a major issue that prevents them from efficient use of health services and causes to seek treatment in old-fashioned ways.

Multi-year high level objectives of the National Society

The Turkish Red Crescent has a sustained health capacity and strengthened community-based approach, which includes mental health and health interventions within community centres. Through its directorate of public health and psychosocial support, the National Society raises awareness at community level to achieve a society with improved well-being. It works to elevate health literacy and supports better

care for the elderly and people with disabilities. With the primary goal of reducing mortality and morbidity during disasters and emergencies, the National Society is working to establish an improved and institutionalized health emergency response unit (ERU) to effectively address emergency health crises that may arise.

Planned activities in 2025

- Address non-communicable diseases (NCDs) through national action plans targeting obesity, physical inactivity and tobacco use, while enhancing care for the ageing population and people with disabilities
- Establish a robust health ERUs for crisis management during disasters
- Expand essential blood services and operate community centres focusing on maternal and child health, immunization, health education and protection services addressing violence from a health perspective
- Include psychological first aid in basic first aid training, particularly in earthquake-affected regions
- Develop public health capacities in all 81 provincial branches and extend initiatives to district branches
- Implement nationwide programmes promoting healthy lifestyles, ageing, maternal and child care and awareness of communicable and non-communicable diseases, mental health, WASH and disaster health preparedness
- Organize health and first aid programmes in targeted provinces, involving local communities through health committees
- Establish a special needs fund to provide vulnerable groups with essential health and hygiene materials not covered by free programmes, such as hearing aids and eye care
- Maintain and strengthen mental health and psychosocial support (MHPSS) services, emphasizing long-term sustainability through community-based activities

- Enhance MHPSS activities in migration programmes and improve referral systems between migrant health facilities, mental health services and migration services
- Promote knowledge exchange through international training and exchange programmes to stay updated on best practices and methodologies

Longer-term support from the IFRC network

The IFRC will assist the Turkish Red Crescent by providing community-based health and first aid (CBHFA) training of trainers to key staff including branch volunteers, building on prior training provided by the IFRC. The CBHFA training will become a part of the ongoing public health training hub. It will be implemented in all provinces for the enhancement of community health, covering topics such as maternal and child care, communicable and non-communicable diseases, MHPSS, first aid and health in emergencies.

The IFRC will also support comprehensive health ERU training, including annual field exercises for health incorporating advanced software for ERU roster. As part of the Turkish Red Crescent's investment in enhancing its disaster response

capacity, the IFRC will support in rebuilding blood centres in Kahramanmaraş, the epicentre of the 2023 earthquakes.

The **German Red Cross** will support the Turkish Red Crescent Society in maintaining a sustained health capacity and strengthened community-based approach, with a focus on mental health interventions within community centres. It will provide financial support for maintaining essential MHPSS services through psychiatrists, psychologists and child development specialists.

The **Japanese Red Cross** will provide bilateral funding support to the Turkish Red Crescent's health care services for the earthquake affected populations in the areas of CBHFA and blood service. The project includes relocating the Adiyaman Blood Donation Centre, procuring a modular blood donation unit and acquiring two blood donation vehicles.

The **Republic of Korea National Red Cross** will support the national blood transfusion services of the Turkish Red Crescent. It will support in rebuilding the Iskenderun Blood Donation Centre and equipping Blood Donation Vehicles to restore and strengthen blood services after the earthquakes to ensure a stable supply of safe and sufficient blood for affected communities.



Migration and displacement

Türkiye hosts approximately four million registered migrants out of a total of 5.5 million foreign residents. Among these migrants, 92 per cent are Syrians under temporary protection. Over 98 per cent of Syrians have transitioned into "urban migrants," settling in various towns and cities across Türkiye and coexisting with the local community. This group also includes 450,000 children who were born in Türkiye after their families migrated. The remaining 300,000 registered migrants fall primarily under the category of international protection, originating from various countries including Iraq, Afghanistan, Iran, Somalia and most recently Ukraine.

