



Organizational Overview



About Us

CodeIT4Life is a humanitarian initiative founded in response to the full-scale Russian invasion of Ukraine. While our team had supported local communities even before 2022, the escalation of war **inspired us** to formalize our commitment to **saving lives** and **rebuilding resilience** among Ukrainian people. People and their values of saving life, willingness to help and dedication to the cause they cherish are the foundation of our work — they are our driving force.



Our Mission:

- **Save lives** during wartime.
- Create **safe** and **inclusive opportunities** for **children** and **youth** in the Kharkiv region — building the foundation for a sustainable and thriving future.

Driven by responsibility to our community, our country, and future generations, **CodeIT4Life** operates as an independent nonprofit — **without religious or political affiliation.**

Organizational Capacity

Annual operational range: USD 100,000–500,000

Projected 2025 income: \$190,672

Projected 2025 expenses: \$164,757

Full-time staff: 8

Active volunteers: 29

Projects implemented since 2022: over 40 humanitarian and educational initiatives

Partners: 70+ local and international organizations

Total funds mobilized: over \$300,000

Problem

The ongoing war has deprived thousands of children in the Kharkiv region of access to education and safe environments.

Over **380 schools have been destroyed**, and many communities remain under daily threat. More than **55,000 children**, including **6,500** in rural and frontline areas, lack stable educational and social support.

CodeIT4Life's Response:

Since 2023, our foundation has implemented the *Safe Ukrainian Childhood* program — creating safe, creative, and rehabilitative spaces for children affected by war. Since 2023, we have also been organizing children's camps. **Our model** is based on close cooperation with local communities: local authorities renovate premises, *CodeIT4Life* equips and staffs the spaces, and partners co-fund operations. This hybrid approach ensures community ownership and cost efficiency, enabling us to sustainably expand our impact and provide safe environments where children can **learn**, **play**, and **socialize**. In our spaces, children with special educational needs can receive regular offline corrective services from specialists.

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CodeIT4Life's Response:

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To meet the diverse needs of children, we create **spaces** of various configurations. These include learning and play rooms, sports zones, art studios, and sensory rooms designed to help children relax and regulate emotions. Among our facilities is a fully renovated **Inclusive Resource Center**, where children with special educational needs receive **offline support** and **specialized sessions**. Importantly, all spaces are arranged in **secure locations** — often in renovated basement shelters — ensuring that children can safely continue their education, socialization, and psychological rehabilitation even during air-raid alerts.

Building on our commitment, we expanded our summer initiatives. In addition to the **camps** organized in Ukraine since 2023, we have also been running **children's camps in Ukraine and Germany since 2024**.



Children direction

Our impact so far:



2,120+ educational and psychosocial events organized



10 safe children spaces opened in war-affected communities



(10th children's space was opened on the 15th november 2025)



29,800+ children visits recorded



4 camps are held

Current and Ongoing Projects (2025)

Safe Ukrainian Childhood
centers across Kharkiv
region (10 operating)



4 educational and
rehabilitation camps for
children (in Ukraine and
abroad)

*Inclusive Center for
Children with Autism* —
renovation in the
basement completed,
expansion in 2025.



2026 Development Plan (Children & Youth Direction)

Building upon our proven success, we plan to expand our child-focused programs in 2026:

Initiative:

+2 Safe Child Spaces

Estimated Budget \$40,000

+2 Sensory Rooms

Estimated Budget \$20,000

Expansion of Inclusive Center

Estimated Budget \$25,000

**+2 psychological support
for children**

Estimated Budget \$33,000

These initiatives will extend psychosocial support, education, and inclusion opportunities to over **1,200 children** in the Kharkiv region.