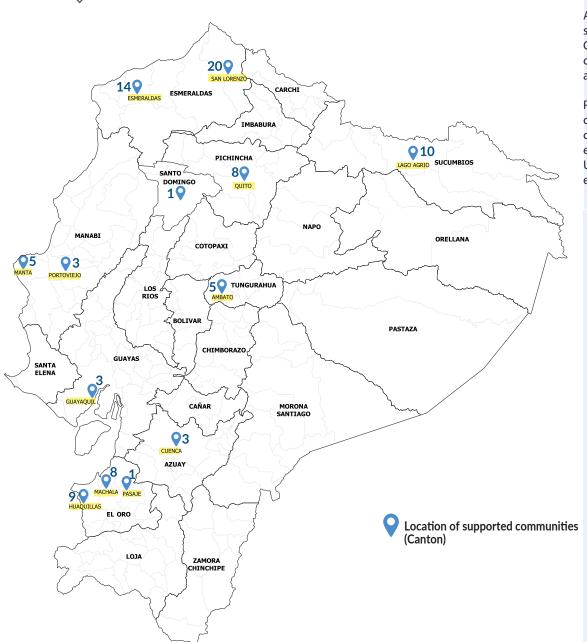


Community-based Protection

Year 2021



According to available data, almost 80% of our PoC population live in urban areas, sharing spaces and challenges with host communities. UNHCR Ecuador has therefore adjusted its CBP strategy to promote the socioeconomic inclusion, mostly though the empowerment of community groups and leaderships. 97 of these community groups have been supported. In addition, 598 community organizations have been trained in asylum and refugee processes.

Peaceful coexistence is the cornerstone enabling sustainable inclusion processes. In 2021, community initiatives have been implemented in 229 communities. In addition, 113 peaceful coexistence projects have been developed. Some of these initiatives led to joint planification exercises between the host and refugee communities, such as in 14 communities. Moreover, UNHCR and its partners supported the revitalization of 78 community meeting spaces, enabling the development of joint planning processes.





113
Peaceful Co-existence
Projects implemented



96 Strengthened community self-management structures



229 Community-based initiatives implemented



78
Community infrastructure,
public connectivity networks
and/or public spaces improved



Participatory assessments or joint planning initiatives implemented



97 Community groups supported



Joint planning initiatives developed with host communities and refugees



Community organizations trained in access to asylum and international protection