

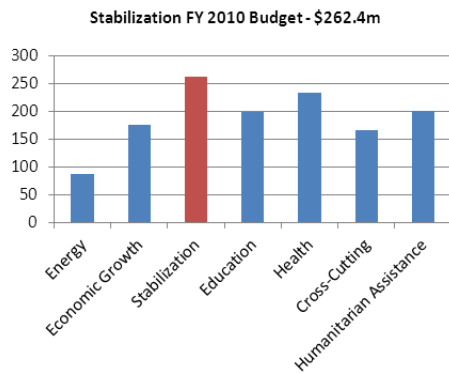


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Stabilization Program



Stable communities are less hospitable to terrorists and other forms of extremism. USAID's stabilization efforts in the Federally Administered Tribal Areas (FATA) and Khyber Pakhtunkwa Province (KP) are critical to long-term regional stability as well as U.S. security interests. The stabilization program seeks to enhance the legitimacy and writ of the Government of Pakistan while improving the economic and social conditions of remote communities affected by conflict. In particular, the program seeks to support local authorities as they forge good working relationships with their village constituencies and meet basic infrastructure needs.

Objectives

- Support the Government of Pakistan's "clear, hold, and build" effort in FATA and KP
- Rebuild infrastructure destroyed by conflict or floods
- Promote productive relations between communities and local officials.

Current Projects

FATA Infrastructure Program

USAID is providing grant funding to the FATA Secretariat for projects with local government agencies. Projects include rebuilding roads, developing a sustainable water infrastructure, and improving regional power systems.



FATA Livelihoods Program

This program focuses on improving livelihoods through the development of key infrastructure, scholarships and training opportunities, and value chain development initiatives.



Pakistan Transition Initiative

USAID seeks to strengthen relations between government bodies and local communities through short-term, high-impact projects. The initiative encourages local authorities to engage with villagers in identifying and realizing small-scale improvement projects, such as flood protection walls and drinking water supply systems. The initiative is also creating employment opportunities for local residents.



A farmer in FATA supported by USAID

FATA Child Health Project

USAID is improving the health of children under five with a service package that includes immunizations, the treatment of respiratory infections and diarrhea, nutrition services, care for newborns, and support for the United Nations/Government of Pakistan Polio Eradication Program.



Radio Transmitters in FATA and KP Project

USAID is helping the Pakistan Broadcasting Corporation reach local radio audiences with upgrades to AM transmitters in Peshawar and Dera Ismail Khan.



FATA Secretariat Support Project

USAID is building the capacity of the FATA Secretariat to better serve its constituencies through improved administrative and technical capacities.



Provincial Reconstruction, Rehabilitation, and Settlement Authority (PaRRSA) Capacity Building

USAID is helping PaRRSA perform key public administration functions and supporting provincial government efforts to rehabilitate conflict and disaster-affected areas.



Malakand and FATA Housing Support Program

USAID is helping people in KP and FATA rebuild homes damaged or destroyed by conflict. More than 23,000 families will benefit from this support.



KP Reconstruction Project

This program supports the rebuilding of educational, health, and water infrastructures. The program has already supplied furniture and equipment to 17 health facilities.



Child Protection Program

USAID is supporting vulnerable children affected by extremism in the region. The program has established 30 child protection centers in Malakand and is providing support for psychological counseling and the reintegration of students.



An architect's view of a USAID-supported government school in Malakand

Key Accomplishments, 2010

- Blacktopped 70 kilometers of road in South Waziristan Agency
- Trained more than 2,200 healthcare providers, renovated 76 health facilities, and provided equipment and furniture to 215 health facilities in FATA
- Trained 1,300 teachers and administrators, renovated 150 schools, and provided nearly 800 scholarships to FATA youth
- Established the FATA Information Directorate; trained 530 staff members at the FATA Secretariat and FATA Development Authority.