



PROJECT BRIEF

WE NEXUS

EMPOWERED WOMEN FOR SUSTAINABLE PEACE: ADDRESSING PEACE-HUMANITARIAN NEXUS TO ENHANCE COMMUNITY RESILIENCE IN INDONESIA

BACKGROUND

Indonesia continues to face overlapping emergencies and crisis, from conflict related humanitarian needs to climate-related natural hazards and displacement. The Internal Displacement Monitoring Centre (IDMC) estimated that in 2020 violence and conflicts led to 4,600 new displacements, while disasters resulted in 705,000 new displacements during the same period.¹ A yearly occurrence of these hazards continue to endanger the population and development.

The project, aims to develop scalable interventions that can contribute to implementation of key policies in Indonesia that are relevant to the prevention of violent extremism, disaster risk reduction and resilience-building, and the protection and empowerment of women and children.

Founded in women’s empowerment, providing a unique opportunity to demonstrate innovative approaches to programming across the humanitarian-development-peace (HDP) nexus, leveraging the Women, Peace and Security Agenda and the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction, the project will focus on creating promising practice to connect humanitarian-development and peace from the ground up.

1. See, Indonesia’s latest country data available at Internal Displacement Monitoring Centre (IDMC), available at <https://www.internal-displacement.org/countries/indonesia>; nevertheless, sex-disaggregated data and gender analysis are extremely limited.

PROJECT OVERVIEW

PROJECT TITLE	Empowered Women for Sustainable Peace: Addressing Peace-Humanitarian Nexus to Enhance Community Resilience in Indonesia
PERIOD	26 June 2023 – 31 December 2026
BUDGET	US\$ 4.000.000
IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. CARE Indonesia 2. Wahid Foundation 3. Save the Children Korea and Save the Children Indonesia 4. UNFPA 5. UN OCHA
GOVERNMENT PARTNERS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordinating Ministry of Human Development & Culture (Kementerian Koordinator Pembangunan Manusia dan Kebudayaan – KEMENKO PMK) • Ministry of Women Empowerment & Child Protection (Kementerian Pemberdayaan Perempuan dan Perlindungan Anak – KPPPA) • Ministry of Social Affairs (Kementerian Sosial) • Ministry of Villages, Disadvantages Regions, and Transmigration • Ministry of Home Affairs • National Agency for Disaster Management • National Agency for Counter Terrorism
SDGs	

GENDERED HDP PROFILE IN INDONESIA

In Indonesia, **humanitarian-peace-development nexus** is critical given its highly diverse population, geographical and natural resources challenges and complex governance system and ensuring humanitarian and conflict affected areas at the sub-national level.



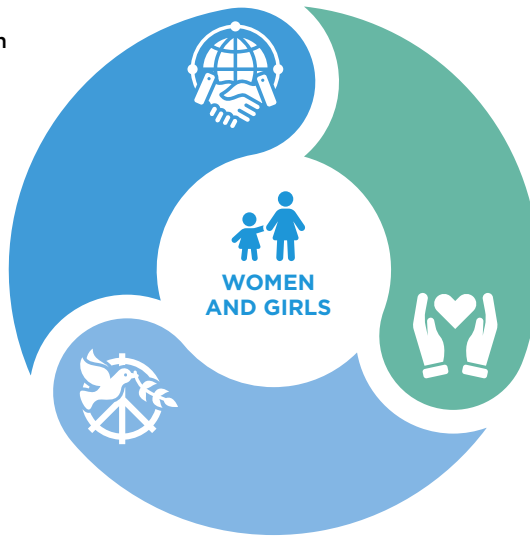
DEVELOPMENT

- Complex governance system in the country, persisting gender gap
- Development achievements compromised by diminishing socioeconomic opportunities due to COVID-19
- Persisting gender inequality exacerbated by COVID-19



PEACE AND SECURITY

- Diverse drivers of intolerance, conservatism, division and violence
- Radicalization and extremism at local levels
- Women and girls not fully included in the peace and security agenda



HUMANITARIAN

- Vulnerability to climate-related disasters situated in the Pacific "Ring of Fire"; Increased conflict related humanitarian needs
- Conflicts led to 4,600 new displacements, and disasters 705,000 displacements in 2020
- Underrepresentation of women in conflict prevention, resolution and recovery processes

Box 1. What is HDP Nexus?

Humanitarian-Development-Peace (HDP) Nexus is an approach aimed at enhancing coherence and collaboration across humanitarian, development, and peace efforts. The HDP Nexus recognizes the interlinkages between these areas, promoting a comprehensive strategy to address crises and long-term challenges in conflict-affected and fragile regions. The goal is to simultaneously address immediate humanitarian needs, advance sustainable development, and strengthen peace-building efforts to create more resilient societies.

