



Code of Conduct for Compliance with Subsidy Funding Schemes by the Government of Tyrol for Projects on International Cooperation, International Humanitarian Aid and Developmental Information, Education and Awareness Raising

By signing this Code of Conduct, Applicants agree to accept the internationally recognised rules and standards set out in this document and to take these into consideration when implementing projects.

# **Human rights approach**

Applicants and project partners respect and consistently apply the Human Rights Convention of the United Nations, including the principles of non-discrimination against women and minorities, the protection of children and the inclusion of people with disabilities/special needs. They are committed to the four principles of a human rights approach: participation, non-discrimination, transparency and accountability.

### Do-no-harm principle

Applicants are obliged to review all aid measures for potential negative consequences, e.g., provoking violence, especially in war and disaster regions.

#### **Paris Declaration on Aid Effectiveness**

Applicants are obliged to adhere to the five principles of aid effectiveness:

- 1. Ownership: considerable involvement of partner organisations in developing and implementing projects.
- 2. Alignment: no building of parallel structures, but instead institutional strengthening of local organisations and public authorities.
- 3. Harmonisation: coordination with other parties involved and stakeholders on the ground.
- 4. Results: focus on the effects and the change that the project initiates.
- 5. Mutual accountability: between the Applicant and project partners.

## **Anti-corruption**

Applicants and their project partners in the partner country agree to use the funding provided by the Government of Tyrol efficiently, effectively and economically and to immediately take countermeasures and report the case to the funding provider should any abuse be suspected.

## Legal compliance in the partner country

Applicants are obliged to adhere to all provisions under civil, criminal and public law, in particular labour and residence law, as well as import provisions in the partner country.

Place, date	Signature of an authorised representative
	of the Applicant