



#### **CARE International**

CARE is a leading humanitarian organization committed to saving lives and fighting poverty and social injustice. It has been working in over 100 countries across the globe.

Working alongside a vast network of partners globally, CARE works to rebuild and improve the lives of the most disadvantaged, poor, and vulnerable communities. Through community-based efforts, CARE works to prevent the spread of diseases, increase improved health awareness and access to safe drinking water and sanitation, build awareness, and bring communities together to expand economic opportunities and access to natural resources while protecting the environment.

CARE seeks to influence policies and challenge social norms that affect the lives of women, children, and the most vulnerable communities through vital networking of partners, raising awareness on women's rights, leadership campaigns and skills training.

CARE also works actively in emergencies by providing aid to survivors of war and natural disasters. CARE has zero tolerance towards any form of violence against women and girls, sexual harassment and fraud, with a strong belief in equality, diversity and inclusion.

#### **CARE in Vietnam**

Since 1989, CARE Vietnam has actively cooperated with many partner organizations to implement more than 300 projects in Vietnam. We recognize that the key to equitable and sustainable development lies in addressing the root causes of poverty, social injustice and inequality. We always work with our partners to support women smallholder farmers, workers and women small and micro-enterprise owners to enhance their capacity and confidence to participate in economic development activities, adapt to climate change and increase resilience after natural disasters or major disasters. Together, we aim for a society that develops fairly and equitably for everyone.

For more information, visit care.org.vn

To learn more, visit: www.care.org.vn



## country director's foreword

As we look back on another impactful year of CARE's work in Vietnam, I am inspired by the strength, leadership, and determination of the communities we work alongside. 2024 marked a year of meaningful strides, as communities, particularly women and ethnic minorities, continued to drive their own paths forward in a rapidly evolving economic landscape. Our role has been to provide support, tools, and resources that enhance their resilience, helping them strengthen their economic opportunities and take on active roles as decision-makers within their communities and markets.

Vietnam's growth trajectory is undeniable, with its vibrant economy expanding through Free Trade Agreements and integration into regional and global supply chains. Yet, even amid this prosperity, the most marginalized groups face persistent disparities. Women, particularly in rural areas and from ethnic minorities, continue to encounter barriers in accessing finance, markets, and decision-making spaces. Climate change has compounded these challenges, hitting the poorest and most vulnerable the hardest.

The urgency of our collective work is clear. Over the past year, we have stood alongside these communities, offering resources and support that amplify their agency and help them navigate the complex and shifting landscape. Whether empowering women micro-entrepreneurs or facilitating the adoption of climate-smart agricultural practices, the solutions have been driven by the communities themselves—building the resilience they need to thrive.

As we look ahead to the next strategic period, we are more committed than ever to addressing the interconnected challenges of gender inequality, economic justice, and climate change. Our 2025-2030 strategy will center on amplifying the agency of marginalized women, ethnic minorities, and youth as they continue to



shape the systems that affect their lives. With their leadership, we will focus on building their economic and climate resilience, ensuring that they can create the pathways to success that reflect their needs and aspirations.

Our approach will evolve to put greater emphasis on locally led solutions, private sector engagement, and market-based approaches — collaborating with strong partners to amplify the impact and ensure sustainable development. This approach aligns closely with the challenges and opportunities that Vietnam faces as it seeks to build a more inclusive, equitable, and climate-resilient future.

The next five years are pivotal, not just for our ongoing support of marginalized communities but for scaling the efforts to address the systemic barriers that hold these communities back. By prioritizing empowered economic decision-making, sustainable livelihoods, and gender-just systems, we are contributing to creating a future where all can realize their full potential.

I extend my deepest gratitude to all our partners, supporters, and especially the communities who continue to lead with resilience, trust, and collaboration. Together, we are building lasting change. As we move forward, let us do so with optimism and determination, knowing that we are working alongside those who are shaping a more inclusive and sustainable future for generations to come.

Le Kim Dung

Country Director - CARE in Vietnam

#### our work

**22** 

projects implemented in Vietnam.

