



DIRECTIONS OF WORK TO
PROVIDE SAFETY IN ATCs



THE PROMOTION OF **COMMUNITY**
POLICING CONCEPT IN ATCs

● To establish **communication platforms to contact with police officers** and rescuers in ATCs

Nowadays such kind of projects are implemented in big cities only (e.g. POLiS managed by IREX)





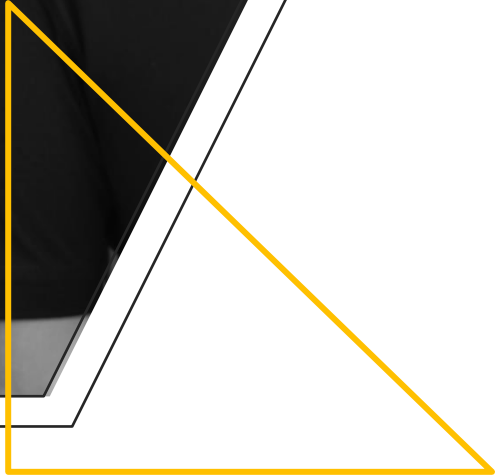
To implement **School Police Officers program**. To invite firefighters to conduct trainings and organize rescue competency-based competition in each hub school

Such practice is implemented permanently in big cities only (Kyiv, Lviv, Ivano-Frankivsk, Odesa) by patrol police. Visits of police officers to schools are conducted in ATCs rarely and spontaneously.

Cooperation of firefighters and schools occurs even more rarely.



To carry out **permanent preventive visits to vulnerable groups** by police officers and social services





IMPROVEMENT OF INFRASTRUCTURE
IN ORDER TO **ENSURE SAFETY**



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To create **safety centres**

Safety centres became attractive projects for Donetska oblast – 3 centres are built in Shakhivska, Cherkaska and Limanska ATCs, 3 more are planned in other ATCs. Moreover, safety centre was also built in Biloberiz'ka ATC in Ivano-Frankivska oblast.

SES, NPU, PMO MIA and Ministry of Regional Development work on standard of safety centres (Rescue Centre “Safe”). It is planned to adopt this standard as sufficient for project proposals for governmental co-funding.



To initiate the **instalment of video surveillance systems** and improvement of lighting around public spaces in ATCs

Video surveillance and lighting has major preventive impact on crime situation.

SHERIFF

To provide place for
**police officer's office in
every ATC**

Creation of safety centres or police officer's offices helps neighbourhood police officers to work in the community. Permanent presence of law enforcement officer can be met via recruitment of auxiliary police officers or establishment of "sheriff" position in local authority body.

Project "Sheriffs for New Communities" is implemented in Khersonska oblast (Stara Zbruiivka, Muzykivka villages) with the support of Charitable Fund "Charity and Health Fund" and NGO "Legal space". It is planned to involve Cherkaska and Kharkivska oblasts in this project.





To initiate the creation of **educational resilience centres**, for training community to respond to emergencies or crisis situations

Such resilience centres can exist as a part of safety centres – training for resilience as one of the tasks of firefighters or volunteers.

One of the organizations which popularize resilience concept is ICDS (Estonia).



IMPROVEMENT OF MANAGEMENT IN THE AREA OF CIVIL PROTECTION

AT THE LOCAL LEVEL



The work in this direct is being conducted in some communities but not systematically. For instance, newly created ATCs receive analytical report from SES on their risks in the field of civil protection.

TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT STANDARD OF SAFETY POLICY IN COMMUNITIES SUCH A STANDARD MIGHT INCLUDE

- ▲ Conduction an audit of shelter premises
- Creation of a shelter map and a plan for building new shelters premises or adapting existing facilities for shelter needs
- ▼ Creation of a material emergency reserve and plan for its sale and renewal
- Analysis of community risks in the field of civil protection
- ▼ Creation of risk prevention programs
- Creation of a system for alerting the population in case of emergencies



**INCREASING AWARENESS OF COMMUNITY
IN THE AREA OF CIVIL PROTECTION**

To implement the
Neighbourhood Watch
program in communities

At this point of time NW program is implemented by IREX and PMO MIA in Vinnitsa, Boryspil and Khmelnytskyi. Till the end of this year three more cities might be involved.

This initiative interested other community policing programs and projects. For instance, this topic was included in community policing training for representatives of ATCs of Zhytomyr oblast under UNDP.





To encourage community
to install of early fire
detection systems or fire
alarms

Quicker fire identification and
response of a firefighter team means
less losses.

To set up **the practice of conducting evacuation exercises**, training citizens for emergency response and first aid

Evacuation exercises and educational work are one of tasks of local authorities, which are not always fulfilled, unfortunately.

Systematically, trainings can be conducted by volunteers or via “resilience centres”.





To involve community in **volunteering** in the area of civil protection

Volunteer firefighters – worldwide practice in terms of civil protection. Ukraine has only begun to implement it.

For example, there are already 71 persons in three ATCs in Donetsk oblast who applied for volunteer firefighting and are waiting for training.