

**ACTION PLAN
(ROAD MAP) FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COOPERATION DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY AMONG CENTRAL ASIA COUNTRIES
IN DISASTER RISK REDUCTION FOR 2025-2026**

No.	No.	Activity	Timelines	To be implemented by	Expected outcomes	Expected technical support
I. IMPROVING REGIONAL INSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL FRAMEWORKS FOR DISASTER RISK MANAGEMENT						
1	1	Arranging and holding of the annual Regional Forum- Meeting of the Heads of Emergency Authorities of Central Asian countries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, Working Group of the Regional Forum	Held the Regional Forum-Meetings of the Heads of Emergency Authorities of Central Asian countries. Discussed and made decisions in DRR, CCA and ES	UNDRR, GIZ, UNDP, WFP and other international organizations
2	2	Arranging and holding of meetings of the Working Group of the Regional Forum	2 meetings annually	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, Working Group of the Regional Forum	Held meetings of the Working Group of the Regional Forum: - in 2025, within the framework of the Regional Forum; - in 2026, within the framework of the Regional forum. Discussed and approved the draft agenda, Road Map for 2025-2026, protocol, and other materials of the Regional Forum	UNDRR, GIZ, UNDP, WFP and other international organizations
3	3	Arranging and holding meetings of the Regional Scientific and Technical Council (RSTC) for Emergencies for expert assessment of projects and programs, initiatives and proposals from international organizations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, RSTC	In 2025-2026, DRR initiatives, projects, and programs will be subject to the RSTC expert assessment	World Bank, WFP other international organizations
4	4	Preparing and conducting trainings for national coordinators of the Sendai Framework for DRR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR	Provided assistance in improving the quality of monitoring and reporting of the Sendai Framework for DRR	CESDRR, UNDRR, UNDP
5	5	Arranging and holding of meetings of the Technical Taskforce on the creation of the Regional Emergency Early Warning System in Central Asia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries	Provided expert technical advice on the creation of the Regional Emergency Early Warning System in Central Asia	Emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, CESDRR, UNDP, UNDRR, GIZ, WFP
6	6	Improving the national legislation of Central Asian countries in response coordination to emergency situations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR Emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, IFRC	Strengthened and improved the legal framework aimed at the effectiveness of coordination and provision of humanitarian assistance between Central Asian countries	CESDRR, IFRC
7	7	Improving the resilience of cities to the hazards caused by climate change	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries	Strengthened regional cooperation and partnerships through existing coordination platforms, while introducing innovative approaches	UNDP

					to urban planning based on practical experience New approaches to integrated climate and disaster risk management in urban planning	
8	8	Promoting the implementation and adaptation of uniform standards and methods for natural disaster risk assessment, damage and loss assessment, uniform reporting forms, including the use and implementation of software products to automate these processes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries	Emergency agencies have a single automated tool for natural disaster risk assessment in place	GIZ
II. IMPROVED KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING OF DISASTER RISKS, ESPECIALLY THOSE OF A CROSS-BORDER NATURE						
9	1	Arranging and holding of working meetings with the participation of representatives of emergency authorities of Central Asian countries (<i>Department of International Cooperation, Legal Department, Crisis Management Center</i>) to develop joint measures to build a legal framework in accordance with the IDRL, taking into account the need to create the Regional Coordination Center for Emergency Response	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, IFRC	Shaped an understanding and interest of representatives of emergency authorities in the need to adopt a mandatory Regional document in accordance with the IDRL with the thoroughly listed CESDRR powers and resources	Emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, CESDRR, IFRC, other international organizations
10	2	Assistance in strengthening the capacity of experts in DRR, including in seismic construction, seismic safety, and monitoring through joint research, workshops, conferences, trainings, and field tests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries	Increased capacity of experts in DRR	JICA, other international organizations, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, scientific and educational institutions
11	3	Strengthening the capacity of drone operators to control UAVs in Central Asian countries by completing training on the Online School of Unmanned Aviation platform created by the CESDRR and posted on its website	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries	Strengthened the capacity of specialists from Central Asian countries to use UAVs for DRR, emergency prevention & response	Emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, CESDRR
III. ATTRACTING INVESTMENT IN DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AT THE REGIONAL LEVEL						
12	1	Implementation of measures to scale up the project to create a Digital Safety Passport and a Digital Cross-border Hazard Atlas of Central Asian countries using the example of cooperation between the Ministry for Emergency Situations of Kazakhstan and OSCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR	Introduced the Digital Cross-border Hazard Atlas of Central Asian Countries	Emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, CESDRR, Safeti Gis, OSCE, EU, UNDP, ISTC, MapAction, GIZ, WFP and other donor agencies and international organizations
13	2	Implementation of measures to promote the project proposal for the creation of the Regional Early Warning System for cross-border emergencies, including through collaborated funding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries	Increased access and accessibility of the population to early warning systems for various disasters Created an early warning system for earthquakes in Kyrgyzstan and Kazakhstan	International organizations, UNDP, UNDRR, GIZ, WFP, OSCE Emergency authorities of Central Asian countries

