



## General country data

### a. General data

Madagascar		
Total population	<b>25.6 million</b>	UNDP (2018)
1. HCR Population	<b>N/A*</b>	
2. IHDI	<b>161/189</b>	UNDP (2018)
3. Gender development Index	<b>0.962</b>	UNDP 2018
4. Maternal mortality per 100,000 births	<b>353</b>	UNDP 2018
5. Gini Index	<b>42.6</b>	UNDP 2018
6. Social Support	<b>0.74<sup>1</sup></b>	World Happiness Report 2017
7. INFORM RISK	<b>5.1</b>	INFORM 2019
8. Fragile State Index	<b>83.6</b>	FSI 2018
9. Number of mine victims	<b>N/A</b>	
10. Amount of demining aid (in millions)	<b>N/A</b>	
11. Amount of development aid	<b>570,750,000 €</b>	UNICEF 2018

### b. Humanitarian law instruments ratified by the country

- ➔ Mine Ban Treaty /Status: Ratified on 16/09/1999
- ➔ Convention on Cluster Munitions/Status: Ratified on 03/12/2008
- ➔ UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities/Status: Ratified on 12/05/2015

### c. Geopolitical situation

#### 1. Social, cultural and demographic context

Madagascar has an annual population growth rate of 2.7 per cent, slightly down from 2005-2010. Some 63.5 per cent of the population lives in rural areas where 85 per cent of people who live below the poverty line are concentrated. Thirty per cent of people now live in the capital. The population is young (median age: 18.7; 20% 15- 24 years old).

#### 2. Political situation

A turbulent election in 2018 resulted in the accession of Andry Rajoelina to the presidency. He was already president from 2009 to 2014.

His political programme is geared towards strengthening the economy by promoting a climate conducive to business, international trade and direct foreign investment. He has also promised to invest in education and, to a lesser extent, public security.

### 3. Economic situation

According to the World Bank, Madagascar has the world's fourth lowest wealth per capita. However, GDP increased by 5 per cent in 2018, compared to 4.2 per cent in 2017. According to the IMF, external public and publicly guaranteed (PPG) debt remain sustainable, with external debt distress assessed to be 'moderate'. Inflation dropped slightly from 8.3 per cent in 2017 to an estimated 7.7 per cent in 2018, according to estimates.

GDP growth is expected to be 5.4 per cent in 2019 and 5.2 per cent in 2020. Inflation is likely to stabilise at 7.1 per cent in 2019, dropping to an estimated 6.1 per cent in 2020.

## Presence of HI in the country

In 2017, we celebrated HI's 30th year in Madagascar, which is divided into four distinct periods:

- 1987 - 1996: rehabilitation action only
- 1996 - 2005: Action Nord Sud period, structuring the non-profit sector
- 2006 -o 2014: refocus on disability
- 2015 - 2019: more fields and people covered by our projects.

## Projects

Project title	Sector of intervention	Donors	Funding period
Beazo: right to education for all	Inclusive education: primary	AFD, EAC DCI Monaco, Australian Int. Dev.	15 Dec-19 Aug
Manonga	Inclusive education: primary, secondary and voc training	AFD, EAC	18 Jan-21 Dec
Anjaratsara	Health: epilepsy	Fondation Roi Baudoin / UCB	17 Jan-19 Dec
Hifali	Mental health	AFD, Fondation Roi Baudoin / UCB	18 Jan-21 Dec
Prisons: still no name	Mental health: psychosocial support in prisons	5%	19 Jul-22 Jun
CASIMIR	Mother and child health	MAE Luxembourg	18 Jan-21 Dec
PARI	Functional rehabilitation	AFD, MAE Luxembourg	17 Nov-20 Oct
3D	Rehabilitation, technological research	HI	19 Jan-19 Jun
Mahatsangy	Support to DPOs	DCI Monaco	19 Jan-21 Dec
Lova	Technical: inclusion	USAID	19 Jan-19 Aug
Wish	Technical: inclusion	DFID	19 Sep-21 Sep
Mahalomba	IDRM	ECHO	18 Jul-22 Jun