14,918

people assisted in advancing women's economic justice.

4,717

people supported in strengthening their resilience and adaptiveness to climate change.

15,993

people empowered to advance gender equality.

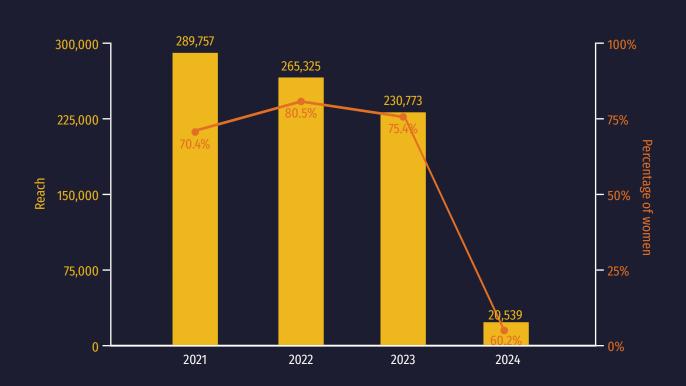
4,860

people provided with access to food, water, and nutrition.

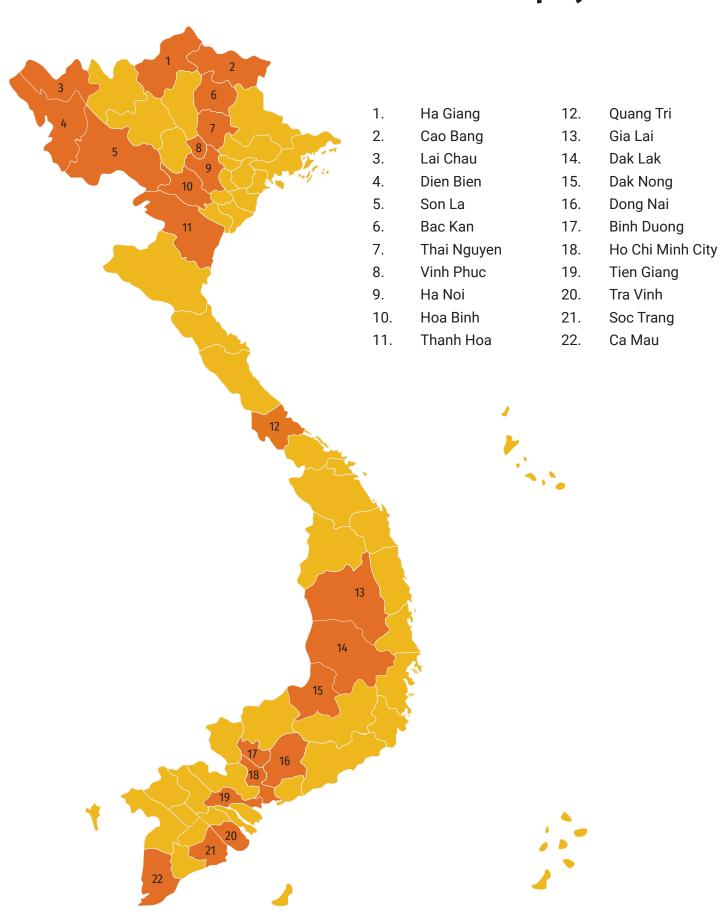
30,000

people served through humanitarian response.

#### **Direct reach trend**



### project sites





### From Dream to Reality: How Loc Thi Chanh Builds a Solid Foundation for her Business

In Bac Kan, a province in northern Vietnam, Loc Thi Chanh's entrepreneurial journey began with a dream to preserve the traditional Banh Gio, a savory rice cake unique to the Tay ethnic group. In 2021, Chanh founded the Banh Gio Bac Kan Cooperative, initially making the cakes only for special occasions like Tet holiday. However, seeing the potential of social media, she decided to expand the business to reach a wider audience. "Instead of just producing cakes for festivals, I wanted everyone to know and enjoy them," Chanh says.