In the wake of increasing instances of disasters caused by natural hazards and the evolving impacts of climate change, Türkiye is also confronted to internal population movement. The devastating earthquakes in February 2023 have displaced about three million people and have also profoundly impacted the living conditions of migrants in Türkiye, alongside the host community. More than two million migrants under international and temporary protection previously resided in the eleven provinces affected by the earthquakes (see under ongoing emergency response section).

Multi-year high level objectives of the National Society

The Turkish Red Crescent is a major actor in the response to population movement from Syria and has developed an integrated approach which includes protection, socioeconomic empowerment, health and MHPSS programmes, with plans to extend these efforts in Türkiye. Building upon the support provided to more than 2.5 million migrants under the ECHO funded Emergency Social Safety Net (ESSN) programme and in coordination with the IFRC, the Turkish Red Crescent will continue supporting almost two million migrants through the Social Safety Net, in coordination with the Directorate General of Social Assistance, and with funding from European Commission's Directorate General for Neighbourhood and Enlargement Negotiations (DG NEAR). This programme aims to support migrant families meet their basic needs through provision of monthly cash transfers. The Turkish Red Crescent is also present in the border area with a team in Gaziantep and expanding its capacities in the area. The Turkish Red Crescent plays a crucial role in addressing population movement from Syria by operating 19 Community Centres, three Child Protection Centres and 13 mobile centers across Türkiye.

The Turkish Red Crescent has been actively involved in migrant protection with a dedicated department. Its four core protection scopes are restoring family links (RFL) services, monitoring visits to the removal centres, supporting the people that are requested to be part of the voluntary return mechanism and human trafficking. The Turkish Red Crescent is also part of the IFRC's three-year Global Route-Based Migration Programme. It aims to improve the safety and dignity of people along dangerous land and sea-based migration routes across Africa, the Americas, Europe, the Middle East and North Africa. Annually, the programme aims to support 4.7 million people on the move and in host communities through three operational pillars: (1) improving access to assistance and protection, including through humanitarian service points; (2) strengthening National Society capacities; and (3) local to global humanitarian diplomacy.

The high-level objectives of the Turkish Red Crescent include to:

- Strengthen the National Society protection and outreach capacity
- Increase the capacity of the National Society branches to coordinate and cooperate at local level
- Further increase the sustainability of the community centres through the four pillars of economic sustainability, environmental sustainability, social inclusion and good governance

Planned activities in 2025

- Respond to the immediate needs of people displaced by disasters as they occur and support early recovery efforts
- Strengthen socioeconomic empowerment and livelihood referral mechanisms for migrants, internally displaced and host communities through integrated services and more inclusive and feasible economic engagement pathways
- Support social cohesion between migrants and displaced people and host communities
- Manage the protection referral mechanism within the Social Safety Net programme

- Provide monthly cash transfers to almost two million migrants through the Social Safety Net programme
- Continue to run sustainable community centres and provide a wide range of services to vulnerable migrants
- Provide access to employment opportunities through promotion and job placement services and enhance livelihood referral pathways
- Provide RFL services, including family reunification, tracing and delivery of family messages for migrants who are separated from their family members due to the conflict and crises

Longer-term support from the IFRC network

The IFRC will support the Turkish Red Crescent in its efforts to strengthen socio-economic empowerment and livelihood support for migrants, internally displaced persons and host communities.

The IFRC will also support the Turkish Red Crescent to implement activities towards the most urgent needs of the displaced population through the Earthquake Emergency Appeal.

The **British Red Cross** will support the Turkish Red Crescent in migration-related livelihoods activities through a collaborative partnership with the IFRC and the Turkish Red Crescent. The British Red Cross will also contribute to research and advocacy initiatives to create an enabling environment, emphasizing new partnership models that prioritize localization and inclusivity. Furthermore, the British Red Cross will work closely with the National Society to align with its strategic priorities, offering targeted support to enhance its capacity and long-term sustainability.

