



Our Goal:

To improve the capacity of civil society to better understand and address child labor and promote acceptable conditions of work in Colombia's coffee sector.

3 Years of implementation

Partners of the Americas is the Project implementer

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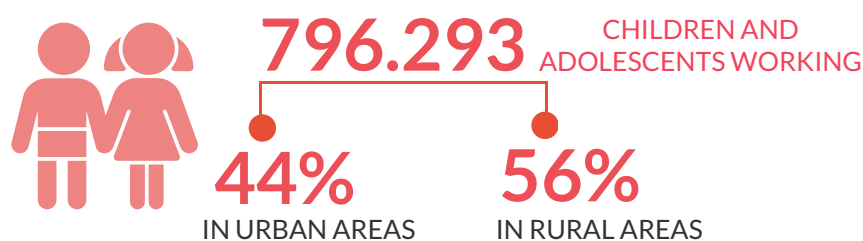


Overview*

GDP OF THE COFFEE SECTOR:



CHILD LABOR IN COLOMBIA:



The expected Outcomes are:

1. Improved the capacity of civil society to identify and document information on the nature and scope of child labor and/or forced labor, and violations of acceptable conditions of work in the coffee sector

By having objective and accurate information about the nature and scope of Child Labor in the production of the coffee in Colombia

- Study of Child Labor in the coffee sector (Pre-situational Analysis)

- Comprehensive Social Review in the coffee supply chain (Child Labor and Acceptable Conditions of Work)

- Assessment of the Interagency Committees for the Elimination of Child Labor (CIETIs) operating conditions

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* Statistics taken from the Departamento Administrativo Nacional de Estadística (DANE)

2. Improved the capacity of civil society to raise awareness for the protection of workers from child labor and violations of acceptable conditions of work

Through the strengthening of civil society, Partners of the Americas will carry out awareness raising campaigns on the importance of a Child Labor-free coffee sector, as well as on the importance of promoting acceptable conditions of work.

- Promote awareness raising campaigns among the Civil Society Organizations for the prevention and eradication of Child Labor in the coffee sector, as well as acceptable conditions of work

- Disseminate the conclusions of the National Study of Child Labor in the coffee sector in order to generate actions with Civil Society Organizations

- Disseminate the conclusions of the Comprehensive Social Review in the supply chain of the coffee sector in order to promote good practices of production

- Disseminate the conclusions of the assessment of the CIETIs operating conditions and formulate strategies to their strengthening

3. Strengthened civil society's capacity to understand enforcement of policies and action plans that are relevant, accessible and responsive to the nature of child labor and/or forced labor and violations of acceptable conditions of work in Colombia's coffee sector

By providing technical assistance to the civil society to conduct advocacy and to generate effective actions aimed at preventing and combating child labor and improving acceptable conditions of work.

- Strengthen the capacity of civil society in the mechanisms of public policy on Child Labor and acceptable conditions of work

- Promote initiatives developed by the National Network of Rural Youth in Colombia to develop a youth agenda with actions to prevent/eradicate Child Labor and to promote acceptable conditions of work

- Promote the participation of the Civil Society Organizations of the coffee sector in the CIETIs of the target municipalities and in other scenarios of democratic participation

- Promote the participation of the Civil Society Organizations in the elaboration of the Municipal Development Plans (2019-2021) in the target municipalities.

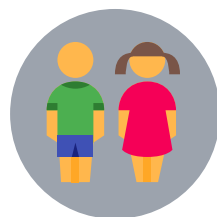
Levels of Intervention



National



Regional



Municipal





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