Though Chanh had a clear vision, she faced challenges such as limited digital skills and the demands of balancing family life with her business. "Our digital skills are quite weak... we are considered more traditional" she admits. Despite this, she embraced technology, using

social media to expand her reach. As orders started pouring in from across the country, including from southern Vietnam, Chanh took a bold step in 2023 - expanding her operations to Ho Chi Minh City.

This expansion was not without difficulties. Chanh fell ill with dengue fever, leaving her twin children with her parents while managing her northern business remotely. Yet, she adapted quickly, using tech-based delivery services to support her growing customer base. Today, the Cooperative produces around 10,000 cakes daily and employs 14 people, many of whom are women from the local community.

A key factor in Chanh's success is her involvement in women-centered initiatives, particularly through CARE's Strive Women initiative. This initiative provides women entrepreneurs like Chanh with essential tools to build financial health, including business training, digital literacy, and access to financial services. CARE's support enabled Chanh to modernize her production, purchase an electric cooker to reduce labor costs, and improve packaging design, which enhanced her business operations and expanded her reach.

Chanh's confidence in decision-making has been crucial to her success. She runs the entire operation, from overseeing production to business strategy. Her long days—starting at 5 AM and ending at midnight—are demanding, but she's committed to her vision. "Although we still face difficulties, we maintain stable work and manufacturing," she reflects.

Through CARE's initiatives, Chanh has gained financial literacy and the confidence to make informed business decisions. By providing access to digital tools and business advice, CARE helped Chanh build a more resilient, sustainable business that not only benefits her but also creates employment for women in her community. "I'm confident when I collaborate with everyone in production. When I share with them, they can give me advice to make better decisions." she says, emphasizing the power of collective decision-making.

Looking ahead, Chanh is determined to continue expanding her business while preserving the traditional Tay Banh Gio. "I will try my best to preserve, develop, and further promote it" she says. For Chanh, the key to her success lies in confidence, adaptability, and the support of women-centered initiatives like CARE, which have enabled her to transform her dreams into reality and build a strong foundation for financial health.



#### **Empowering Women:**

How CARE's Strive Women Initiatives Are Building Financial Health through Entrepreneurship

In communities around the world, women are not only striving to balance the demands of their families but are also overcoming barriers to financial independence and entrepreneurship. The CARE Strive Women initiative is a beacon of hope, offering tailored programs designed to elevate women into the drivers of their own economic success. Through a woman-centered approach, CARE has been transforming the lives of hundred of thousands women entrepreneurs globally, equipping them with the skills, resources, and support they need to thrive in business and build long-term financial health.

At the heart of CARE's mission is the belief that when women succeed, entire communities flourish. The Strive Women initiative focuses on addressing the unique challenges women face in accessing financial resources, markets, and opportunities. From rural villages to urban centers, the program has been empowering women to overcome these obstacles by providing them with access to business training, mentorship, financial literacy, and tools to increase their income.



### Connecting Trust: Empowering Garment Workers' Leadership and Decision-Making through the Needle of Change

In Vietnam, the garment industry has long been a cornerstone of the country's economy, employing millions of workers, many of whom are women. However, despite their critical role, these workers often face challenging conditions: long hours, low wages, and limited opportunities for career growth. Recognizing the need for change, CARE has stepped in to help create more dignified workplaces in Vietnam's garment factories, transforming the workers' lives and fostering environments where respect and fair treatment are paramount.

CARE's initiatives in Vietnam's garment factories have played a pivotal role in improving the working conditions and empowering workers,

particularly women. One notable example is the Kết Nối Niềm Tin (Connecting Trust) group, Connecting Trust has become a strong example of CARE's broader effort to strengthen dignified workplaces, fostering worker leadership and participation in shaping their own work environments.

The group initially focused on building communication channels between workers and management, ensuring workers have a voice in decision-making processes. Through organizing events like Family Day, which engaged over 400 workers, and leading dialogues with management, the group gained recognition



Ket Noi Niem Tin members joining BridgeFest in Hanoi in November 2024 where they shared their initiatives with thousands of visitors celebrating social inclusion - Photos: Don Domino/CARE



tive steps, such as drafting proposals for factory management and being elected to the Fair Trade Fund's management committee, a significant achievement that showcased their growing leadership.

