

STRENGTHENING CLIMATE RESILIENCE IN VULNERABLE COMMUNITIES IN MADRID AND VALENCIA

OUR IMPACT SO FAR

43,000+ REACHED INDIRECTLY & ON OUR WAY TO ACHIEVING
MORE THAN 100,000 LIVES IMPACTED BY PROGRAM END

- Risk awareness ●
- Action before, during & after emergencies and disasters ●
- Partnerships & collective change ●
- Knowledge & learning ●

Ecosystem of resilience measurement including the Climate Resilience Measurement for Communities (CRMC) framework, the Spanish Red Cross Vector Analysis, and Zurich Resilience Solutions Risk Assessments to increase understanding of strengths and gaps, build credibility for proposed solutions and engage diverse stakeholders.

28 KEY INFORMANT INTERVIEWS

660+HOUSEHOLD SURVEYS

14 FOCUS GROUPS

COOL SPOTS IN SCHOOLS

Creation of a school playground “cool spot” that provides students with a comfortable place where they can perform outdoor activities without being exposed to extreme heat conditions.

ENERGY RESILIENCE

Implementing energy efficiency trainings, delivering heat protection kits and supporting vulnerable families with electricity subsidies.

LOCAL CLIMATE MAPPING

Leveraging **citizen science** to produce neighbourhood climate maps that capture the real-life impact of heat and flood risk in cities.

CLIMATE SHELTER

Activation of the Social Emergency Care Center as a climate shelter to provide temporary accommodation, shelter and hygiene services for people that live on the streets, as well as other vulnerable community members.

EMPOWERING YOUTH

Empowering hundreds of youth as climate resilience champions through the **My Pillowcase Methodology** in schools.

FIRST AID & DRILLS

Building **life-saving skills** through First Aid trainings and public emergency simulations.

The **Urban Climate Resilience Program** (UCRP), 2023-2026, brings together global actors including the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC), ICLEI, C40 Cities, R-Cities and Plan International to develop climate resilience initiatives in urban contexts in nine countries around the world. Funded by the Z Zurich Foundation, the Spanish Red Cross, together with Zurich Spain, is leading UCRP in Madrid and Valencia.

