



BlueCheck Ukraine

Identifying, verifying and fast tracking support to organizations in Ukraine with the networks and knowledge to save lives right now.

Ukraine Today: Under Siege, Yet Resilient

How can we deliver aid quickly, efficiently, and transparently to those who need it most?

As Russia's war rages on, Ukrainian citizens bear its terrible burden. Homes and entire communities are destroyed. Air raids are a constant. Casualties and injuries are mounting. While the resilience of the Ukrainian people is renowned, they are living on the edge.

Despite considerable global support, most philanthropic funding hasn't reached the country. And the needs are only growing. Food, medicine, medical supplies, and other basic necessities are running short. Civilians remain cut off and vulnerable. And while the people best equipped to handle this crisis are those on the ground, they lack swift and regular access to global resources.



Who We Are

BlueCheck Ukraine is a group of experts committed to providing direct funding to local NGOs and grassroots organizations on the ground in Ukraine. Backed by more than 30 years of combined experience in humanitarian aid and expertise across various industries, we have created an end-to-end solution for identifying, vetting, verifying and fast-tracking funds to local NGOs, powered by our 501c3 sponsor, Nova Ukraine, and the due diligence services of Ropes and Gray and Integrity Risk International. We ensure funding arrives in the right place and to the right people in Ukraine, and swiftly deploy much-needed financial resources directly to them, as responsibly and efficiently as possible.

We support:

- Emergency medical care
- Food & relief supply distribution
- Emergency evacuations of trapped families
- Mental health services for Ukrainians in besieged areas
- Cash assistance to internally displaced people and refugees
- Anti-human trafficking interventions
- Trauma-informed care for educators operating makeshift schools

By decentralizing and localizing the disbursement of aid, we are shifting the humanitarian assistance paradigm.





The Needs Are Staggering

* Below are only a few of the statistics from Ukraine that show the enormity of the needs:

> **20%**

Of Ukrainians have left their homes
(Atlantic Council, May 2022)

7.7M

Ukrainians are displaced within Ukraine
(May 2022)

~ **2,000**

Children are missing following Russia's full-scale invasion, with **263 children casualties confirmed** by the United Nations. The true toll is feared much higher.
(Apr 2022)

256

Attacks on health care facilities have been verified. At least 75 people have been killed & 59 injured as a direct result.
(May 26th, 2022)



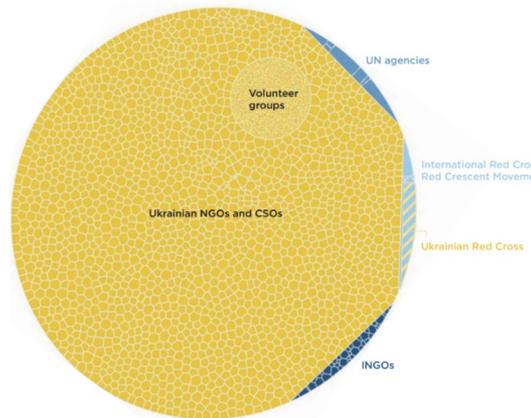
Why BlueCheck? Humanitarian Aid is Falling Short

As of May 2022, more than £2.15bn has been donated to Ukraine-related humanitarian response efforts since February – more than any other crisis this year. But a recent review by Humanitarian Outcomes, funded by the UK Humanitarian Innovation Hub, concluded that about 85% is being held by international aid organisations who are scarcely present in Ukraine and have yet to spend the majority of the money.

The report found that despite “informal” Ukrainian volunteer groups and NGOs providing “virtually all” humanitarian aid, they have received only 0.24% – or £5.3m - of the direct donations to Ukraine.

The yellow segment represents local Ukrainian NGOs, as a measure of operational presence.

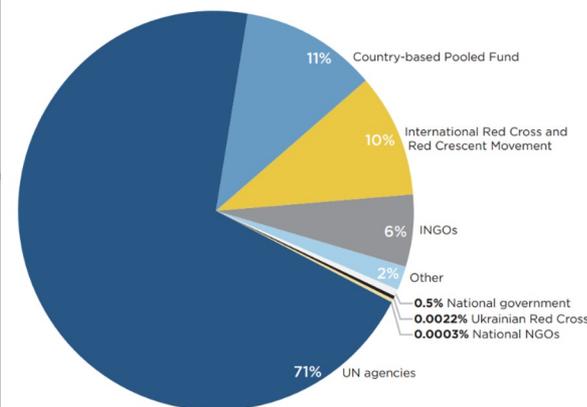
Figure 1: Operational presence
Humanitarian providers inside Ukraine are depicted here by number of organizations and their average staff size.



Data sources: GDHO (www.humanitarianoutcomes.org) and OCHA (www.humanitarianresponse.info/en/operations/ukraine)

The small sections below with fractions of a % show the funding that has reached local organizations.

Figure 3: Allocation of humanitarian contributions as of 23 May 2022



Source: UN FTS 2022



BlueCheck in Action

BlueCheck Ukraine is a platform that combines the capabilities of our due diligence partners to find local organizations and verify them to bring together global resources for local impact. Utilizing a 501c3 fiscal sponsor, Nova Ukraine, we collect donations from around the globe and fast-track funding to those on the ground.

Step 1: Identify Local Efforts



Step 2: Vet and Verify



Step 3: Fund



We've Already Started



(Centre "Women's Perspectives") \$76,500 funded for a shelter housing 45-50 women in Lviv



\$5,000 to build an online tool to help teachers with mental health and education support



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LVIV INTERNATIONAL SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

\$25,000 funded to purchase needed supplies to be distributed from the theatre



\$25, 000 to purchase a new vehicle to save more displaced women and children



\$50,000 provided to grant ~700 families with children and the elderly directly



\$25,000 for two months of operations for on-the-ground mental health support



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(ZAPORUKA) \$50,000 to purchase new operating table to increase surgery capacity



Local Impact, Global Reach



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(Former Finance Minister of Ukraine, Private Equity Investor, and Former Head of Puerto Rico's Oversight Board) Posted May 26th, 2022

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Thank you for [BlueCheckUkraine](#), which gives donors confidence in extraordinary Ukrainian organizations on the ground supporting Ukraine and responding to the extraordinary humanitarian needs resulting from russia's illegal, unprovoked and tyrannical war.

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