Despite the technical support from CVN ending in 2023, the group continued to thrive through their own initiative. They met regularly, proposed new ideas, and recently succeeded in launching two initiatives. Their recent participation at BridgeFest in Hanoi was particularly impactful, as they not only had a booth to represent factory workers but were also invited to perform during the opening of the event - something they had only dreamed of a year earlier. This achievement symbolized the group's growth and their new role

as leaders and change-makers within the garment industry.

CARE's technical support in these factories, through supporting groups like Connecting Trust, emphasizes building workers' confidence, enhancing their leadership skills, and promoting safe, respectful, and fair work environments. By fostering a culture of open dialogue, promoting diversity, inclusion and equality, and providing financial literacy programs, CARE is helping to transform the garment industry into a more dignified and supportive workplace for all. Connecting Trust's journey highlights how, through empowerment and collaboration, workers can drive change, not only within their own factories but also in the wider community.



# Embracing Climate-Smart Practices for Diversified Income: Empowering Farmers in Tan An Village

In Tân An Village, located in Yên Bình Town, Quang Bình District, the lives of 116 housholds have long been tied to agriculture, with rice and a small amount of winter maize serving as the community's primary crops. However, until December 2021, the farmers in Tân An faced significant challenges. The central 3.5-hectare field, where they farmed, could only support one rice crop and a small variety of winter vegetables due to the lack of irrigation, leaving the land largely fallow for much of the year.

In response to these challenges, the Quang Bình District People's Committee launched a land consolidation initiative aimed at optimizing the use of agricultural land. The project included leveling and expanding the central farmland to make it more efficient. This change marked a turning point for the village's farmers, allowing them to explore new opportunities and diversify their crops.

In collaboration with the Quang Bình District People's Committee and the district's Department of Agriculture, in the scope of work of the Canadian funded project, Advancing Women Economic Empowerment in Vietnam, provided funding and technical support to 43 households in the village, encouraging them to experiment with planting peanuts after the rice harvest. The project not only offered guidance on cultivating peanuts but also taught farmers how to manage pests, safely dispose of pesticide containers, and ensure the overall safety of their farming practices. This resulted in a cleaner and more productive farming environment for the entire village.

The farmers worked together to establish common farming regulations and a joint planting plan, with a focus on cultivating peanuts during the 2022-2023 winter-spring season. The benefits of this new crop were clear—beyond



harvesting peanuts, the farmers used the plant's leaves, stems, and vines as livestock feed for animals like cows and goats. The peanut roots also enriched the soil by adding nitrogen, reducing the need for chemical fertilizers in future planting seasons.

By June 2023, the results were encouraging. From the 3.5 hectares of peanut crops, the farmers harvested nearly 11 tons, a substantial yield despite challenging weather conditions throughout the season. This success has brought them an income of VND120 million – almost double the income from planting rice on the same areas - motivated the farmers to continue their work with peanuts, with plans to plant a second crop after their potato harvest in early 2024.

Building on the success of their peanut farming, 23 of the 47 members in the Tân An Peanut Group have decided to experiment with planting sweet potatoes during the 2024-2025 winter-spring season. With project support, these farmers receive training, guidance on best practices, and assistance in connecting with buyers. The project also provided over one ton of sweet potato slips for planting on one hectare of land, further diversifying the village's agricultural activities.

The story of Tân An Village demonstrates how adopting climate-smart farming practices can help farmers diversify their income and adapt to the challenges posed by climate change. By introducing new crops, improving soil health, and embracing sustainable farming techniques, the farmers of Tân An are not only securing a more stable future for themselves but also contributing to the environmental and economic resilience of their community.



