In 2020, the Alliance nearly doubled the number of people reached through our community work, and continued to deepen our impact on peoples’ lives in ways that help them better cope with both flood risk and the COVID-19 pandemic. This will increase in the coming years with the expansion of our community work in 2021 to an additional 11 countries, the extension of the program through the end of 2024, and the growing impact of our advocacy and policy work.

Community Programming Achievements

- **Community WASH activities and facilities to reduce the compound risk of COVID-19 and floods**
- **Moving from engineering-based flood prevention to human-centered approaches to living with floods**
- **The municipality of San Mateo improved their water treatment plant based on needs identified in the baseline assessment**
- **Increased access to psycho-social support services to address stressors arising from the pandemic and floods**
- **Communities constructed elevated safe places which saved livestock and assets in 2020 flood season**
- **Country-wide flood risk awareness and preparedness campaign for International DRR Day**
- **Communities coordinated with national response system to self-evacuate during major tropical storm**
- **National Department of Hydrology and Meteorology extended their SMS coverage area for sending emergency alerts**

2 million people
315,000 people

Reached to date

Zurich Flood Resilience Alliance Phase II
YEAR 3 ACHIEVEMENTS

June 2021
Although COVID-19 shifted policy priorities, we continue to advocate for addressing the resilience needs of the most vulnerable. Our strong relationships with policymakers and our willingness to meet their needs and provide tailored knowledge have been key to our success. We also influenced over USD 340 million in commitments and spending towards flood resilience as of December 1, 2020, a 53% increase from June of 2020.

Spending influenced to date in Phase II of the Alliance

The Alliance is advocating for an additional US $1 billion from public and private sources towards climate-smart, risk-informed development. In reporting on spending influenced, we report total, unweighted amounts. However, in evaluating our achievements against our goal of 1 billion USD, we weight total commitments by the estimated Alliance role in influencing that spending.

**Advocacy Achievements**

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**Advocacy Snapshots**

- **United Kingdom**
  - Influenced allocation of UK’s GBP 5.2 billion commitment toward local-level flood and coastal resilience financing
  - 439 Million USD

- **Indonesia**
  - Influenced a stronger resilience focus in the National Action Plan on Adaptation and Pekalongan City’s Spatial Plan

- **Costa Rica**
  - Honduras
  - Created and mobilized ‘first-of-their-kind’ advocacy coalitions involving government, NGOs, and CSOs

- **Nepal**
  - Facilitated inclusion of a clause in Sudurpaschim province disaster management policy to allocate 5% of the annual budget to disaster risk reduction activities (7 million USD for 2020-2021)

- **Global**
  - Influenced a 19% increase in Green Climate Fund allocation of adaptation funds towards the most vulnerable countries
  - ~850 Million USD

- **Global**
  - Increased uptake of Alliance messaging around ‘green’ COVID-19 recovery packages, ‘Loss and Damage’ resilience, and transformation in global and national policy dialogues

- **New Zealand**
  - Integrated indigenous voices in disaster and climate governance

- **Peru**
  - Influenced national government commitment towards nature-based solutions for flood resilience
  - 7 Million USD

- **Global**
  - Influenced national government commitment towards nature-based solutions for flood resilience
  - 1 Million USD

In partnership with

- **Concern Worldwide**
- **IFRC**
- **IIASA**
- **ISET International**
- **LSE**
- **Mercy Corps**
- **Plan International**
- **Practical Action**
- **Zurich**