



UNITED FOR UKRAINE'S RECOVERY

The European Union, along with its bank, the European Investment Bank, is collaborating with Ukrainian authorities and UNDP on three recovery programmes focused on rebuilding critical social infrastructure to meet essential needs and ensure decent living conditions for displaced people and their host communities:



Support has been in place since 2015, initially focused on addressing needs in the eastern part of Ukraine, which was affected by the armed conflict that began in 2014. However, with the onset of the full-scale Russian invasion in 2022, the importance of this support has grown significantly. Through the recovery programmes, Ukrainian communities can access the financial resources needed to restore and upgrade essential social infrastructure, including war-damaged or outdated facilities such as schools, kindergartens, hospitals, housing, and water systems.



This school has become our second home. From now on, music is an inseparable part of my life. It calms me down, even when I play my own songs. At such moments, I forget about the war and everything bad.



Stefaniya Varzakova
Student of the art school, Myrhorod



Ministry for Development of Communities and Territories of Ukraine coordinates these programmes together with the Ukraine's Ministry of Finance, while the reconstruction subprojects are fully managed by local communities. UNDP provides technical assistance, ensuring the effective and efficient implementation of subprojects.

Subprojects by sector (2015-2024)*					
Total	→ 156 subprojects	89 subprojects	27 subprojects	33 subprojects	10 subprojects
Ready	→ 51	33	3	11	7
In progress	→ 105	56	24	22	3
	Kindergartens & schools	Hospitals	Water & sewage facilities	City administrative buildings	Housing & dormitories

*as of November 2024

UKRAINE EARLY RECOVERY PROGRAMME



The hospital has changed tremendously! It is now a completely overhauled building with everything we need. The most important thing is that we can now help more patients daily.



Pavlo Berdov

Surgeon, orthopedic traumatologist at Hospital No. 8, Odesa

UERP subprojects | status as of November 2024

- Budget — **€200 million**
- **3,9 million people** benefitted from the recovered facilities, including more than **456 thousand IDPs**
- **59** subprojects are planned for reconstruction
- **100** subprojects successfully completed
- Launched in **December 2014**



UKRAINE RECOVERY PROGRAMME



What a huge improvement this is now! In Bucha, the water issue has always a pressing challenge. The water from the tap was dirty and smelly. During the occupation, there was no water at all. Just imagine how much we suffered. Now you drink this water and enjoy it.



Halyna Fitisova

Head of an apartment building benefiting from the new water facility, Bucha

URP subprojects | status as of November 2024

- Budget — **€340 million**
- **17 thousand people** benefitted from the recovered facilities, including **1,349 IDPs**
- **151** subprojects are planned for reconstruction
- **5** subprojects successfully completed
- Launched in **December 2020**





The new building of the Citizen Safety Centre will significantly increase our efficiency. We will improve our skills there to react faster and act more coherently, which will definitely help us to save more lives.



Kostyantyn Cheshev

Chief of guard at the Citizen Security Center, Avangard village



UKRAINE RECOVERY PROGRAMME III

- Budget — **€100 million**
- Launched in **July 2024**

In July 2024, €100 million programme was signed with the government to further support the restoration of essential services. As with previous programmes, EIB provides long-term funding and expertise. Ukrainian cities can apply for subventions to rebuild healthcare, housing, education and water facilities, with priority given to liberated areas, areas close to conflict zones and regions with large numbers of internally displaced people. An additional €150 million has also been approved by the EIB and could be implemented rapidly upon Ukraine's request.

A TOTAL OF **95 SCHOOLS**, HOSPITALS, AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS HAVE BEEN RESTORED, WITH **86 SUBPROJECTS** UNDERWAY ACROSS **56 WAR-AFFECTED COMMUNITIES**



THE TOLL OF WAR



Since the start of the full-scale Russian invasion in 2022, more than **89** facilities previously reconstructed under the programmes have been damaged or destroyed, particularly in areas that were occupied or heavily shelled.

** as of April 2024*

VOICES OF RECOVERY

Scan the QR code to read stories from beneficiaries of the recovery programmes, showcasing how the renovated facilities have enhanced their environments for work and study.



FINANCING AND IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS



The three recovery programmes, totaling €640 million, are framework loans provided to the government of Ukraine by the **European Investment Bank (EIB)**, the financial arm of the European Union.



These loans are complemented by up to **€15 million in EU grants** to support programme implementation.



The **United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)** in Ukraine provides technical assistance to Ukrainian communities in implementing recovery subprojects on the ground along with independent comprehensive monitoring during the subproject cycle.



Ministry for Development of Communities and Territories of Ukraine, together with the **Ministry of Finance**, coordinates and oversees the implementation of the programmes, while local governments in participating cities are responsible for fully managing the reconstruction subprojects.

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