



# 2024-2026 DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY

# Introduction

Civil Society Development Center (CSDC) is a non-entrepreneurial (non-commercial) legal entity founded in 2010.

This Development Strategy is a document that defines strategic goals for the organizational and program development of CSDC in the years of 2024-2026. The Strategy is based on the experience, capacity and long-term vision of the organization accumulated throughout these years. It will allow CSDC to make realistic, ambitious and result-oriented steps for the achievement of the objectives defined in the Strategy.



# **Background**

The idea of establishing an organization to support vulnerable groups, children and women in Georgia came to young women who registered the organization on February 4, 2010 and elected Nino Todua as its director.

The newly created organization was provided with material and technical equipment by the International Research and Exchange Council (IREX).

The founders of the organization have committed to improving the lives of women and ensuring the welfare of children through advocacy, integration into society, educational and supportive living services.



#### Vision

CSDC intends to create an environment where empowered women and children will be able to reveal their full potential and improve the quality of their lives.

Slogan: CSDC Support to Women and Children.

#### **Mission**

Our mission is to empower women and children. We are fighting against the consequences of inequality, doing this by advocating their rights, integrating them into society, providing educational and supportive services to allow them lead a dignified and independent lives.

We use innovative approaches and create a professional and reliable environment.



### **Goals**

#### CSDC goals:

- Promoting the development of a democratic society;
- Improving the rights of women and girls;
- Protection of children's rights and their welfare;
- Development of services and provision of equal access to these services;
- Foster the development/strengthening of national care institutions;
- Strengthening of families.





# **Objectives**

- Introduce democratic values through educational and informational activities;
- Empower and support young people aged 14 to 29 living in Georgia through informal education;
- Observe, monitor and evaluate the pre -election and election processes;
- Plan and implement advocacy and civil monitoring activities;
- Promote peace building;
- Support people affected by conflict;
- Provide psycho-social and legal support for youth and women living in conflict regions of Georgia;
- Respond to stereotypical and stigmatic manifestations in the society;
- Promote the integration of vulnerable groups into the society;
- Organize international and local conferences, seminars, mono-lectures, symposiums, culturalcognitive events, concerts and fairs;
- Attract and give out grants;
- Establish connections with organizations working in this field both inside the country and abroad;
- Organize press conferences, consultations, TV programs, charity and other types of events;



- Establish public consultation and service centers in different areas
- Carry out educational exchange programs for youth
- Organize international and local camps, programs, games
- Carry out preventive measures;
- Implement development-oriented programs;
- Carry out research and publishing activities;
- Develop and publish brochures, newspapers, publications and other printed resources;
- Establish and operate the social enterprise
- Support the psycho-social and educational activities for vulnerable women and children, including street children and women facing various risks;
- Introduce and develop computer technologies.



### **Long-term vision**

Desired image for the year 2033:

CSDC is a membership-based organization with active members who are qualified and experienced in the organization sphere of occupation. They are actively engaged in the program-development, strengthening of the organization. CSDC has a management board with the organization director, founder-consultant and 6 direction coordinators. These directions are the following:

- 1. Service centers' management;
- 2. Women's rights and integration;
- 3. Empowerment of families and reproductive culture.
- 4. Work with people in conflict regions.
- 5. Cyber security and media literacy;
- 6. Consulting services for schools.

CSDC operates two service centers in Tbilisi and Batumi, dedicated to empowering women and children through a variety of programs. These centers offer both voucher-based and paid programs, each designed to address specific needs and challenges.

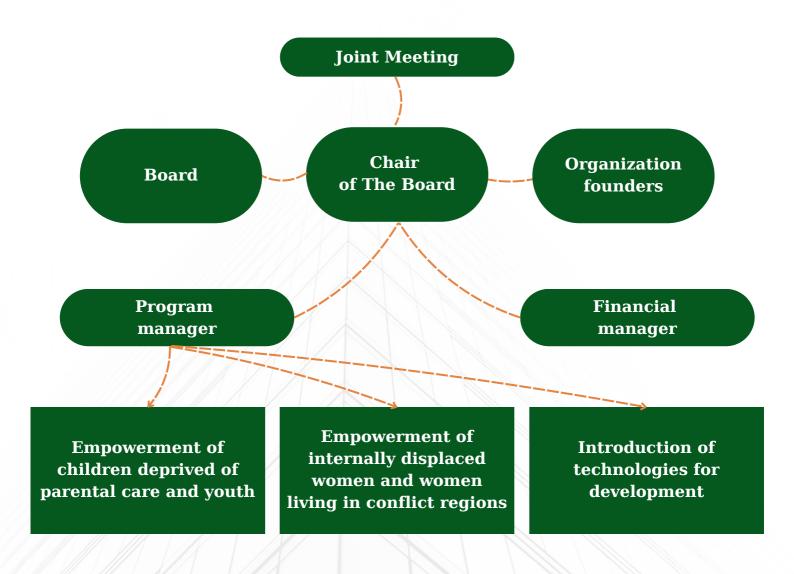
What sets CSDC apart is its commitment to innovation. Through the development of original methods, programs, and services, the organization continually pushes boundaries and explores new avenues for impact.

With a team of dedicated professionals, CSDC has earned a strong reputation for excellence within the community. Supported primarily by public donations, the organization continues to thrive, providing vital support and resources to those it serves.



#### **Structure**

CSDC Structure and its directions





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