



Helping our Southern Neighbourhood partners to fight  
the pandemic:

The re-orientation of EU's cooperation programme

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## Overview of the EU support to Southern Neighbourhood (mainly ENI)

- **€92 million** for immediate needs
- The EU is responding by supplying protective equipment, secure essential goods and food and basic health services
- **€1.3 billion** for the short and medium term to support the social and economic recovery of the region
- responds to the crisis' adverse economic and social effects that will require long term engagement and adaptation of existing financial instruments. Actions under this priority include cushions in the face of possible macro-economic shocks, appropriate backing to financial intermediaries, a mix of financing options for the public and private sector. It also includes a protective framework for the workforce and incomeless households
- **€923,7 million** to strengthen the health sector
- Helping partner countries to step up hygiene and to make health systems resilient, contribute to awareness-raising efforts, provide technical assistance, crisis management guidelines and sharing expert opinions. Promoting equal access to the health system to migrant, refugee, displaced and host communities