### Turning Waste into Wealth: How Farmers Are Transforming Agricultural By-Products into New Livelihoods

In a small rural community in Dak Lak, Vietnam, farmers are discovering innovative ways to improve their livelihoods while preserving traditional agricultural practices. The key? Pineapple leaves - once considered waste - are now being transformed into valuable eco-friendly fibers, providing a sustainable income opportunity for local families.

The initiative focuses on creating innovative livelihood activities using agricultural waste. By processing pineapple leaves into fibers, farmers can work from home and process the leaves in their spare time. With minimal upfront investment and no major changes to their farming

routines, they can sell the processed fibers to companies like EcoSoi, a startup producing eco-friendly fibers for export to the EU and Japan.

H Chuoc is among the three ethnic minority households who are already reaping the benefits of this initiative. After signing contracts with EcoSoi, in 2024, they processed five tons of pineapple leaves, producing 100 kg of high-quality dried fibers, which were sold for 18 million VND (approximately 750 USD). The fibers were praised for their superior quality, setting a new standard in the market.

The process involves collaboration among family members husbands collect the leaves, while wives process and dry them. "I see my wife feeling more confident and happier when she processes the pineapple leaves and earns money. She can do it in her free time at home," one farmer shared. This farmer-led innovation ensures that the community remains engaged and invested in the project, increasing its chance of long-term success.

What makes this model particularly impactful is its simplicity. By leveraging resources already available to farmers, with minimal investment and labor requirements, the project offers a scalable solution with the potential for widespread adoption. It also provides immediate income generation, which motivates farmers to stay committed, even in the early stages.

With ongoing support and continuous monitoring, this sustainable model is helping to empower farmers, boost their confidence, and reduce environmental harm. Through these small but significant steps, local communities are embracing a future where eco-friendly practices and increased income go hand in hand.

44

Processing pineapple leaves is very easy, taking advantage of the available resources each crop. We can do it in house and create more income. My family is also thinking about lending the machine to other to process when they have a lot of pineapple leaves, when the pineapple harvest season comes.

H Chuoc Nie from Dak Lak

77





# **Bouncing Back: Supporting over 30,000 People Recovering after Typhoon Yagi**

On 7 September 2024, Super Typhoon Yagi, the strongest storm to strike Vietnam in 70 years, made landfall in the northern provinces, causing widespread devastation. The typhoon affected millions of people across 26 provinces. The storm brought severe flooding, landslides, and significant infrastructure damage, with wind speeds exceeding 220 km/h and rainfall surpassing 400 mm. According to preliminary data from the Vietnamese government, the disaster resulted in at least 318 deaths, 26 missing persons, and 1,976 injuries.

In the Northern provinces of Lao Cai, Yen Bai, Cao Bang, Ha Giang, and Hoa Binh, the damage was particularly severe. Hundreds of families lost their homes due to landslides, leaving them with the difficult task of either rebuilding or relocating to safer areas. In addition to the destruction of homes, thousands of families

lost their crops due to the heavy rainfall, which further exacerbated the economic hardship faced by these communities.

In response to the crisis, CARE, in collaboration with the Government of Vietnam and other humanitarian agencies, launched an immediate relief operation. Supported by multiple donors, CARE prioritized life-saving assistance, including WASH (water, sanitation, and hygiene) supplies and emergency cash transfers to help the most affected families recover. CARE's initial response included the distribution of multipurpose cash assistance, hygiene kits, and cash for housing recovery, which provided critical support for rebuilding homes and restoring livelihoods. An estimated US\$ 1.5 million was mobilized to support CARE's multisectoral response, aiding in the early recovery of affected families and communities.

This coordinated effort has been crucial in helping the most vulnerable populations start their recovery journey, though ongoing support will be essential to ensure long-term rebuilding and resilience in the affected regions.