The **German Red Cross** will continue to support the Turkish Red Crescent in ensuring the sustainability of community centres, particularly through technical assistance for the Kirikkale community centre pilot project. This collaboration will focus on enhancing tools for community engagement and risk analysis. Additionally, the German Red Cross will assist the National Society's local branches in strengthening preparedness efforts, with a particular emphasis on protection and addressing various hazards, while actively exploring funding opportunities to support these initiatives.



Values, power and inclusion

The relationship between migrants and host communities in Türkiye has deteriorated since 2020. This has affected migrant's access to essential services, social cohesion, migrant mobility and other vital aspects of migrant life. According to the [Syrian Barometer](#), which is a comprehensive study conducted by the Centre for Migration Studies at Ankara University under the leadership of Professor M. Murat Erdoğan, aimed to examine the social perceptions and attitudes between Syrians under temporary protection in Türkiye and the Turkish host communities. Conducted in 2020, the study involved large representative samples from both groups and covered various regions across Türkiye. The findings reveal significant differences in social perceptions, with 95 per cent of Syrians expressing a willingness to form friendships with Turkish people, while only 37 per cent of the Turkish host community shared the same sentiment.

The aftermath of the earthquakes in Türkiye has had significant impacts, particularly on women and girls, who make up half of the affected population in the 11 impacted provinces. Overall, women and girls affected by the earthquakes require urgent support and services to address their specific needs and challenges, including privacy arrangements, gender-segregated spaces, psychosocial support for children and survivors of traumatic events.

Multi-year high level objectives of the National Society

The Turkish Red Crescent's goal is to integrate protection, gender and inclusion (PGI) principles across all its programmes, operations and services. The National Society seeks to enhance its targeting methods to effectively address diverse needs and vulnerabilities on the ground, emphasizing a localized approach that encompasses both migrants and host communities. Promoting social cohesion between migrant and host communities is a key objective for the National Society. This also involves increasing the awareness and capacity of staff and volunteers in dealing with issues related to human trafficking, as well as other forms of violence. Through these efforts, the Turkish Red Crescent aims to contribute to a more inclusive and protective environment while ensuring the well-being and safety of all.

The National Society is dedicated to fostering greater acceptance and trust within the community by maintaining ongoing efforts in community engagement and accountability (CEA). A human-centred approach allows the National Society to position the target groups in all stages of the decision making from needs assessment, design of the interventions to implementation and monitoring. Local communities should be represented by their own institutions or leaders or themselves and have a say in matters that concern their life and well-being.

Planned activities in 2025

- Collaborate with local municipalities to identify ongoing social cohesion initiatives and jointly discover more options for promoting it
- Strengthen collaboration with the Ministry of Interior's Presidency of Migration Management and the Ministry of Family and Social Services
- Focus on social services and resilience to reposition its auxiliary role to an evidence-based approach
- Disseminate information about RFL services among NGOs, authorities and affected people
- Integrate CEA into needs assessments and monitoring exercises
- Coordinate with local authorities to ensure relevant key information is aligned and distributed through multiple channels, avoiding duplication and not generating misinformation
- Participate in inter-agency CEA/communication with communities coordination systems and joint initiatives to share and leverage available community data
- Adapt and translate [minimum standards](#) for protection, gender and inclusion in emergencies and programmes across Türkiye
- Develop training materials on preventing human trafficking and sexual and gender-based violence
- Monitor the collection and evaluation of sex, age and disability disaggregated data
- Collect case studies to capture lessons learned and good protection, gender and inclusion practice

Longer-term support from the IFRC network

The IFRC will support the Turkish Red Crescent in refining targeting strategies to ensure the inclusion of vulnerable groups, such as women and persons with disabilities, by leveraging community engagement mechanisms and working closely with local leaders to identify and address the needs of disadvantaged households. To safeguard at-risk populations, including migrants and host communities, the IFRC will assist the Turkish Red Crescent in implementing robust safeguarding mechanisms, including tools and protocols for data protection in compliance with local regulations. The IFRC will also help strengthen the National Society's internal referral systems across key service areas such as socioeconomic empowerment, protection, MHPSS and child programmes to provide coordinated and holistic support to beneficiaries. In addition,

the IFRC will collaborate with the Turkish Red Crescent on migration-related livelihoods projects, emphasizing gender

and age considerations in labour market analyses and vocational sector selection to ensure inclusive and effective programming.