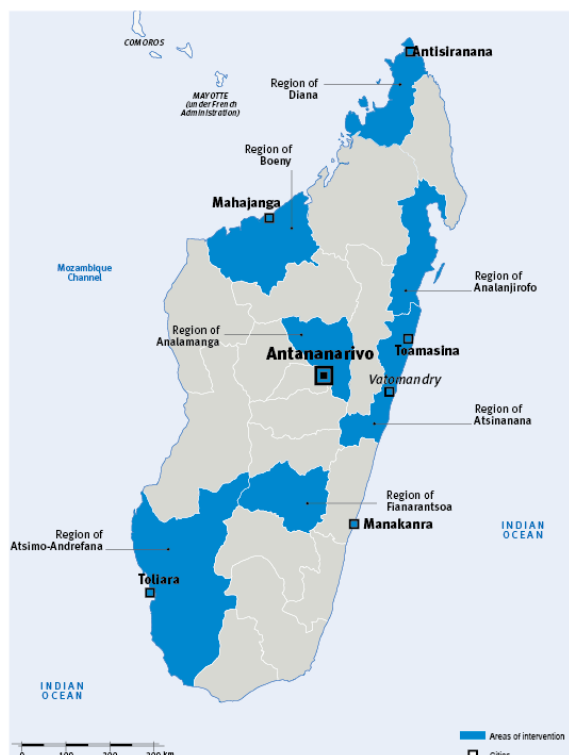
**Logos of donors:**

<p><b>Educate a child</b></p>  <p>A programme of <b>education above all™</b></p>	<p><b>DCI Monaco</b></p>  <p>Gouvernement Princier PRINCIPAUTÉ DE MONACO</p>	<p><b>AFD</b></p>  <p>AGENCE FRANÇAISE DE DÉVELOPPEMENT</p>
<p><b>MAE Luxembourg</b></p>  <p>GRAND-DUCHÉ DE LUXEMBOURG Ministère des Affaires étrangères Direction de la coopération au développement</p>	<p><b>EU</b></p> 	<p><b>USAID</b></p>  <p>FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE</p>
<p><b>ECHO</b></p>  <p>Humanitarian Aid and Civil Protection</p>	<p><b>DFID</b></p>  <p>Department for International Development</p>	<p><b>Fondation Roi Baudouin / UCB</b></p>  <p>Fondation Roi Baudouin <i>Agir ensemble pour une société meilleure</i></p>


## HI team in Madagascar

HI's team in Madagascar has 108 staff members.


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Ongoing projects: sectors in which HI has projects and main operational partnerships

Services sector	Objectives in this sector	Type of intervention	Beneficiaries at the end of 2018	Estimated number of beneficiaries at the end of project	Partners	Location
	<p><i>Inclusive education (IE):</i> Help improve access to IE and educational success and maintain the quality of IE for vulnerable girls and boys aged 6 to 15.</p> <p>Test, develop, document and evaluate an inclusive education model.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coordinate IE and advocacy actors</li> <li>• Build the capacities of education staff to include children in inclusive, transitional and literacy classes.</li> <li>• Enhance assessments of children with disabilities.</li> <li>• Practical exchanges with specialist centres.</li> <li>• Pilot experiments to support vulnerable families.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2,740 children</li> <li>• 1,109 teachers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3,675 children</li> <li>• 680 teachers</li> </ul>	Min. National education Conamept Fanarenana FAAM	Regions: Diana Atsinanana Analanjirofo Boeny
	<p><i>Inclusive education (IE):</i> Developing and implementing IE along the "education-training" continuum to promote equal opportunities for young people with disabilities throughout their educational and learning careers.</p> <p>Modelling a system that</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assess access for young people with disabilities to secondary education and vocational training.</li> <li>• Assess promising sectors.</li> <li>• Develop inclusive education provision for secondary education and vocational training.</li> <li>• Facilities adjustment and</li> </ul>	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 28 primary schools</li> <li>• 6 colleges</li> <li>• 3 vocational training centres</li> <li>• 16 DPO's</li> <li>• 3,900 people benefit from awareness-raising</li> </ul>	Min. National education Fanarenana	Region: Atsinanana


