



Multisectoral, gradual, and community-based approach

With a multisectoral approach embedding emergency response within the development continuum, TGH supports local actors and the solutions they locally develop with the aim to respond to crises and improve their communities' self-sustainability.

- ▶ **Supporting local solutions for the reduction of dependencies and inequalities**
- ▶ **Supporting the most vulnerable households and individuals and the organizations that represent them**
- ▶ **Assisting actors operating in remote and neglected areas: "going where no one else goes"**
- ▶ **Promoting local appropriation through a participatory and inclusive approach**

Protection mainstreaming

Protection mainstreaming is the process of incorporating protection principles and promoting meaningful access, safety and dignity in all sectors of humanitarian aid.

- ▶ **Strengthening autonomy of households, institutions, organizations**

Development steered by local actors

Throughout equitable relationships with its partners, TGH aims at increasing the action and decision power of local actors while promoting their know-how, strengthening their capacities and encouraging inclusive governance models. Balanced and fair partnerships form the backbone of development actions implemented by TGH.

- ▶ **Systematic integration of environmental issues**

Environment

TGH actions aim at preserving environments and combating resource depletion: water, through the integration of multiple innovative strategies (for instance, efficient irrigation techniques), but also soils and biodiversity through the promotion of agroecology.

TGH also seeks to limit its greenhouse gases emissions whenever possible, for example by promoting solar pumping technologies where appropriate and relevant. The NGO ambitions a 50% reduction of its greenhouse gases emissions by 2050.

To operationalize these principles, **Triangle Génération Humanaire** designs and implements actions tailored to its different contexts of intervention and strives on developing holistic responses to multisectoral needs of vulnerable populations through integrated, community-driven approaches

Contributing to safe protection environments



Strengthening the capacities of governments and civil societies in supporting the most marginalized individuals

- In order to strengthen protection environments, TGH **trains, guides and mentors** state and non-state actors within the framework of protection principles and intervention modalities. This continuous support covers case management, psychosocial support and community awareness
- TGH **partners with local civil society organizations** so that they directly contribute to protection outcomes, including psychosocial support to incarcerated youths.
- **Community protection networks** supported by TGH design, implement and monitor protection activities. All interventions are thought to meet the goal of stimulating community appropriation to guarantee sustainable impacts and increasing the number of beneficiaries. Trained volunteers sensitize their communities, facilitate affected populations' access to services and to their rights and inform state actors about local needs.

Irrigation, fertility, seeds - closing the cycles

Supporting food self-sufficiency through farms' autonomy in irrigation and agriculture inputs

- TGH integrates **anti-erosion structures** (including plant-based solutions) in its projects that contribute to groundwater recharge through improved infiltration and runoff reduction. Groundwater monitoring and informing users contribute to better decision making for efficient resource usage.
- Construction and rehabilitation of irrigation infrastructure, guidance for their collective management, promotion of innovative techniques and reuse of waste water are critical drivers for improving the **sustainability and efficiency of irrigation systems**.
- Fertility constitutes a major limiting factor for agricultural productivity. **Integrated management of organic waste** disseminated by TGH through the promotion of agroecological techniques such as composting contributes to increased yields and strengthened farms' self-sufficiency.
- Indigenous, ancestral know-how in terms of seed selection and conservation is a crucial wealth: valorizing this knowledge to **support seed autonomy** aims at providing actions aligned with tradition, local preferences and opportunities of every terroir.



Sustainable and self-reliant schools

Help local communities take the lead in identifying and bridging the gaps in access to education

- Non-formal education and catch-up programs implemented by TGH pave the way toward **return to formal education**. Return to school campaigns reach out-of-school children especially the most marginalized youths as well as their families.
- Developing educators' capacities in the field of **socio-emotional** learning and basic **psychosocial** support to children and youths in or emerging from crisis settings strengthens sustainable **protection environments** and supports recovery and resilience of children themselves and within their communities.
- **Water, Sanitation and Hygiene** actions in schools conducted by TGH improve accessibility and generate opportunities for sensitizing good hygiene practices for the whole family.
- Children's **food security** directly influences their learning capacities: to contribute to school attendance and education quality, TGH supports the implementation and local ownership of sustainable, durable and self-sufficient school feeding programs.
- **Vocational training** and solid links with local businesses create the path towards employment for vulnerable youths.



Supporting users' groups

Strengthening endogenous organizations to ensure ownership and continuity of actions



- **Parent Teachers Associations (PTAs)** supported by TGH strengthen the education results by significantly implicating parents in their children's education, offering opportunities for parents to engage in school activities, connect with teachers and benefit from capacity strengthening actions. Supporting PTAs overall contributes to a durable and sustainable child protection environment.
- **Farmers' Organizations**, like agriculture cooperatives but also informal groups, are central actors in rural societies. They represent the interests of peasants and advocate for local needs. Supporting the viability and durability of these organizations contributes to strengthening the autonomy and sustainability of agriculture value chains.
- Composed of community members, **Water Management Committees** are in charge of the operation, maintenance and durability of water sources. Their activity is essential to ensure a sustainable management of water resources fully driven by local communities.

Theory of Change

- IF** civil society is strengthened to mobilize the necessary resources
- IF** civil society represents the community
- IF** the institutional framework is compatible with the action
- IF** community practices and mechanisms for crisis adaptation are supported and durable

THEN, in a continuously more fragile environment (climate change, conflicts),
all community members live with dignity

AND governments, supported by the global movement for localization, ensure that civil society is sustainably autonomous

Capitalizing on enabling conditions and valorizing endogenous knowledge

Identifying and mitigating barriers

- **Integrated multisectoral intervention**
- **Horizontal, bottom-up, participative approach**
- **Continuous coordination**
- **Strengthening civil society**
- **Empowering communities towards autonomy**



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