ENABLING LOCAL ACTORS

The Turkish Red Crescent is committed to strengthening itself as an institution. It carried out a self-assessment as part of the Organizational Capacity Assessment and Certification (OCAC) process in 2019. This self-assessment is intended to capture the strengths and weaknesses of National Societies in relation to a wide range of organizational capacities. The Turkish Red Crescent is also committed to the Preparedness for Effective response (PER) process, and is at the work plan phase. The PER approach is a continuous and flexible process that enables National Societies to assess, measure and analyze the strengths and gaps of their preparedness and response mechanisms, and ultimately take necessary action to improve them.

The Turkish Red Crescent Strategic Plan for 2021–2030 defines the institutional management principles as:

- **Transparency:** disclose sufficient, correct and comparable information about the institution in financial, real and economic aspects in a timely, concrete and clear manner
- **Accountability:** define rules and responsibilities regarding management explicitly and adopt the principles of transparency and accessibility to public within the framework of these responsibilities.
- **Responsibility:** ensure that activities and services conform to the fundamental principles of the Movement of which it is a member, respective national and international legislation, in-house regulations as well as social and ethical values
- **Justice and equality:** adopt an equal and unbiased approach towards third persons during all activities



Strategic and operational coordination

Multi-year high level objectives of the National Society

- Enhance partnerships with public and local organizations and establish cooperative networks with the private sector
- Maintain ongoing information exchange and coordination with the IFRC and supporting National Societies
- Maintain membership in the Platform for European Red Cross and Red Crescent Cooperation on migrants, Asylum Seekers, and Migrants (PERCO)
- Contribute to Federation-wide initiatives such as the 2022 CoD resolution “Strengthening the Resilience of Communities: Our Way Forward”
- Lead the Strategic Partnership and Resource Mobilization Working Group under the Movement Urban Resilience Shared Leadership Group to develop global principles for urban resilience by 2026
- Encourage knowledge sharing and resource mobilization across sectors

- Prioritize partnerships, needs assessment, capacity building, knowledge sharing and resource mobilization under the localization strategy
- Participate in inter-agency coordination meetings to explore collaborative responses with national and international actors
- Co-chair the Cash-Based Interventions Technical Working Group (CBI TWG) since early 2024, coordinating cash assistance in Türkiye
- Publish annual guidance and collaborate with platforms under the National Inter-Agency Task Force
- Provide national guidance on cash and voucher assistance (CVA), harmonize cash support across sectors and organize capacity-building training

Longer-term support from the IFRC network

The IFRC will support the Turkish Red Crescent in ensuring strategic and operational coordination by maintaining consistent communication and collaboration with Movement partners, particularly with National Societies currently

supporting the Turkish Red Crescent's initiatives. The IFRC plays facilitates membership coordination, ensuring information exchange and alignment among all contributing partners. In the event of a disaster requiring international cooperation, the IFRC offers immediate financial support through mechanisms such as the Disaster Response Emergency Fund ([DREF](#)) or broader Emergency Appeals, tailored to the scale and nature of the disaster's needs.

The IFRC also helps identify and communicate funding and training opportunities to strengthen the Turkish Red Crescent's operational capacity. Furthermore, the IFRC collaborates with the Turkish government on regional and

global climate change policy initiatives, such as implementing the Paris Agreement and advancing the Movement's Climate Ambitions. Partnerships with local institutions aim to promote environmental protection and climate change mitigation.