- Quang Bình district: Yên Thành, Bằng Lang, Tiên Nguyên, Bản Rịa, Nà Khương
- Mèo Vạc district: Tát Ngà, Niêm Tòng,
  Giàng Chu Phìn, Xín Cái, Thượng Phùng
- Xín Mần district: Nậm Xỉn, Thèn Phàng,
  Nấm Dẩn
- Bắc Quang district: Việt Vinh, Đồng Tâm

- Nguyên Bình district: Ca Thành, Vũ Nông, Yên Lạc
- Bảo Lâm district: Lý Bôn, Vĩnh Quang
- Bảo Lạc district: Cô Ba, Đình Phùng,
  Phan Thanh





Photo: Bui Hoang Quan, Hoang Van Hau, Ha Trung Nghia/CARE







### Strengthening Monitoring System to Support Implementation of National Target Programs in Ethnic Minority Regions

To contribute to the implementation of the National Target Programs in ethnic minority areas, CARE supported the initiative led by the Ethnic Council to strengthen monitoring systems.

With the financial support of the Embassy of Ireland and CARE's technical support, Department of Ethnic Affairs began piloting the new monitoring system in September 2022. By December 2024, the system had received recognition and support from the top leaders of the Ethnic Council. In August 2023, two consultations were held in Bac Kan and Quang Tri provinces to gather input from local stakeholders. Participants expressed strong support for the establishment, piloting, completion, and future scaling of the system.

The pilot phase has been implemented in five communes across two districts, Dakrong and Huong Hoa, located in Quang Tri province, with initial results emerging. Feedback from the communities highlighted limitations in the implementation of the "Production Support" component. As a result, the Provincial People's Council engaged the thematic monitoring tool from July to September 2024 to address these issues.

Recommendations from the Provincial People's Council to enhance the implementation strategy for the "Production Support" component, as part of the National Target Program 1719, have been incorporated into the council's resolution. Looking ahead to 2025, the system is set for further refinement and expansion across all communes in the two districts. This will establish a foundation for ongoing monitoring, evaluation, and improvements, with plans for broader application in more areas of the province, and potentially other provinces, under the guidance of the Ethnic Council.



# Vision for a Just Future: CARE Vietnam's 2025 and Beyond

CARE's strategic direction in Vietnam for the period 2025-2030 focuses on tackling the interconnected challenges of gender inequality, climate change, and economic disparities, with a particular emphasis on empowering marginalized communities. This renewed commitment is rooted in the realization that Vietnam's remarkable economic growth, driven by free trade agreements and global market integration, has not been equally distributed. Disparities persist, especially for marginalized groups such as women, ethnic minorities, and women micro-entrepreneurs, who continue to face barriers to economic participation and resilience.

The pursuit of gender equality and climate justice remains central to the challenges and opportunities of our time. To drive systemic change, our operational strategy focuses on

two transformative priorities: Women's Economic Justice and Climate Justice. These intertwined goals recognize the vital role women play in shaping sustainable futures, especially in marginalized communities where both economic opportunities and environmental risks are disproportionately felt.

At the heart of our strategy lies the integration of women's economic justice with climate justice, supporting a pathway towards both gender equality and a sustainable environment. This approach is built around key interventions in two main sections: Women's Economic Justice and Climate Justice.

The Women's Economic Justice component addresses the empowerment of women through financial inclusion, focusing on Village Savings and Loan Associations (VSLAs) as a

critical tool for marginalized communities. By scaling up digital VSLA models and formalizing access to financial products tailored to women-led micro and small enterprises (W-MSEs), we aim to improve financial independence and economic mobility. Furthermore, we recognize the necessity of creating an enabling ecosystem for women entrepreneurs by facilitating access to markets and resources, dismantling social barriers, and reducing the burden of unpaid care work. In parallel, the strategy promotes dignified work by fostering women's leadership in the workplace, combatting violence and harassment, and preparing marginalized groups for green jobs, digitalization, and gender-responsive health and well-being initiatives.

The Climate Justice pillar seeks to mitigate and adapt to climate change while ensuring women's active participation in climate resilience strategies. Key interventions include supporting climate-smart agriculture and fisheries, developing nature-based solutions like agroforestry and forest governance, and integrating gender and social inclusion in carbon finance and sustainable practices. We also focus on facilitating access to green finance and green technology for women-led enterprises, promoting circular economies, and enhancing disaster risk reduction capabilities to prepare vulnerable communities for climate-induced disasters.