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	contributes to the general education continuum and vocational training.	<p>building accessibility support.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Personalised social support mechanism for young people with disabilities.</li> <li>• Synergies between actors and advocacy; adaptation of public policies.</li> <li>• Raise company awareness of the capacities of people with disabilities.</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 60 vocational training actors benefit from awareness-raising</li> </ul>		
	<p><b>Health:</b> Integrated management of people with epilepsy in the community and at all levels of the health pyramid; improving the social involvement of men and women and the inclusion of children with epilepsy in schools.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• KAP study on epilepsy.</li> <li>• Build the skills of health workers.</li> <li>• Strengthen the community referral system.</li> <li>• Create or revitalise national organisations for people with epilepsy.</li> <li>• Psychosocial support for people with health problems and their families.</li> <li>• Include and detect epilepsy on school medical visits and support the inclusion of epileptic children in schools.</li> <li>• Raise awareness of the public and various actors on epilepsy and the rights of people with epilepsy.</li> <li>• Raise awareness of mutual health insurance and other financial mechanisms for vulnerable people in the management of epilepsy.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 44 people with epilepsy</li> <li>• 26 doctors</li> <li>• 12 paramedical staff</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 975 people with epilepsy</li> <li>• 20 doctors and</li> <li>• 20 paramedical staff</li> </ul>	Ministry of Public Health	Regions: Analanjirofo Boeny



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<p><b>Health:</b> Developing and implementing a community-based prevention and response strategy to improve the mental health of people in psychosocial distress and/or suffering from mental health disorders.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Socio-anthropology study on community mental health (MH) representations, perceptions and practices.</li> <li>• Support to the Ministry of Health to define a MH strategic plan.</li> <li>• Rehabilitation of health facilities.</li> <li>• Coordination of MH and advocacy actors to advance the rights of people with MH disorders.</li> <li>• Capacity building for health staff.</li> <li>• Awareness-raising for "tobys" and traditional practitioners on referrals to health facilities.</li> <li>• Strengthen MH component of basic social work training.</li> <li>• Implement a community mutual support network and establish an organisation of MH users.</li> </ul>	<p>N/A</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 810 people with HM disorders</li> <li>• 12 Min Health technical managers</li> <li>• 62 MH professionals</li> <li>• 164 community officers.</li> <li>• 98 traditional healers</li> <li>• 190 MH facilities/actors</li> <li>• 100 DPO members</li> </ul>	<p>Ministry of Public Health</p>	<p>Region: Boeny</p>
<p><b>Health:</b> Improving the overall medical care of prisoners with tuberculosis and/or HIV in prison and on release from prison.</p> <p>HI will take charge of the psychosocial component with the aim of developing and testing a comprehensive</p>	<p><b>HI's activities:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Set up a reception workshop.</li> <li>• Set up a complaints management system.</li> <li>• Train prison actors in psychosocial support.</li> <li>• Support/help actors to provide psychosocial support and organise life plans.</li> <li>• Organise sports and socio-educational activities.</li> </ul>	<p>N/A</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3 prisons</li> <li>• &gt; 80% of detainees assessed</li> </ul>	<p>Ministry of Public Health Ministry of Justice Ministry of Population IPM EKAR PPI</p>	<p>Project interventions: Tana Mahajanga Tamatave Manakanra</p> <p>HI interventions: Tana Mahajanga</p>

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	psychosocial support mechanism in prisons.					Tamatave
	<p><i>Health:</i> Improving access to mother and child health and the MCH-rehabilitation services care continuum.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• KAP study and mapping of health actors and services.</li> <li>• Review of training curricula and training of health and rehabilitation professionals.</li> <li>• Training of social workers to prevent risk factors, detect impairments and refer people to health facilities.</li> <li>• Community-based rehabilitation training.</li> <li>• Implement a minimum package of mother and child health activities.</li> <li>• Design and implement a financial access support mechanism.</li> <li>• Community and DPO awareness.</li> </ul>	N/A	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 154 health professionals trained</li> <li>• 20 social workers</li> <li>• 1,620 users of local rehabilitation services</li> <li>• 2,580 beneficiaries of a minimum package of mother and child health activities.</li> <li>• 600 women and/or children with access to financing systems.</li> <li>• 19,200 young people made aware of health issues</li> </ul>	Ministry of Public Health Ministry of Population, Social Welfare and the Advancement of Women	Atsimo Andrefana Region
	<p><i>Rehabilitation:</i> Ensuring access to quality rehabilitation and health services that meet the needs of people with disabilities, including by using ICTs.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Analyse obstacles to service access.</li> <li>• Economic sector assessment.</li> <li>• Refurbishment and equipping of orthopaedic-fitting and rehabilitation services.</li> <li>• Capacity building for rehabilitation professionals by</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 500 people with disabilities in rural areas</li> <li>• 47% of children with disabilities <math>\geq 15</math></li> <li>• 51% women</li> <li>• 5,000 people</li> </ul>	Ministry of Public Health Toamasina and Mahajanga University Hospital PFPH GNTP	Regions: Atsimo Andrefana Diana Atsiananana