During disaster operations, such as the earthquake response, the IFRC supports the Turkish Red Crescent-led membership coordination by enhancing information exchange, compliance with IFRC policies and effective representation with external actors, including government entities, UN agencies and donors. Additionally, the IFRC will support the Turkish Red Crescent in producing a comprehensive final earthquake appeal report, documenting network-wide contributions and bilateral support from Participating National Societies.



National Society development

Multi-year high level objectives of the National Society

- Appoint volunteer specialists in branches, disaster management centres and community centres to mobilize, train and manage volunteers
- Establish diverse volunteer programmes, including disaster response, senior volunteering, community volunteering, corporate volunteering and digital volunteering
- Enhance skills and competencies through continuous assessment of volunteer activities
- Promote a culture of solidarity and mutual assistance by encouraging dialogue, cooperation and exchange among volunteers and communities
- Create a dedicated monitoring, reporting and evaluation unit under the volunteer directorate
- Expand engagement through initiatives such as Kızılay Women, Kızılay Youth and Kızılay Child programmes
- Develop a barrier-free volunteering structure to promote inclusivity for individuals with disabilities
- Collaborate with the Ministry of Education to integrate mandatory volunteer-focused school clubs
- Diversify funding sources by forging new partnerships and strengthening collaborations with National Societies and international organizations
- Explore innovative fundraising strategies to increase visibility and attract new supporters
- Enhance PER processes by building community and operational resilience, updating emergency response plans and delivering regular training programmes

- Develop a Health Emergency Response Unit (ERU) for international emergencies and deployable Emergency Medical Teams
- Strengthen domestic disaster response capabilities through enhanced Search and Rescue capacity and investments in emergency communications

Longer-term support from the IFRC network

The IFRC will support the Turkish Red Crescent in advancing National Society development by enhancing staff capacity to integrate PGI principles into its operations. This includes facilitating knowledge exchange with IFRC network members in areas such as community-based health and first aid ([CBHFA](#)) and health emergency response units ([ERU](#)) through the Turkish Red Crescent's Health Training Hub.

As part of the earthquake response and recovery efforts, the IFRC will assist the Turkish Red Crescent in implementing capacity-strengthening initiatives aligned with its strategy and plans. These efforts include tailored training programmes to address specific response needs, strengthening volunteer management through improved induction processes, volunteer systems, psychosocial support and insurance provision. The IFRC also integrates established development tools and methods, such as National Society development in emergencies, branch development and preparedness for effective response ([PER](#)), into the earthquake operation. Furthermore, the IFRC helps the Turkish Red Crescent address disaster-related impacts on its operations, including risk mapping, business continuity planning, and implementing PER action plans, with a particular focus on urban preparedness.



Humanitarian diplomacy

Multi-year high level objectives of the National Society

- Develop an external humanitarian diplomacy action plan
- Implement a joint communications strategy to address critical migration issues
- Pursue innovative business models for humanitarian diplomacy and advocacy
- Actively support the development, dissemination and awareness of international humanitarian law (IHL) and international disaster law
- Conduct proactive advocacy on the international stage to influence decision-makers and public opinion, with tailored communications to foster new relationships and partnerships
- Proactively engage with embassies and stakeholders to facilitate open dialogue for effective crisis response
- Align corporate social responsibility (CSR) frameworks with humanitarian needs, enabling financial contributions, in-kind donations and joint projects

- Mobilize Turkish companies operating internationally to support vulnerable communities through targeted humanitarian efforts

Longer-term support from the IFRC network

The IFRC will support the Turkish Red Crescent in enhancing its humanitarian diplomacy efforts by facilitating engagement with media and social media platforms. This includes aligning the Turkish Red Crescent's communication strategies with national, regional and global campaigns to strengthen its ability to influence, advocate and position itself effectively in Türkiye and internationally.