		of two or more country projects with subsequent scaling up to the Regional level			Integrated all national warning systems into a single regional early warning system Strengthened the capacity of Central Asian countries to protect their populations and territories from large-scale cross-border disasters	
14	3	Attracting investments from international organizations to create warehouse stocks of humanitarian aid in the places of Central Asian countries most exposed to the emergence and disaster risks using the example of cooperation between the Ministry of Emergency Situations of Kazakhstan, CESDRR and UNICEF	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries	Introduced and demonstrated the effectiveness of the practice of bringing stocks of humanitarian aid closer to the territories most exposed to emergency risks	UNICEF, IFRC, WFP, other international organizations
15	4	Implementation of measures to attract investments based on the co-funding principles while promoting the project idea for the creation of the Regional Coordination Center for Emergency Response	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR	Involving donor organizations and partners in the implementation of the project to create the Regional Coordination Center for Emergency Response with staff expansion, modernization of the response point for successful data exchange and monitoring around the clock	CESDRR, EU, GIZ, JICA, IFRC, UNICEF, DG ECHO
16	5	Facilitating the development of mutually beneficial partnerships between the private sector, government agencies, and other stakeholders to improve disaster risk resilience (<i>across all ongoing projects</i>)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR	Involving the private sector, government agencies, and other stakeholders in the implementation of international projects aimed at improving DRR and CCA activities in Central Asia	Government agencies, private sector, other stakeholders, international organizations
17	6	Strengthening regional capacity in the development of risk funding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries	Designing a regional study for Central Asia to identify gaps and opportunities for developing risk funding	UNDP
IV. STRENGTHENING EMERGENCY RESPONSE PREPAREDNESS						
18	1	Further work to improve the Regulation “On the Regional Emergency Response Coordination Mechanism” considering the findings of the Regional Report on the International Disaster Response Law (IDRL) within the framework of the agreement between the CESDRR and IFRC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR, emergency authorities of Central Asian countries	Introducing amendments to the Regulation on the Regional Emergency Response Coordination Mechanism in accordance with the IDRL	IFRC, GIZ and other international organizations
19	2	Strengthening the capacity of emergency response units in Central Asian countries (trainings, participation in exercises, master classes, workshops)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR	Increasing the capacity of canine services, UAV operators, management bodies of the Ministries of Emergency Situations of Central Asian countries and other services through master trainings, exercises, and practice	Emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, CESDRR, MapAction, WFP and other interested international organizations
20	3	Dissemination, adaptation, and implementation of digital technologies to automate damage and losses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR	Institutionalized the Damage and Loss Assessment Methodology for the agricultural sector, revised the	FAO WFP

		assessment for the agricultural sector in the Central Asian region considering the experience of cooperation between the CESDRR and FAO			E-DLA web program to adapt to the needs of Central Asian countries	
21	4	Promoting measures to create a cross-border early warning system for hydrological disasters as part of improving climate risk management processes in Central Asia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR	Developed a technical solution to create a cross-border early warning system for hydrological disasters in Central Asian countries	Emergency authorities of Central Asian countries, CESDRR, hydrometeorological services, GIZ, WFP
22	5	Improving approaches to cross-border disaster risk management in the face of climate change	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR	Factored in the recommendations reflected in the Concept note of an integrated approach to the cross-border disaster risks management with due regard for climate change	UNDRR
23	6	Strengthening regional capacity in disaster preparedness and application of post-disaster needs assessment (PDNA).	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2025 ▪ 2026 	CESDRR	Assessment of the CESDRR's capacity to implement the PDNA and develop an appropriate capacity development plan. Regional training to strengthen the pool of regional experts for the PDNA	UNDP