

STRENGTHEN THE RESILIENCE
OF THE CYBERSECURITY
ECOSYSTEM OF KENYA

KENYA CYBER RESILIENCE

KENYA'S DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION HAS EXPANDED ACCESS TO E-SERVICES, MOBILE PAYMENTS, AND ONLINE PLATFORMS, BUT IT HAS ALSO HEIGHTENED THE COUNTRY'S EXPOSURE TO CYBER RISKS.

Fragmented governance, limited operational capacities, and low public awareness of cyber hygiene remain major challenges to securing the digital ecosystem.

The Kenya Cyber Resilience (KCR) project, funded by the European Union and implemented by Expertise France in partnership with the Estonian Centre for International Development, seeks to address these gaps and strengthen the country's cybersecurity resilience. The project aims to contribute to the creation of a safer, more inclusive, and trusted cyberspace in Kenya.



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Project pillars

1

Governance and Institutional Frameworks

Support the establishment of a clear and robust legal and institutional framework.

2

Operational Capacities

Enhance national, sectoral and operational capacities for cybersecurity and incidents' response.

3

Awareness and Inclusion

Raise awareness on cyber hygiene, and promote inclusion with a focus of women, youth, and public service users.

Key figures

3 million
BUDGET €

36 MONTHS
OF ACTIVITY

MILESTONES

- Finalization of inception phase and donor approval.

- Completion of national consultations on legal and institutional reforms.

- Deployment of a Threat Intelligence Sharing Platform and training of agencies.
- Nationwide roll-out of cyber hygiene awareness activities.

- Launch of the national training platform and certification scheme.
- Hand over of the scenario-based training platform.

Main partners

- **MICDE** - Ministry of Information, Communications, and the Digital Economy
- **NC4** - National Computer and Cybercrimes Coordination Committee
- **CA** - Communications Authority of Kenya
- **KE-CIRT/CC** - National Kenya Computer Incident Response Team – Coordination Centre
- **ICTA** - ICT Authority

Expected Results



Adoption and implementation of legal and institutional reforms.



Establishment or reinforcement of a National CSIRT and sectoral CERTs/SOCs.



Improved technical capacity for incident response across sectors.



A national cyber hygiene awareness strategy developed and rolled out.



Increased public trust and safety in Kenya's cyberspace, enabling citizens to benefit from digital services securely.