Additionally, the IFRC actively participates in and supports the Turkish Red Crescent's humanitarian diplomacy initiatives through international meetings and workshops. These efforts contribute to raising awareness, advancing collaboration and promoting the Turkish Red Crescent's objectives on a broader stage.



Accountability and agility (cross-cutting)

Multi-year high level objectives of the National Society

- Provide timely, reliable financial and non-financial information to stakeholders, ensuring transparency in the use and management of funds
- Establish a country-specific monitoring and reporting framework to enhance transparency and accountability
- Implement effective and efficient internal control systems proportionate to identified risks, supporting innovation while mitigating vulnerabilities
- Conduct workshops on fraud risks and protection from sexual exploitation and abuse to uphold organizational integrity
- Oversee data spot checks in collaboration with information management and finance units to ensure accountability
- Incorporate CEA questions in needs assessments and monitoring while leveraging the 168 call centre to guide response actions through community feedback

- Pilot a Safeguarding Self-Assessment in 2025 using the IFRC Safeguarding Framework to develop evidence-based plans for improving inclusive and secure programming
- Align initiatives with humanitarian guidelines, emphasizing zero tolerance for safeguarding violations
- Upgrade the "gonulluol.org" platform to improve user experience and functionality for volunteer applications
- Test and expand innovative digital tools such as the QRed payment system for humanitarian aid, building on the Turkish Red Crescent's cash assistance expertise

Longer-term support from the IFRC network

The IFRC will support the Turkish Red Crescent in generating automated and online reports and dashboards, as well as information products through visualization and mapping that will be shared publicly through the IFRC online platforms. As part of earthquake recovery, the IFRC will support in integrating proactive risk management and scaling up information management and data analysis. It will also support branches in the affected areas in financial management and accountability. The IFRC will continue to support the National Society's earthquake operation by

fostering a data-driven approach where the feedback from the community is constantly kept in consideration while steering the earthquake recovery operation. For instance, a communication channels dashboard developed by IFRC

has been in place to inform the programme implementation based on community feedback. Such support from IFRC will be sustained throughout the Turkish Red Crescent's relevant projects and programmes.

