

# REGIONAL HOUSING PROGRAMME IN CROATIA

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#### **BACKGROUND**

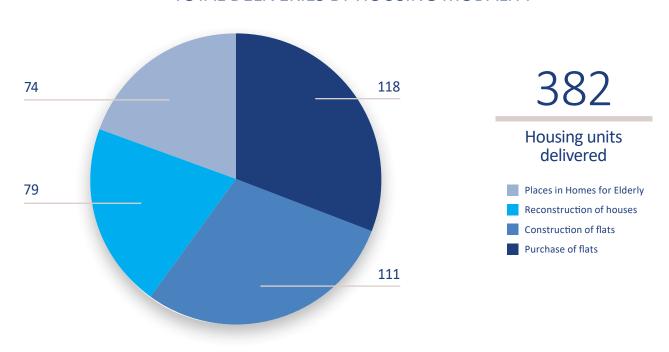
As a consequence of the conflicts on the territory of former Yugoslavia in the 1990s, an estimated 550 000 people were displaced within Croatia. Between 1991 and 1995, approximately 250 000 minority Serbs fled Croatia. To date, the authorities have registered 133 140 returnees of Serbian ethnicity to and within Croatia, equating to around half of those who fled their places of origin. Meanwhile, over the 1992-1995 period, the country received approximately 400 000 refugees from Bosnia and Herzegovina, of which an estimated 120 000 have since acquired Croatian citizenship.

The Regional Housing Programme (RHP) was launched by Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro and Serbia in 2012 with the objective of providing durable housing solutions to vulnerable refugees, internally displaced persons (IDPs) and returnees, either in their places of origin or of displacement. The RHP came to a successful conclusion in 2023, having provided secure homes to 382 families (934 persons) in Croatia.

#### RHP IN CROATIA AT A GLANCE

Number of sub-projects completed	9
Number of housing units provided	382
Grant funds utilised	€ 14.8 million
National contribution	€ 5.8 million
Total cost of housing projects	€ 20.6 million

### TOTAL DELIVERIES BY HOUSING MODALITY





## RHP SUB-PROJECTS FINANCED IN CROATIA

HR1

Construction of an apartment building for 29 families in Korenica

Total cost € 1 328 256 Grant amount € 1 048 491

National contribution

Completed 2015

€ 279 765

HR2

Construction of two residential buildings in Knin for 40 beneficiary households

€ 2 938 944 Total cost

€ 2 329 073 Grant amount

€ 609 871

National contribution

Completed 2017

Reconstruction of a home for 74 elderly and disabled persons in Glina

Total cost € 4 376 855

€ 3 070 315 Grant amount

National contribution € 1 306 540

> Completed 2018

HR4

Purchase of 100 flats within and outside the Areas of Special State Concern

€ 4 635 151 Total cost € 3 483 352 Grant amount National contribution € 1 151 799

> Completed 2019

HR5

Construction of a residential building for 21 families in Benkovac

Total cost € 1 267 741 € 904 449 Grant amount

National contribution € 363 292

> **Completed** 2018

HR6

Renovation, reconstruction or construction of 61 family houses

€ 2 717 725 Total cost € 1 776 265 Grant amount

National contribution € 941 460

> Completed 2021

HR7

Construction of a residential building for 21 families in Vukovar

Total cost € 1 166 137 € 786 703 Grant amount National contribution € 379 434

> Completed 2022

HR8

Renovation, reconstruction or construction of 18 family houses

€ 1 046 839 Total cost € 581 813 Grant amount National contribution € 465 026

> Completed 2022

HR9

Purchase of 18 flats

Total cost € 1 107 807 € 776 173 Grant amount National contribution € 331 634

> Completed 2022

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The Regional Housing Programme (RHP) was established to provide durable housing solutions to vulnerable refugees and displaced persons following the 1991-1995 conflicts on the territory of former Yugoslavia. The RHP is implemented by Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Montenegro and Serbia and mostly financed by the international donor community. The main donor is the European Union. The other donors are the United States of America, Germany, Norway, Switzerland, Italy, Denmark, Türkiye, Luxembourg, Spain, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Romania and the Slovak Republic.

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