

# School-Based Hazard Identification and Education for Local Disasters.

## RISK PREVENTION

### The problem. Project's solution

The Romania–Ukraine cross-border area faces multiple natural and man-made risks, including floods, earthquakes, and landslides, as well as chemical and industrial accidents. This is compounded by low community awareness and limited disaster preparedness, particularly in rural areas. These vulnerabilities raise concerns about the population's ability to respond effectively to hazards. The SHIELD project addresses these challenges by establishing Emergency Preparedness Classes and first aid training in schools, building resilience, knowledge, and life-saving skills among children.



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## SHIELD





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## Cross Border Partnership

### ◆ Lead Partner

Administration of Civil Protection of Population of Chernivtsi Regional State Administration, **Ukraine**

### ◆ Partner 2

"Bucovina" Inspectorate for Emergency Situations of Suceava County, **Romania**

### ◆ Partner 3

NGO «Agency for Innovations and Development», Chernivtsi region, **Ukraine**

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## Who benefits from the project?

- General public of Chernivtsi oblast and Suceava county
- Professional emergency services
- Local public authorities

## Project Outcomes

- **1 Awareness campaign** through Emergency preparedness
- **8 Public Events in Romania** on Disaster Risk Reduction and Prevention trainings with involvement of firefighters and paramedics for First Aid trainings with 320 participants from 8 schools
- **30 Public Events in Ukraine** on Disaster Risk Reduction and Prevention trainings with involvement of firefighters and paramedics for First Aid trainings with 700 participants from 10 schools
- **endowment of 10 Emergency Preparedness Classes** in 9 local communities of Chernivtsi oblast (Ukraine)
- **endowment of ISU Suceava** (Resuscitation mannequin, drowned simulation mannequin, Act+Fast suffocation life jacket, Moulage trauma kit, BLS set for injured victims, etc)
- **3 organisations cooperating across border**