THE IFRC NETWORK

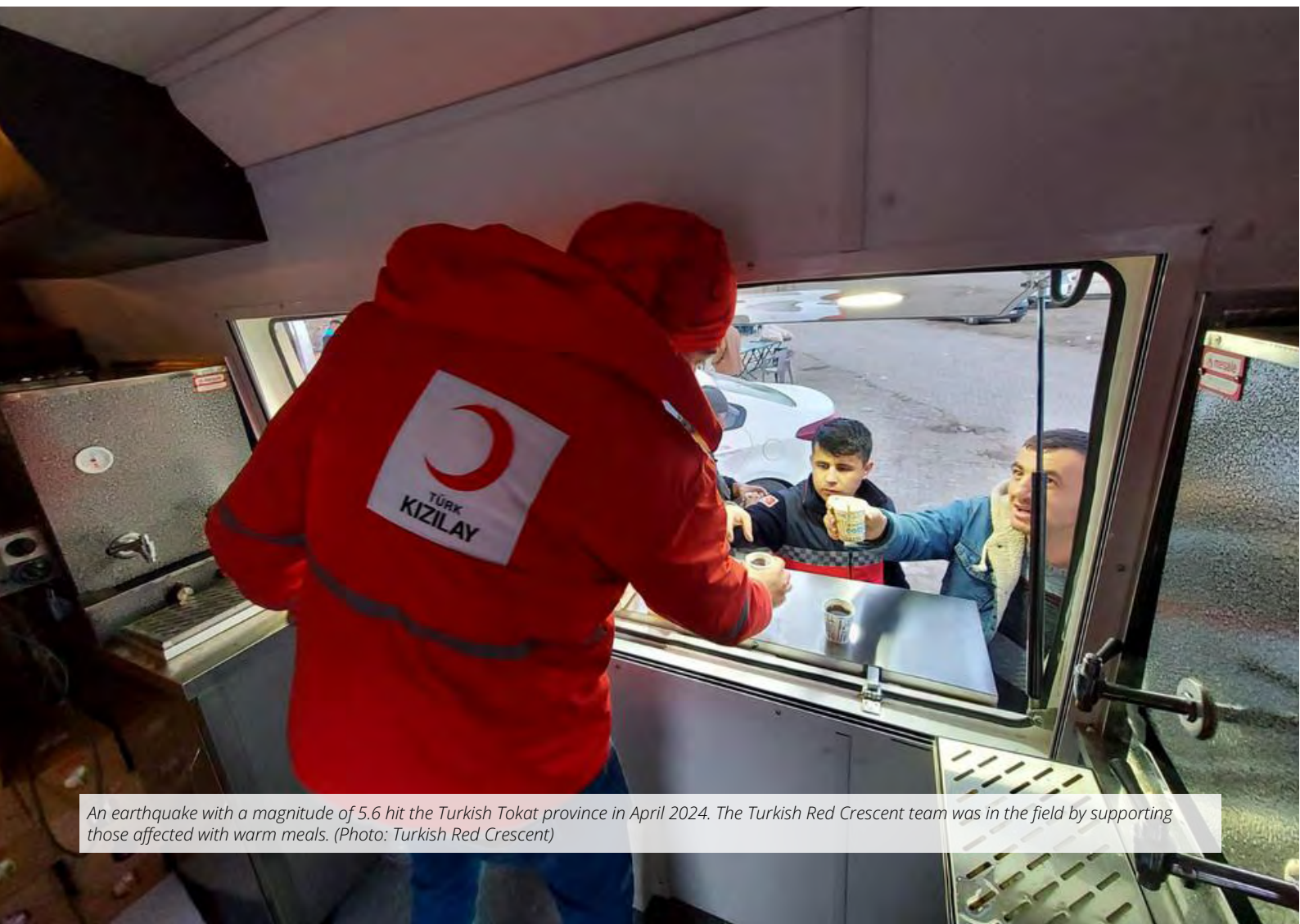
The IFRC

The IFRC established a delegation in Türkiye in 1994 and re-established its presence in 2012 due to the Syrian conflict. It provides technical, coordination, administrative and donor-reporting support to the Turkish Red Crescent as needed, assisting in areas such as finance, procurement, human resources, communications and accountability. The IFRC's team of international and national staff supports cash transfer, migration, livelihoods, disaster response, humanitarian diplomacy and partnerships.

From 2020 to 2023, the IFRC and the Turkish Red Crescent jointly implemented the EU-funded Emergency Social Safety Net (ESSN) programme, in partnership with Türkiye's Ministry of Family and Social Services. ESSN, the largest humanitarian

programme ever implemented by the IFRC and the EU, was handed over to the Ministry in late 2023.

The IFRC continues to support the sustainability and development of the Turkish Red Crescent-led systems, exemplified by initiatives like QRed. This collaboration strengthens the long-standing partnership. Following the February 2023 earthquakes in southeastern Türkiye, the IFRC launched an [Emergency Appeal](#) to support the Turkish Red Crescent in responding to immediate needs and planning for long-term recovery. It also aids the National Society in socio-economic empowerment programmes, focusing on the meaningful inclusion of vulnerable migrants and host communities in formal employment.



An earthquake with a magnitude of 5.6 hit the Turkish Tokat province in April 2024. The Turkish Red Crescent team was in the field by supporting those affected with warm meals. (Photo: Turkish Red Crescent)

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 **British Red Cross** has a long-standing collaboration with the Turkish Red Crescent, particularly in cash support mechanisms, migration and community resilience. Through the Movement Cash Hub, the British Red Cross has engaged the Turkish Red Crescent in cash peer learning, market monitoring and livelihood programmes. Moving forward, the British Red Cross will partner with the Turkish Red Crescent and the IFRC to support migration-related livelihoods through research, advocacy and inclusive, localized partnerships, while reinforcing the Turkish Red Crescent's capacity and sustainability.

