Salient One analysis

Humanitarian Implementation Plan 2026 — Latin America and the Caribbean

Donor: European Commission — DG ECHO

Location: Latin America and the Caribbean; regional scope, with allocation-specific programme locations in the lots below, Latin America and the Caribbean; regional implementation scope

Deadline: Application deadlines: Allocation round 1 — Venezuela: 2026-02-09; Allocation round 2 — Colombia: 2026-02-09; Allocation round 3 — Central America and Mexico: 2026-01-26; Allocation round 4 — Haiti: 2026-01-27; Allocation round 5 — Rest of South America: 2026-02-09; Allocation round 6 — Caribbean: 2026-01-27; Allocation round 7 — Colombia: 2026-07-01; Allocation round 8 — Cuba, Modification request: 2026-07-20; Allocation round 8 — Cuba, New request: 2026-07-20; Allocation round 9 — Venezuela earthquakes: 2026-08-17; Rolling applications — Single Forms may be submitted at any time during the year following HIP publication; allocation-round receipt dates are indicative, and the Commission may consider later forms.

Funding and response priorities

The total call funding is EUR 144,007,988 (Indicative total allocation for the 2026 HIP.) — The Commission may award less than the full allocation or allocate part to regional or multi-country interventions.

Lot funding: Maximum EUR 52,000,000 (Indicative allocation round 1 amount.) Applies to: Allocation round 1 — Venezuela.

Lot funding: Maximum EUR 17,000,000 (Indicative allocation round 2 amount.) Applies to: Allocation round 2 — Colombia.

Lot funding: Maximum EUR 11,000,000 (Indicative allocation round 3 amount.) Applies to: Allocation round 3 — Central America and Mexico.

Lot funding: Maximum EUR 23,000,000 (Indicative allocation round 4 amount.) Applies to: Allocation round 4 — Haiti.

Activities

Priority activities — Allocation round 1 — Venezuela:

- Support existing health centres and lifesaving emergency services, including emergency obstetric, comprehensive sexual and reproductive, maternal and child healthcare.

Priority activities — Allocation round 1 — Venezuela:

- Treat acute malnutrition among children under five, including infants under six months, pregnant and lactating women, and adolescent girls, integrated with primary healthcare.

Priority activities — Allocation round 1 — Venezuela:

- Identify and address barriers to school access for vulnerable and hard-to-reach children; support safe, protective learning environments and student retention.

Who can apply

Applicants must meet the following conditions: Applicant must be an ECHO partner.

Allocation round 9 partner eligibility — required: ECHO-certified partner operating in affected areas. Applies to: Allocation round 9 — Venezuela earthquakes; ECHO-certified partner operating in affected areas.

NGO partner award eligibility: No award where audited financial statements were not submitted on time without proper justification, or audited accounts do not provide sufficient financial-capacity guarantees for the proposed action.

Local and national actor partnership — required: Unless duly justified, proposals should include local actors in project-cycle participation and leadership, governance, and an appropriate funding share; provide an appropriate share of overheads to local implementing partners.

Conditions that materially affect an application

Grant co-financing — required: Action resources must not be provided entirely by the grant; Exception: Full grant financing is permitted only when essential for carrying out the action; justify in Single Form section 10.4.

EU budget conditionality — required: Awards must comply with applicable Conditionality Measures; Applies when: At HIP publication, the Hungary decision prohibited direct or indirect legal commitments with public-interest trusts established under Hungarian Act IX of 2021 and their specified affiliated entities.

Budget and cost eligibility — required: Consult the Grant Agreement budget categories and cost-eligibility rules, including Data Sheet point 3, Article 6 and Annex 2, and the Annotated Grant Agreement.

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Submission and timing

Start date: 1 January 2026. Applies to: Allocation round 1 — Venezuela; Allocation round 2 — Colombia; Allocation round 3 — Central America and Mexico; Allocation round 4 — Haiti; Allocation round 5 — Rest of South America; Allocation round 6 — Caribbean; Allocation round 7 — Colombia; Allocation round 8 — Cuba.

Applications are submitted through APPEL.

Start date: 24 June 2026. Applies to: Allocation round 9 — Venezuela earthquakes.

Application deadline: 9 February 2026. Applies to: Allocation round 1 — Venezuela.

Application deadline: 9 February 2026. Applies to: Allocation round 2 — Colombia.

Sources

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