Through this integrated operational strategy, we aspire to build an inclusive, resilient future where women are not only at the forefront of economic development but also lead in driving the sustainability and climate justice agenda.

#### **Approaches for Implementation**

To achieve these outcomes, CARE will adopt several strategic approaches:

- Locally-led Ownership of Development: Empowering local actors, particularly marginalized communities, to take the lead in their development, ensuring that solutions are contextually relevant and sustainable.
- Private Sector Engagement & Market-Based Approaches: Leveraging partnerships with the private sector to create market-driven solutions that benefit marginalized groups, particularly women and youth, by improving access to markets and financial resources.
- Youth Engagement: Recognizing the pivotal role of youth in shaping Vietnam's future, CARE will prioritize engaging young people in initiatives that address economic justice, climate resilience, and gender equality. This will be supported through innovative and agile approaches to development that integrate the perspectives and aspirations of youth, particularly in economic decision-making.
- Innovation & Agility: CARE will prioritize innovative solutions and maintain flexibility in adapting to evolving challenges, particularly in the face of climate change and socio-economic disruptions.
- Partnerships: Strengthening collaborations with local and international partners to maximize impact and drive systemic change, ensuring that all stakeholders are involved in the design and implementation of inclusive development strategies.



# Strengthening Agricultural Development in Ha Giang: A Collaborative Effort to Empower Women Farmers

Mobilizing the support from the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development (DARD) in Ha Giang exemplifies how collaboration between local government bodies and non-governmental organizations can create lasting, meaningful change in rural communities. This partnership is rooted in a shared commitment to empower local farmers, with a particular focus on women, to improve their economic well-being and overall quality of life.

Designed in close alignment with Ha Giang's social and economic development plans, this collaboration ensures that the initiatives address the region's unique agricultural needs while supporting broader goals of rural development. Ha Giang DARD has played a crucial role in driving the implementation of programs tailored to the local context, integrating sustainable farming practices and economic strategies that align with Ha Giang's long-term vision.

A cornerstone of this collaboration is the targeted support for women farmers, who often face disproportionate challenges in accessing resources, opportunities, and decision-making power. CARE's contribution has been pivotal, providing training, financial literacy programs, and entrepreneurial support that empower

women to enhance their farming practices, boost their income, and increase their leader-ship within households and communities. This focus on gender equality and economic empowerment is creating transformative change, improving the livelihoods of women while also uplifting entire communities.

Importantly, the initiatives implemented by CARE and Ha Giang DARD are designed to be mutually reinforcing and locally relevant, complementing Ha Giang's broader strategies for poverty reduction and sustainable rural development. Together, CARE and DARD have ensured that these programs are not only impactful but sustainable, creating enduring benefits for farmers across the region. The positive outcomes are already visible, with many farmers, particularly women, acquiring new skills, strengthening their financial independence, and gaining greater control over their futures.

Through their continued collaboration, the partnership between CARE and Ha Giang DARD is fostering a more inclusive, equitable, and prosperous future for Ha Giang's rural communities, demonstrating the power of joint action to create lasting change.



# **Empowering Women Farmers in Dak Lak: Heading to Sustainable Agricultural Development**

The partnership between CARE and the Community Development Centre (CDC) Dak Lak is creating lasting change for women farmers in Vietnam's Central Highlands. Since 2021, they have implemented several initiatives, including She Feeds the World, She Thrives, and Growing Resilience. These projects focus on sustainable agriculture, economic empowerment, and increasing resilience to climate change. By combining their expertise and resources, CARE and CDC Dak Lak aim to improve agricultural productivity, enhance environmental sustainability, and promote inclusive farming practices.

A key part of the partnership involves the introduction of modern technology and machinery to enhance farming techniques. Through these innovations, farmers—particularly women—gain access to modern tools that improve productivity, soil health, and crop quality. These tools also reduce labor demands and help lower production costs, enabling farmers to remain competitive in regional markets while minimizing post-harvest losses.