UN Women's Humanitarian Strategy 2022-2025, highlights areas where UN Women has unique advantage in advancing gender equality and the empowerment of women and girls (GEEWG) across the humanitarian-development-peace (HDP) nexus, and in contributing to the localization agenda through collaboration with civil society organizations and women's organizations.

Reference: [UN Women Humanitarian Strategy 2022-2025](#)

PROJECT STRATEGY FOR RESPONDING TO THE CHALLENGES



ECOLOGICAL RESILIENCE

Women have increased resilience to disaster and climate change risks and benefit from humanitarian response

SOCIAL RESILIENCE

Women are empowered to fulfil their human development potential as members of a pluralistic, tolerant, inclusive, and just society, free of gender and all other forms of discrimination

ECONOMIC RESILIENCE

Economic transformation measures include interventions which enhance women's capabilities and leverage women's potential to contribute to sustainable and equitable economic growth

PROGRAMME STRATEGY

GOALS

The project aims to strengthen community resilience and reduce vulnerabilities in emergency and conflict-affected areas by addressing the humanitarian-development peace nexus in the context of Indonesia. It will contribute to the goal, **women and girls are able to withstand adverse impact of conflict and natural hazard and able to contribute to a peaceful and just society.**

OUTCOME 1

National and/or local governments have increased capacity to produce and use risk-informed, gender sensitive analysis of root causes and structural drivers of conflicts and positive factors for resilience to develop and implement DRR and peacebuilding policy to programming

- Output 1.1 National and local government stakeholders trained to collect and use gender data and measure gender-responsive resilience
- Output 1.2 Action oriented knowledge products, tools and guidance developed to inform policy development

OUTCOME 2

Women are able to influence and gain benefits from local policies, plans, and mechanisms that build resilience

- Output 2.1 Women's groups capacities are enhanced to participate in the village forums
- Output 2.2 Village policies, plans/budget and/or preparedness mechanism developed with participation from women's groups

OUTCOME 3

Communities are able to identify and implement gender-responsive solutions/interventions to promote social cohesion, conflict prevention and resilience, including early actions plans and mechanisms

- Output 3.1 Multi-stakeholder community-based, and inclusive groups or coordination mechanisms are established and/or strengthened to promote gender-responsive social cohesion, conflict prevention and resilience
- Output 3.2 Capacity of community-based groups to implement interventions to promote gender responsive social cohesion, conflict and violence prevention and management, disaster preparedness and resilience building

OUTCOME 4

Multi-stakeholder platforms are strengthened to promote capacity-sharing and knowledge to enhance collaboration between humanitarian, development and peace actors at the national level, focusing on women's leadership and participation in conflict prevention, emergency response and humanitarian action

- Output 4.1 Facilitation and coordination provided to promote cross-sectoral dialogue between government line ministries`
- Output 4.2 A knowledge exchange platform and/or communities of practice for multi-stakeholder engagement is in place to support exchange on women's empowerment approaches to resilience



Diverse conflicts and disasters are still taking place in different parts of Indonesia. Indonesia is a country with great potential for growth. If this resilience is developed through women, it is expected that more balanced development will be achieved for all regions of Indonesia, including marginalized areas,”

Yun-gil Jeong, Country Director of
KOICA Indonesia

OUR APPROACH AT SUB-NATIONAL LEVEL

- 📍 Location
- 🏠 Implementation Model
- 🤝 Partners

WEST NUSA TENGGARA

- 📍 **Bima City & Bima District**
- 🏠 **Young Women as Agents of Peace and Resilience**
 - 🤝 • Wahid Foundation
 - 🤝 • La Rimpu
 - 🤝 • LP2Der

CENTRAL SULAWESI

- 📍 **Palu City & Sigi District**
- 🏠 **Youth Economic Empowerment and Strengthening Women-led Community Resilience**
 - 🤝 • Care
 - 🤝 • Karsa Institute
 - 🤝 • UNFPA
 - 🤝 • Kerti Praja Foundation

EAST NUSA TENGGARA

- 📍 **TTS & Kupang District**
- 🏠 **Women-led Climate Resilience and Economic Empowerment**
 - 🤝 • Save the Children
 - 🤝 • CIS Timor
 - 🤝 • UNFPA
 - 🤝 • Kerti Praja Foundation



“ *Socioeconomic disparities often leave women vulnerable with additional burdens. Therefore, inclusive process on the village planning and budgeting is essential to ensure meaningful participation of women in decision-making process* ”

Eni Widiyanti
Ministry of Women
Empowerment
and Child Protection

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