



Agency for Civil Society Support

What does our support consist of:

- Support Social Development Activities, Social Services
- Support for Integration of Civil Society Initiatives
- Support for European Integration Initiatives
- Support for Psycho-Social Service Activities
- Support for Innovative Initiatives.

Extension, support and financing

- **Call 12**, 28 February - 1 April 2019, we supported financially organizations fourteen organizations in a total grant value of 33,100,000 (thirty-three million and a hundred thousand) Albanian lekë.
- The projects include the entire territory of the Republic of Albania.

Activities supported by call 12:

During this call, the Agency has supported:

- Activities for Social Development,
- Social Services
- Initiatives for Integration of Civil Society
- Initiatives for European Integration

Projects funded in areas of Social Development, Education and Integration of Civil Society

- **The Youth Project as the most active part of the community for drafting strategies for sustainable community development.** Its objective is to have an active Youth active for accountability and transparency of local government.
- **The project “Dare to bring change”,** whose objective is to promote youth engagement in improving education, promotion of youth entrepreneurship and employment.

Projects funded in areas of Social Development, Education and Integration of Civil Society

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- **Project for procedural protection and guarantee of rights and resocialization, reintegration and rehabilitation of minors/young people in conflict with the law ”**
- Its objective is to raise public awareness, in particular among students, young people, teachers for the acceptance and equal treatment of minors/youth in conflict with the law (defendants and victims) during the learning process and outside it;

Funded projects in the field of Education

- **The project for Strengthening the entrepreneurial initiatives of young people in budgeting through an integrated approach to the management of cultural tourism and protection of cultural heritage,**
- Its objective: Build the capacities of young people to engage in entrepreneurship, through an integrated approach to managing cultural tourism and protecting cultural heritage.
- **Project for Combating Corruption in Higher Education.** Its objective is to encourage students to prevent and denounce corrupt practices in order to increase efficiency and transparency in higher education.

Projects funded for European Integration

- **Project for Promotion of civil society development, in view of our country's accession to the EU.**
- Its objective is to increase the number of young people participating in the projects of civil society organizations and their impact on the awareness and dissemination of EU standards.

Projects funded for social services and development:

- **Project for Early Interventions as an opportunity for the development of the disabled children and their families.**
- Its **objective is** To help and strengthen the disabled children's families to improve their parenting skills and reduce the feeling of isolation, stress and frustration they experience having children with disabilities.

AMSHC's work during the Pandemic

- *Launched Call 13 (22 June - 23 July 2020)*
- *The Agency has changed its priorities in financing projects in terms of those that continue to improve the situation created by the Covid 19 Pandemic*
- During this period, AMSHC has worked hard to support the human capital development sector.
- It has provided support for the implementation of projects in the field of social services for groups in need such as: provision of psychological therapy, on-line training of medical personnel and other innovative initiatives in view of improving the created situation.
- The total amount granted in support of NGO activities by AMSHC for this call is 16 850 000 Albanian Leke

Projects Funded by AMSHC, for Psycho-Social Services

- **Project for Assistance and Care during the period of the COVID-19 pandemic ,**
 - extends beyond Tirana
 - aims to create an online platform for training and information in the context of Covid-19.
- **Project for Emergency Response to the Consequences of Covid-19 in Albania:**
 - **Provides** psycho-social and legal support for persons in need.
 - ***The Project covers*** *the entire* country, with a special focus on the municipality of Librazhd, Këlcyra, Devoll, Rrogozhina, and Bulqiza.

Projects funded by AMSHC, for Psycho-Social Services are:

- **Project for psycho-emotional treatment for individuals in the face of Covid 19,**
- Covers Tirana, Durrës, Lezhe.
- Its objective is to provide psycho-social services for the post-covid situation for groups in need.

Projects Funded for Innovative Initiatives

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- **Project for Training, Promotion, Stimulation and Empowerment of Volunteerism to take innovative initiatives in improving the situation created by the Covid-19 Pandemic .**
- This project covers Tirana, Durres, Vlora, Shkodra, and Elbasan.
- Its objective is to enable various projects to contribute and facilitate the situation created by the pandemic.

Projects supported in the area of Innovative Initiatives:

- **“Wear a Mask” Project,**
- It is based on social media, online and includes all of Albania.
- Its objective is to raise people's awareness about the importance of wearing masks and instructions certified by professionals.

Projects supported in the area of Innovative Initiatives:

- The project for **Protection, education and awareness of minors/youth of the Rom&Egyptian community for complying with the rules during the situation caused by Covid-19".**
- Covers Tirana
- Its objective is to enable Protection, education and awareness of minors/youth of the Rom&Egyptian community for complying with the rules during the situation caused by Covid-19".

Projects supported in the area of Innovative Initiatives:

- **Project to Maximize Student Performance in Virtual Lecture Rooms.**
- **Covers the Municipalities of Shkodra, Vlora, Elbasan, Durres, Korca and Gjirokastra**
- Its objective is to encourage students so that they manage virtual communication as best as possible.

Projects supported in the area of Innovative Initiatives:

- **Project Together We can**
- It covers Shkodra Municipality, Vau- Dejes, Koplik.
- Its objective is to create a group of volunteers with students and parents to take care of lonely old people, helping them with things they can not manage themselves because of their severe diagnosis.
- **Sports Activity Project to Improve the Situation Created by COVID-19**

Projects supported in the area of Innovative Initiatives:

Project for Improved Social Services — Sustainable Communities,

- It covers Kruja and Elbasan
- Its objective is to assess the situation of social services provided by the Municipality in times of pandemic meeting the needs and challenges of vulnerable groups.

Project for Digital Social Agora,

- its objective is to create a digital agora where critical socio-cultural discourses will take place.

Call 14 launched to support Civil Society

- As a follow up to support and strengthen the Civil Society, we launched our 14th call, holding informative sessions and consultations with NGOs throughout the country to set new priorities and identify emerging needs of the Civil Society.
- We started with the city of Shkodra and Elbasan and we will continue with Korca, Bajram Curri, Kukes, Gjirokastra, Durres, Vlora, and Tirana