COUNTRY PROGRAMME FOR PAKISTAN 2022-2025

Sustained Engagement Towards Security, Rule of Law, Drugs and Health-Related Commitments in Pakistan

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The United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) Country Office in Pakistan (COPAK) has developed the third phase of its country programme, building on the progress and the contributions made and lessons learned from phases I (2010-2016) and II (2016-2019 - extended until 2021 due to COVID-19). It is an integrated country programme approach that builds on the One UN ethos, enjoys the full support of the Government of Pakistan (GoP) and the civil society, and will contribute to progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). It also localizes the UNODC Corporate Strategy 2021-25 to the needs and priorities of the Government of Pakistan and the Member States supporting the country.
OUR STRATEGIC VALUES
a design shift to an integrated approach for assistance

UNODC has had a presence in Pakistan for more than three decades.

Since its inception, UNODC has aimed to contribute to “A safer community, free from threats posed by organized crime and drug use and confident in the criminal justice system to provide access to justice”.

This sustained presence in the country has enabled us to facilitate a holistic approach to country’s drug and crime challenges, and a step forward in harmonization with regional and global UNODC initiatives. For these reasons, our new Country Programme is founded on the following values:

- INTEGRATION
  - Between different thematic areas, as well as national, regional, and global initiatives in order to deliver as one.

- INCLUSIVENESS
  - Through an approach embedded in human rights, gender inclusivity, and disability inclusion.

- FLEXIBILITY
  - Our programme evolved and adapted based on achievements, lessons learned, and priorities identified.

- SUSTAINABILITY
  - Our activities are designed and implemented to enhance our partners’ capacity and generate sustained impact.

THE THEMATIC AREAS
2022 - 2025

- TRANSCONTINENTAL ORGANIZED CRIME AND BORDER MANAGEMENT
- CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM AND LEGAL REFORMS
- DRUG DEMAND REDUCTION AND HIV/AIDS
- PREVENTING AND COUNTERING TERRORISM

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GLOBAL
REGIONAL PROGRAMME FOR AFGHANISTAN AND NEIGHBOURING COUNTRIES

REGIONAL
CONTAINER CONTROL PROGRAMME AND OTHER PROGRAMMES
THE COUNTRY PROGRAMME 2022-25

TRANSPORT ORGANIZED CRIME AND BORDER MANAGEMENT

MAJOR THREATS

OUR SOLUTIONS

- Soft/hard assistance to better secure land and maritime borders.
- Capacity building of multiple LEAs to enhance prevention, investigation, and interdiction of contraband drugs, cybercrime, and trafficked humans.
- Enhance cooperation between LEAs, criminal justice institutions, and civil society, to effectively prosecute perpetrators and protect victims of trafficking.

MAJOR OUTCOMES

- Effective legal framework to combat transnational organized crime;
- Improved investigation and prosecution of criminal cases, and assistance to the victims of trafficking and smuggling of migrants;
- Better responses to cybercrime;
- Greater and more timely analysis and monitoring of trends.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM AND LEGAL REFORMS

MAJOR THREATS

OUR SOLUTIONS

- Modernize and digitize the country’s criminal justice system, such as prison management and prosecution processes.
- Support long-term institutional capacity development of criminal justice system actors.
- Align legislative, regulatory, and anti-corruption frameworks with international conventions/standards.
- Empower vulnerable individuals/groups with limited access to justice.

MAJOR OUTCOMES

- Enhanced accountability, efficiency, and effectiveness of law enforcement agencies;
- Improved prosecution and adjudication bodies and processes;
- Progressive transformation of prisons, parole, and probation structures and mechanisms into correction and reformationary services;
- Effective anti-corruption and anti-money laundering strategies, practices, and frameworks against corrupt practices and financial malfeasance custody of prisoners.

DRUG DEMAND REDUCTION AND HIV/AIDS

MAJOR THREATS

OUR SOLUTIONS

- Increase access to preventive services and quality drug treatment for vulnerable groups.
- Expand capacity of stakeholders to better deliver evidence-based prevention and treatment against drugs and HIV/AIDS.
- Foster understanding on the physical and mental health issues of the refugee population, especially women, children, and youth.

MAJOR OUTCOMES

- Strengthened multi-sectoral response to ensure availability of evidence-based drug dependence treatment services;
- Enhanced evidence-based and coordinated community-level, youth-focused prevention interventions;
- Enhanced evidence-based HIV prevention, treatment, and care services for people who inject drugs, their spouses, and the prison population.

