

Investing in healthcare

The Council of Europe Development Bank (CEB) is a multilateral financial institution with a social mandate and 42 member countries. The CEB invests in social projects that promote inclusive growth and provide support for the most vulnerable populations across Europe while fostering environmental sustainability. Through the provision of financing and technical expertise for projects with a high social impact, the CEB actively promotes social cohesion in Europe.

COUNTRY OF ORIGIN:

Serbia

REGION OF ACTIVITY:

Europe

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Determined to tackle challenges facing its healthcare system, the Serbian government adopted a strategy to **improve health infrastructure**, equipment and services and adapt them to demographic changes and rising healthcare demand.



The € 200 million loan provided by the **CEB supports** the refurbishment of around twenty general hospitals and other health infrastructure throughout the country and the acquisition of modern equipment. The renovation of buildings also includes energy efficiency improvements as well as measures to improve access for persons with disabilities.

The investments will significantly **improve** conditions for patients and medical staff, **increase** the efficiency of the services provided and **enhance** the energy efficiency and functionality of the buildings concerned.

1.3 million
persons, or
20% of the
population
of Serbia,
are expected to benefit
from the project.



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