

# PREVENTING AND COUNTERING TERRORISM



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UNODC aims to improve the efficiency of the entire criminal justice process related to counter-terrorism (CT), whilst meeting adhering to international legal and normative standards. We also intends to enact protection-oriented frameworks to improve support for the survivors

of terrorism. Youth and community engagement is the cornerstone of preventive efforts under this component. The programme also aims to improve institutional capacity in countering terrorism financing and International Cooperation.

## MAJOR THREATS



## OUR SOLUTIONS

- ♦ Improve the efficiency of the entire criminal justice process related to counter-terrorism (CT) according to international norms and standards.
- ♦ Enact protection-oriented frameworks to improve support for survivors of terrorism.
- ♦ Engage with youth and communities to prevent extremist ideologies.
- ♦ Improve institutional capacity in countering terrorism financing.

## MAJOR OUTCOMES

- ♦ Enhanced capacity to counter, investigate, prosecute, and adjudicate CT cases;
- ♦ Strengthened policy mechanisms for providing protection and support to survivors of terrorism;
- ♦ Engaged youth and community stakeholders to develop strategic communication tools to prevent the emergence of terrorism by sharing information, experiences, and educational material;
- ♦ Enhanced capacity of criminal justice practitioners to identify, detect and prosecute cases of terrorism financing;
- ♦ Improved international cooperation in counter-terrorism and related prevention activities through good practice exchange.



### CAPACITY-BUILDING UNDER THE RULE OF LAW

- ◆ Investigative capacity of the anti-terrorism law enforcement institutions
- ◆ Develop common standards in counter-terrorism investigations
- ◆ Knowledge, skills, and tools provided to counter-terrorism investigators
- ◆ Improve standards and practices for prosecution in terrorism cases across provinces
- ◆ Enhance cooperation between all the actors of the CT criminal justice process
- ◆ Enhance and harmonize judicial practices of Anti-Terrorism Courts
- ◆ Promote a safe working environment for ATC
- ◆ Case management and monitoring system (CMMS)



### YOUTH AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT THROUGH STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION

- ◆ Increased knowledge and build trust among communities to counter extremism
- ◆ CVE targeted public campaigns and forums
- ◆ Develop appropriate tools to de-idealize & deconstruct violence narrative
- ◆ Develop documentaries or short films about radicalization and recruitment of young people through strategic messaging



### PROMOTE INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

- ◆ Promote greater coordination between Pakistan and its international partners
- ◆ Facilitate the participation of Pakistan at annual international forums
- ◆ Developing guidelines for international cooperation through Mutual Legal Assistance mechanisms and tools
- ◆ Promote Pakistan's contributions to international peace and security



### VICTIM PROTECTION AND SUPPORT

- ◆ Victims of terrorism are acknowledged and empowered
- ◆ Provide support to victims of terrorism
- ◆ Victims of terrorism are provided with the required support to improve their skills
- ◆ Development of victim referral mechanism



### COUNTERING THE FINANCING OF TERRORISM

- ◆ Reduce the risk of terrorism financing and prosecute those involved
- ◆ Improve inter-agency coordination
- ◆ Improve the number of investigations into terrorism financing cases
- ◆ Increase the knowledge of both public and private sectors on terrorism financing
- ◆ Awareness campaign through key messages on terrorism financing for public



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