The **German Red Cross** is collaborating with the Turkish Red Crescent to strengthen disaster risk reduction, with a focus on earthquake-affected areas and potential expansion to

other high-risk regions. Planned activities for 2025 include specialized training, workshops and awareness campaigns to enhance disaster preparedness. The partnership also prioritizes community-based mental health services and sustaining health capacity.

The **Japanese Red Cross Society** provided immediate support following the February 2023 earthquakes through the IFRC Emergency Appeal, focusing on food assistance, relief items, health, WASH, in-kind donations and vehicle funding. Currently, the Japanese Red Cross Society continues to support the Turkish Red Crescent remotely, focusing on mid- to long-term initiatives, including health activities, blood services and livelihoods. Both the National Societies are exploring long-term academic collaborations.

The **Republic of Korea National Red Cross** has been actively supporting the Turkish Red Crescent since the 2023 earthquakes. The Korean Red Cross established a delegation in Türkiye in April 2023 and signed a bilateral cooperation agreement in June 2023. The National Society's efforts align with the Turkish Red Crescent Recovery Plan, focusing on short-term humanitarian aid linked to sustainable development. Priorities include food assistance, transitional shelters, community-based services, blood services and strengthening National Society capacity.

Movement coordination

The Turkish Red Crescent 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](#).

The ICRC supported the Turkish Red Crescent with in-kind relief materials for the 2023 earthquake response.

Coordination with other actors

The Turkish Red Crescent, in line with its [auxiliary role](#), works closely with the Disaster and Emergency Management Authority (AFAD), which oversees disaster response coordination. The Turkish government also leads the coordination and management of humanitarian assistance for migrants, with the Turkish Red Crescent collaborating with key agencies, including the Presidency of AFAD, the Presidency of Migration Management, the Ministry of Family and Social Services and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, as part of its mandate. The Turkish Red Crescent's coordination extends to local authorities, provincial AFAD offices, Provincial Directorates of Migration Management and other relevant ministries and agencies as needed.

Collaboration with ministries includes:

- **Ministry of Family and Social Services:** Migrant support through various programmes
 - **Ministry of Labour and Social Security:** Skills development, employability training and employment-related matters
 - **Ministry of Health:** Health referrals, training, seminars and health checks for children and adults
 - **Ministry of National Education:** Language and vocational training and school-related matters
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- **Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry:** Livelihood programmes and activities in agriculture and livestock

The Turkish Red Crescent partners with UN agencies, INGOs and private sector organizations, including global companies through the IFRC. It collaborates with UNHCR on large-scale protection activities and has launched post-earthquake projects with Collective Kindness (BİZ) and Children First (ONCE), in partnership with the IFRC. These efforts have led to new partnerships with WFP and UNICEF. The Turkish Red Crescent is also involved in major livelihood and socioeconomic projects with the Turkish Employment Agency, the World Bank (ISDEP-2) and UNDP (ISDEP-3).

Since early 2024, the Turkish Red Crescent has co-chaired the Cash-Based Interventions Technical Working Group (CBI TWG), which coordinates cash assistance from humanitarian actors in Türkiye. Accountable to the National Inter-Agency Task Force, the CBI TWG collaborates with other coordination platforms to harmonize cash assistance across sectors. It provides national guidance on cash and voucher assistance ([CVA](#)), publishes annual resources and organizes training to enhance CVA capacity in Türkiye.



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

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 and definitions

- 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
- **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

- [IFRC network country plans](#) • [All plans and reports](#)
- Data on National Societies on [IFRC Federation-wide Databank and Reporting System](#)
- Live data on active emergency operations on [IFRC GO platform](#)
- Live data on [IFRC-Disaster Response Emergency Fund Response and Anticipatory pillars](#)
- [Evaluations and research databank](#) • [Donor response reports](#)

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