

Technical Assistance and Investment Grant for Armenian Public Buildings Energy Efficiency Programme

Duration: 27.12.2019 - 27.12.2026

Countries:

Armenia

EU contribution: € 11 000 000

Total budget: € 38 000 000

Implementer:

European Investment Bank, Yerevan Municipality
(Armenia)



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Project description:

The European Union and the European Investment Bank are supporting Armenia in making public buildings more energy-efficient, sustainable, and comfortable. Through technical assistance, investment grants, and loans, this initiative will reduce energy consumption, lower costs, and improve conditions in kindergartens and polyclinics across Yerevan.

A priority action under the EU's Economic and Investment Plan for the Eastern Partnership, the initiative aligns with Armenia's flagship project, "Investing in a Green Yerevan — Energy Efficiency and Green Buses." The Municipality of Yerevan will refurbish over 100,000 m² of public buildings with measures such as improved insulation, window replacements, efficient boilers, solar hot water systems, and energy-efficient lighting. Renovations in six polyclinics and 32 kindergartens will enhance comfort for children, medical staff, and visitors while achieving long-term energy savings.

Beyond immediate upgrades, this project is a long-term investment in sustainable urban development, reducing emissions, cutting costs, and ensuring a greener future for Yerevan. Through EU-Armenia cooperation, it will improve public infrastructure and community well-being for years to come.

Expected results:

Upon completion, the project will have refurbished up to 36 public buildings in Yerevan, including kindergartens and polyclinics, significantly enhancing comfort and safety for thousands of children, teachers, medical staff, and visitors.

Through this partnership, the project will:

- Increase energy efficiency in targeted public buildings, leading to permanent reductions in energy and maintenance costs.
- Enhance seismic safety, ensuring greater structural resilience.
- Improve accessibility for disabled individuals, making public facilities more inclusive.
- Upgrade the quality of public services, creating modern, well-equipped spaces.
- Reduce CO₂ emissions by up to 3,300 tons per year, contributing to climate action and sustainability goals.