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		<p>expanding education, continuous training and networking.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improving the funding of health care provision.</li> <li>• Monitoring the implementation of the National Rehabilitation Plan.</li> <li>• Connected rehabilitation: model.</li> <li>• Public awareness-raising</li> </ul>		from communities		
	<p>Rehabilitation: Perform a technological study to reduce the costs of a 3D-printed prosthesis.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Suggest solutions for flexible prosthetic sockets</li> <li>• Test on 10 patients</li> </ul>	N/A no real follow-up in the field	N/A no real follow-up in the field	Diana University Hospital Proteor Comany ProsFit Technologies Company	Diana region
	<p>Support to disabled people's organisations: Strengthening organisations working with and for people with disabilities to empower them.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Organisational self-assessment for two organisations.</li> <li>• Implementation of a co-funding mechanism and advisory support for partner organisation projects.</li> <li>• Inter-organisational meetings and practices lesson-learning.</li> <li>• Mapping of organisation network coordination spaces and an impact plan;</li> </ul>	• 7 partner organisations	• 7 partner organisations	UNAHM Orchidées blanches Fanarenana FAAM Ephata AJFACE	Tananarive Antsirabe Fianarantsoa Diego Suárez
	<p>Disability mainstreaming in development and civil society action.</p> <p>Enhanced food security for vulnerable households and</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide essential inputs and technical support to farmers and fishermen.</li> <li>• Promote adaptation and mitigation for sustainable food security and resilience.</li> </ul>	N/A	• 20,000 households or 80,000 people	CRS (lead)	Androy region



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	<p>continuous crop production for drought-affected households.</p> <p>HI's role is to ensure people with disabilities and their needs are taken into account.</p>					
	<p>Disability mainstreaming in development and civil society action.</p> <p>Improve access of vulnerable women to sexual and reproductive health.</p> <p>HI's specific role is to ensure people with disabilities and their needs are taken into account.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Development and implementation of an impact strategy for public policies and support to the Ministry of Public Health to achieve its goals.</li> <li>• Development and implementation of a public communication and information strategy on sexual and reproductive health services and changing beliefs and practices.</li> <li>• Deploying paramedical staff for at-home services.</li> <li>• Strengthening of local follow-up care and rehabilitation services via Marie Stopes Madagascar centres.</li> <li>• Setting up mobile teams to offer services in the most isolated areas.</li> </ul>	N/A		Marie Stopes Madagascar (lead) Options DMI	National level
	<p>IDRM: Develop inclusive disaster preparedness and response capacities on the west coast of Madagascar.</p> <p>HI's specific role is to ensure</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hazard identification analysis.</li> <li>• Improve IEC tools for disaster risk management and make them inclusive.</li> <li>• Set up DRM committees.</li> <li>• Adapt early warning systems.</li> <li>• Training and awareness raising</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 167,274 people</li> <li>• 23 organisations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 412,864 people</li> <li>• 23 organisations</li> </ul>	BNGC Care (project lead) SAF-FJKM	Boeny region

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	<p>people with disabilities and their needs are taken into account.</p>	<p>for local rescue teams.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Development and support to implement district contingency plans.</li><li>• Adapting the national cash transfer mechanism at district level.</li><li>• Setting up and supporting village savings and credit organisations.</li><li>• Assessing school capacities and vulnerabilities and development of emergency preparedness plans, implementation of DRR clubs and pre-positioning of stocks.</li><li>• Implementing a collaborative mechanism between the PFPH and the BNGRC.</li></ul>				
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