World Vision Sri Lanka has adequate capacity and partnership network to ensure that vulnerable communities are enabled to protect their physical, mental, and social well-being and empowered to rapidly recover from disasters and climate change impacts.

**KEY INTERVENTIONS**

**Local economic development**
Diversify the income sources of the target groups, while enhancing their resilience by adapting climate-smart agriculture practices

**Goal:** 80,000 of the most vulnerable households secure their livelihoods to provide peaceful and safe home as well as ensure adequate nourishment for their children by 2025.

**Community-based disaster risk management**
Strengthen community resilience through community-level approaches to reduce their vulnerability to multiple disasters

**Child-centred disaster risk reduction**
Empower and educate children clubs on various mitigation measures for different local disasters

- **Donor:** ADH Germany
- **Target communities:** Nuwara Eliya district in central Sri Lanka

**NOTABLE PROJECTS**

**Strengthening community-disaster resilience**

*Build awareness and capacity for communities in disaster risk reduction*
*Improve irrigation and agricultural production to secure food availability in disasters*

- **Donor:** USAID
- **Target communities:** Mannar and Mullaithivu districts in northern province of Sri Lanka
- **Partner:** The Disaster Management Centre Sri Lanka

**Anticipatory response to the Southwest Monsoon**

*Provide disaster management kits to the district disaster management units*
*Implement community-level monsoon preparatory works through cash for work activities*
*Enhance safety centres’ facilities through the provision of necessary equipment*

- **Donor:** Start Fund
- **Target communities:** Galle and Gampaha
- **Timeline:** 6 May - 20 June 2022 (amidst the economic crisis)

**FACTS**

- 0.4% of Sri Lanka’s GDP (LKR 50 billion) is lost every year due to disasters.
- Around LKR 32 billion of damages are caused by floods, LKR 11 billion by cyclones, LKR 5.2 billion by droughts, and LKR 1.8 billion by landslides.