PREVENTING AND COUNTERING TERRORISM

MAJOR THREATS

OUR SOLUTIONS

- Improve the efficiency of the entire criminal justice process related to counter-terrorism (CT) according to international norms and standards.
- Enact protection-oriented frameworks to improve support for survivors of terrorism.
- Engage with youth and communities to prevent extremist ideologies.
- Improve institutional capacity in countering terrorism financing.

MAJOR OUTCOMES

- Enhanced capacity to counter, investigate, prosecute, and adjudicate CT cases;
- Strengthened policy mechanisms for providing protection and support to survivors of terrorism;
- Engaged youth and community stakeholders develop strategic communication tools to prevent the emergence of terrorism by sharing information, experiences, and educational material;
- Enhanced capacity of criminal justice practitioners to identify, detect and prosecute cases of terrorism financing;
- Improved international cooperation in counter-terrorism and related prevention activities through good practice exchange.
GLOBAL PROGRAMMES
– CCP and 15 other support programmes for Pakistan

COMPETENCE
To promptly respond to the multiple, multifaceted drugs and crime challenges that negatively impact the world, UNODC implements dozens of Global Programmes, supporting Member States to prevent and counter these challenges under a well-coordinated global effort and serves as a repository of subject matter expertise.

REPOSITORY OF EXPERTISE IN PAKISTAN
- Global Container Control Programme (CCP)
- Global Action to Address Trafficking in Persons and the Smuggling of Migrants (GLO.ACT Asia & the Middle East; SPI)
- Global Maritime Crime Programme on Improved National Response against Drugs and Contraband Trafficking in the Maritime Domain; SPI
- Global Integrity Education Project; SPI
- Global Programme against Money-Laundering, Proceeds of Crime and the Financing of Terrorism (GPML, TPB and COPAK); SPI

E-LEARNING

OUR SOLUTIONS
- Develop training modules based on needs assessments
- Establish national eLearning centres with online and offline services
- Develop mobile training units

MAJOR OUTCOMES
- 160 training modules in English and multiple languages delivered at 65 eLearning centres across 20 law enforcement agencies all over Pakistan
- UTC-Training of Drug Treatment Professionals in Pakistan (GLOK32); SPI
- UPC-Training of Prevention Professionals in Pakistan (GLOK01); SPI
- Pilot on Substance Use Disorder Treatment in Rural Settings in Pakistan (GLOK32); SPI
- Evaluation Rural Drug Treatment (GLOK32); SPI
- National Survey on Prevalence and Emerging Trends of Drug Use in Pakistan 2017 (GLOK32); SPI
- Improving the Government of Pakistan's capacity to ensure standardized treatment and prevention of drug use disorders (GLOK32); SPI

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS
UNODC’s mandate to assist partner countries in their efforts to improve global security by reducing the prevalence and impact of illicit drugs, associated criminal activity and the threat of terrorism and is explicitly linked to the progressive achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

GENDER EQUALITY
COPAK’s strong commitment to gender equality enables the creation of a strong framework of gender main-streaming into all initiatives in the implementation of Agenda 2030 and achieving gender equality and empowering all women and girls.

HUMAN RIGHTS
Criminal activity very often impedes the exercise of – or fully violates – basic human rights. Guided by the “United Nations Sustainable Development Group’s Human Rights Based Approach to Development Cooperation Towards a Common Understanding Among UN Agencies”, COPAK commits to integrate a rights-based approach into all aspects of its programming.

DISABILITY INCLUSION
We strongly consider that the vision of a better future can only be achieved with the full participation of everyone, including persons with disabilities. Cognizant of this strategic obligation, COPAK is planning to develop a “Disability Inclusion Action Plan” to ensure inclusiveness and mainstreaming of persons with disabilities at collective levels of programme implementation.
OUR PARTNERS IN PAKISTAN

- Anti Narcotics Force
- Financial Monitoring Unit
- State Bank of Pakistan
- Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan
- Provincial Prosecution Services
- Balochistan Levies Force
- Federal Board of Revenue (FBR)
- Pakistan Customs
- Airport Security Force (ASF)
- Pakistan Maritime Security Agency (PMSA)
- National Accountability Bureau
- Commissionerate for Afghan Refugees
- Various Civil Society Organizations
- Non-Governmental Counterparts
- UN Agencies
- Academia

OUR FUNDING PARTNERS

In addition to mainstream funding partners for Country Programme, additional resources under Regional Programme for Afghanistan and Neighbouring Countries.