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TO END THE TUBERCULOSIS EPIDEMIC

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## Community, Rights and Gender Strategic Initiative 2017-2019

Strengthening the capacity of networks and coalitions of TB advocates, TB activists and people affected by TB in Eastern Europe and Central Asia region (EECA)

The project supports strategic initiatives in capacity development of civil society and TB community through fostering spaces for engagement and collective participation in key decision-making processes, in particular as they relate to community, rights and gender. The project is funded by the Global Fund to fight HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria and has four objectives:

**Capacity development and meaningful engagement** - develop the capacity of TB civil society, community representatives, and key affected populations to be meaningfully engaged in the TB response at national, regional and global levels.

**Human rights and gender** - ensure quality people-centered approaches in the TB response in the countries of EECA region.

**Community mobilization and advocacy for finding missing cases** – develop an online library of resources that demonstrate best practices of community mobilization for active case finding in Ukraine

**Financial and technical cooperation** - ensure coordination and synergizing with other civil society networks of the EECA region (harm reduction, HIV, Hepatitis C) to work towards horizontal health issues, such as health system strengthening, domestic resource mobilization for the TB and HIV response in the context of transition from donor support , and the integration of TB/HIV services.



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