

## Ankara: A City Safe for All

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**Project Main Applicant** Association of Women with Disabilities (ENGKAD)

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Society Association (İYADER), International Federation on

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Target Groups: Public agencies in Ankara playing active role in the development of urban policies and services, international agencies and civil society organizations (CSOs) active in the field of human rights, professional organizations, university research centres, academics specialised on gender equality and urban rights, Ankara Metropolitan Municipality and 8 district municipalities, Ankara City Council, Local Equality Monitoring Platforms (LEMPs), local administrators and citizens.

**Project Aim:** The project "Ankara: A City Safe for All" aims to build public awareness for the development of gender-responsive urban safety policies and services by providing evidence-based data, support cooperation between civil society organizations (CSOs) and local governments, and to enhance capacity in rights-based monitoring and advocacy.

The project is financed by the European Union under the CEİDizler Grant Programme. For Ankara to be a safe and equalitarian city for all:

- Needs analysis will be performed for urban policies and services with reference to international standards and good practices along with the analysis of the present state,
- Public awareness will be increased in the context of urban rights in a way to observe the right to urban safety and gender equality,
- Capacity of civil society in rights-based monitoring and advocacy in cooperation with local governments will be

strengthened to improve the monitoring of urban safety policies and services with emphasis to gender equality.

**Project's Main Expected Result:** Enhanced capacity of Ankara in urban rights monitoring and advocacy for the development of gender-responsive urban policies and making Ankara an equal and safe city based on the partnership of rights-based CSOs active in different fields, representatives from municipalities and research and implementation centres of universities.

Achievements Gained through Project Outputs: The report "Safest and Equal City Policies: International Standards and Best Practices" will be prepared around four city rights principles. This will be followed by reports on the "Present State of Municipalities in Ankara with respect to Gender Equality" and the "Safe and Equal City Ankara: Analysis of the Present Situation." To disseminate the findings of these three reports there will be information meetings towards target groups. A workshop titled "City Constituents Meet for a Safe and Equal Ankara" will be organized to perform impactful urban advocacy and the basis of "Ankara: Safe and Equal City Monitoring and Advocacy Network" will be built. "Safe City for All" introductory webinars will be launched as a model for safe and equal cities in Türkiye.





