



## **Reincorporation and reconciliation through Humanitarian Demining actions. The only mechanism for the comprehensive reincorporation of ex-combatants.**

*Promoting HUMANICEMOS DH as a model of reincorporation and community reconciliation through demining, awareness-raising, and prevention actions.*

### **Implementation period**

From 06/Feb/2020 To 05/Jul/2022

### **General Description**

The project promotes three Humanicemos DH areas: (1) Specialized training and employment creation for former FARC-EPs ex-combatants in the action against mines; (2) Actions for prevention and reconciliation with communities; (3) Knowledge generation to systematize, replicate, and escalate the actions included in the Peace Agreement.

It contributes to socio-economic reintegration, strengthens Colombia's response to the scourge of anti-personnel mines, and creates opportunities for reconciliation with affected communities. It strengthens the capacity of the national sector of action against mines, recognized by the transitional justice mechanism as a form of reparation to victims in conflict-affected areas.

This action capitalizes on and escalates the first phase's progress (2017-2019), funded by the United Nations Multi-Donor Fund.

The project is developed in La Montañita (Caquetá), where take place identification and manual demining operations. Women participate in the dissemination of information within their families and communities; young people will be involved in schools and community groups.

Contribution to the Peace Accourds

This project contributes to the initiatives of the National Government to implement the Peace Agreement on the social and economic reintegration of the former FARC-EP ex-combatant population (Peace Agreement, Section 3.2, Art. 3.2.2.6, Par. B). Promotes achievement of the Implementation Framework Plan goals, in an exercise of coordinated work between the European Union and Colombia in order to reinforce a stable and lasting peace.

It highlights the Office of the High Commissioner for Peace’s leadership in supporting this project, as coordinator of the national strategy of Integral Action Against Anti-Personnel Mines.

It also contributes to strengthening the capacity of the national sector against mines and to reparation and reconciliation for conflict-affected communities. Article 5 of the Peace Agreement (Victims of Conflict).

Objectives and Results

It gives continuity to the first phase results and supports three work lines:

- Reincorporation of ex-combatants. At least 90 of them are involved in workforce development and employment in mine action activities. This will allow to leave the local capacity installed and greater theoretical and practical knowledge.
- Implementation of comprehensive actions against mines, taking into account the needs of affected communities, while helping to prevent, mitigate, and respond to incidents related to these risk situations through education, victim identification, and the search for opportunities of reconciliation with communities.
- Mechanisms for monitoring, quality management and activities and results systematization. Develop strategies that contribute to document, replicate and escalate good practices, making them visible and impacting their potential for other communities and regional contexts.

Investment Amounts		
€ 4.000.000	N/A	€ 4.000.000
UE Support	Counterpart	Total

## Featured Indicators

Indicator	Goal	Last Update	Advance	Current Value	Status
01. Number of former combatants employed in mine action	90	June 2022	128 %	116	Complete
02. Number of former combatants trained in strategic management, administrative, financial, logistic and human resources processes and procedures.	12	June 2022	100 %	12	Complete
03. Number of former combatants accredited or certified in mine action activities (NTS, clearance, and/or risk education), disaggregated by gender.	70	June 2022	107 %	75	Complete
04. Number of people benefiting from risk education and related awareness sessions implemented by former combatants	1.716	June 2022	100 %	1.724	Complete
05. Number of community members receiving training as focal points in their communities working jointly with former combatants.	10	June 2022	130 %	13	Complete
06. Number of municipalities benefited of humanitarian mine action activities implemented by former combatants	2	June 2022	100 %	2	Complete
08. % Assurance checks that affirm correct application of policies and procedures	70	June 2022	117 %	82	Complete

## Advocate



Unión Europea

## Partner

United Nations Mine  
Action Service (UNMAS)

## Local Partners and Co-Applicants

Corporación Brigadas Colombianas de Excombatientes  
para la Paz y el Desminado Humanitario - Humanicemos  
DH

Fondo Multidonante de las Naciones Unidas para el  
Sostenimiento de la Paz

Oficina del Alto Comisionado para la Paz - OACP

## Geographic Coverage

Proyecto: Humanicemos

Socio: Servicio de las Naciones Unidas de Acciones  
contra las Minas, **UNMAS**

Aporte total  
Unión Europea: 4.000.000 €

Aportes  
contrapartida: 0 €

Cobertura: 2 municipios en el departamento de Caquetá

1. Caquetá: La Montañita y Solita



## Project Resources

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