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Quick Facts

Countries	Kosovo
Financial Institutions	European Investment Bank (EIB)
Status	Approved
Bank Risk Rating	U
Voting Date	2026-08-27
Borrower	Government of Kosovo
Sectors	Education and Health, Infrastructure
Investment Type(s)	Loan
Investment Amount (USD)	$ 23.31 million
Project Cost (USD)	$ 47.78 million

Project Description

According to the Bank’s website, the project will finance the provision of medical equipment and related infrastructure investments in Kosovo public hospitals.

The aim is to contribute to improve the quality of healthcare services in a number of public hospitals in Kosovo. The operation will also help build up economic and social resilience, placing priority on inclusiveness in the healthcare services provided. Additionally, the investment will also improve living conditions and ensure alignment with the EU standards.

The objective of the proposed EIB loan is to finance priority investments in Kosovo's public health sector aimed at improving the availability and quality of secondary and tertiary healthcare services. The Project focuses on the acquisition and installation of essential medical equipment across hospitals under the Kosovo Hospital and University Clinical Services, including the University Clinical Center of Kosovo in Pristina and six regional hospitals. Investments include diagnostic, therapeutic and life support equipment, such as CT scanners, X-ray and ultrasound systems, laboratory and operating theatre equipment, and critical care units, together with limited preparatory works for installation. These investments address equipment gaps, reduce diagnostic and treatment bottlenecks and strengthen service delivery.

Early Warning System Project Analysis

According to the Environmental and Social Data Sheet, the Project does not involve the construction of new buildings. The infrastructure components are limited to minor fit-out works within existing authorised hospital facilities, directly linked to the installation and commissioning of medical equipment.

Based on the nature of the investments (in particular purchase of equipment with the related infrastructure components represented by small scale fit out works directly linked with the installation and commissioning of the new medical equipment), coupled with proper management (decommissioning, disposal of materials, and waste management related to the consumables and disposables of new medical equipment), it is unlikely that the Project will have significant negative impact on the environment.

Investment Description

- European Investment Bank (EIB)

Contact Information

No contacts available at the time of disclosure.

ACCESS TO INFORMATION

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