

Unleashing young people's and vulnerable citizens' creativity and innovation by strengthening their adaptive capacity to address the economic and food insecurities in the exposed communities of the Aral Sea region

Main achievements of Joint Programme for the period 2022



INCREASED computer literacy and entrepreneurial skills



more than 600 residents have been trained in the field of agriculture, water-saving technologies, aquaculture, provision of services, livestock development, gardening



Free Wi-Fi Zones started functioning in 15 communities benefitting more than **64,000** people (more than 14,000 are youth)



START-UP

72 young people trained in the development of startup initiatives. The necessary equipment was purchased for **6 startup projects**; **1 startup platform** was established



EMPLOYMENT

35 vulnerable families from the "iron book" received assistance with employment **77 new jobs** have been created for young people; 3 professional training centers have been established



CLEAN WATER

3,011 rural people gained access to clean water



POLYCLINIC PLATFORM

electronic polyclinic platform was developed in Buzatau district covering **22,000 residents**



AFFORESTATION

92,000 saxauls have been planted in a **87,2 hectare** area to prevent toxic air



INNOVATION IN AGRICULTURE

"Buried diffuser" technology was introduced



- 30 rural men obtained basic technical electrician skills
- 30 business ideas submitted by women, of which 9 projects financially supported
- 30 young people were trained to engage in community planning, decision-making and rehabilitation process. In total 90 people were trained



253 school children were trained on WASH in three target districts



18 community facilitators for the local communities were trained to promote and expand the economic rights of women



3 infokiosks were installed, which were used by **2508** people