The partnership also emphasizes sustainability. CARE and CDC Dak Lak train farmers to recycle

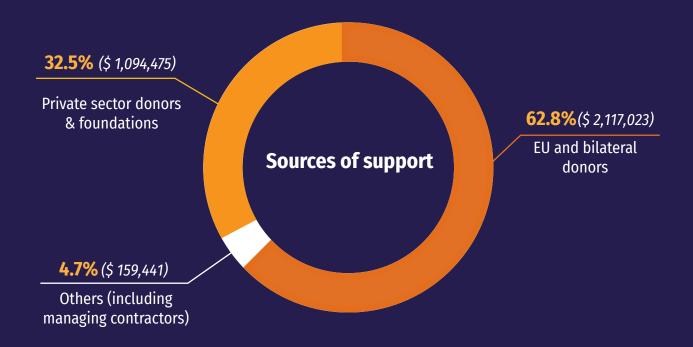
agricultural waste into valuable products, such as organic fertilizers, natural pesticides, and even mushrooms. These practices not only help protect the environment but also generate new income streams for farmers.

In addition to technological and environmental advancements, empowering women is central to the partnership's goals. Women in Dak Lak play a vital role in agriculture but often lack access to resources, knowledge, and leadership opportunities. CARE and CDC Dak Lak offer targeted training in leadership, business management, technology, and sustainable farming practices. By equipping women with these skills, the partnership boosts household incomes and empowers women to take on leadership roles within their communities.

Together, CARE and CDC Dak Lak are building a more resilient and sustainable agricultural sector. Their efforts improve women's economic status, enhance farming practices, and contribute to environmental preservation. Through their collaborative approach, they create shared value for farmers, their families, and the wider community, making a long-term impact in the region.

# financial report

### Total 2024 disbursement: **US\$ 3,370,940**







#### **Our Donors**

- AFD
- BHA
- Cargill Foundation
- European Union (EU)
- Fondation L'Oréal (FLO)
- Give2Asia
- Global Affairs Canada (GAC)
- Irish Aid (IA)
- Ile de France
- Ministry of Europe and Foreign Affairs –
  France
- Lululemon
- L'Oreal Disaster Foundation
- McCormick
- · Mastercard Center for Inclusive Growth
- PepsiCo Foundation
- The Starbucks Foundation
- Target Enterprise Inc.
- The Peierls Foundation

#### **Government Partners**

- · National Assembly (NA) Ethnic Council
- Committee for Ethnic Minority Affairs (CEMA)
- Department of Ethnic Policies
- CEMA NTP-SEDEMA Coordination Office
- Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development (MARD) - Department of Cooperatives and Rural Development
- Department of Agriculture and Rural Development of Ha Giang, Lai Chau and Son La province

#### **CARE Member Partners**

- CARE Australia
- CARE Canada
- CARE Denmark
- CARE France
- CARE Germany
- CARE Netherland
- CARE UK
- CARE USA

#### **Contractors:**

 Deloitte Consulting LLP (Improving Private Sector Competitiveness)

#### **Co-Implementing Partners**

- Community Development Center, Dak Lak (CDC)
- Disability Research and Capacity Development Center (DRD)
- For Vietnamese Stature Foundation (VSF)
- Institute for Development & Community Health (LIGHT)
- MEVI
- Plan International in Vietnam
- · Son La Agricultural Extension Centre
- Thanh Hoa MFI
- TUVA Communication
- Vietnam Prosperity Joint Stock Commercial Bank (VPBank)
- Women's Initiative for Start-ups and Entrepreneurship (WISE)
- Women's Union of Dak Nong, Ha Giang, Hoa Binh, Lai Chau and Son La province
- · Worl Vision Vietnam



#### **CARE in Vietnam**

9th Floor, CDC Building 25 Le Dai Hanh St., Hanoi, Vietnam T: +84 24 3716 1930 E: vnm.info@care.org W: www.care.org.vn

#### Follow us



f /CAREinVietnam



/careinvietnam



in /care-in-vietnam