

Capacity Development under COVID-19

WHAT? Technical Assistance and Training for...

Emergency Response



- Debt sustainability frameworks
- Transparency in public financial management
- Assessing universal cash transfers

Building Forward Better



- Fiscal policies for a green recovery
- Tax policies for inclusive growth

...with a particular focus on low income countries and fragile states

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WHO? The IMF and its partners

The IMF, 40+ partners, a network of 17 regional development centers, and a dozen thematic funds, help cover the crisis response and recovery. The COVID-19 Crisis Capacity Development Initiative will ensure we meet countries' urgent capacity development needs, and boost our response to the crisis.

C-19 Initiative Partners

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| | JAPAN |
| | GERMANY |
| | CHINA |
| | KOREA |
| | CANADA |
| | BELGIUM |
| | SPAIN |
| | SINGAPORE |
| | SWITZERLAND |

\$40 million

The IMF raised USD 40 million so far to meet the unprecedented demand for capacity development, thanks to contributions from 9 external donors.

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IMF Capacity Development supports regions most affected by the COVID-19 crisis, closely matching IMF Emerging Lending.

100%

of IMF COVID Lending went to low and middle income countries

50%

of IMF Capacity Development went to low income countries

45%

of IMF Capacity Development went to middle income countries

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IMF Capacity Development meets the urgency of the COVID-19 crisis

Since 2020, we have been providing timely advice for our member countries as "how to notes" for policymakers:



Social protection and health expenditures



Digital solutions for direct cash transfers



Revenue mobilization and public financial management



Transparency and accountability in emergency response

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IMF Capacity Development for a smarter, greener, and more inclusive recovery

We will continue to meet the urgent needs of member countries to build forward better:



Leverage digitalization to mobilize domestic revenues, create safety nets, and accelerate cash transfers



Incorporate climate indicators into macroeconomic frameworks



Improve tax policies to arrest inequalities and boost inclusive growth

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