

# Urban MSF Spaces

## Project Summary

### Problem

With increased inequalities, instability and insecurity, associations have a greater role to play, especially in home societies where changes impact humanitarian values (e.g. migrants, refugees). We can influence our societies and transform the ways we associate.

### Proposed Solution

Using the example of migration, focus on cities as urban hubs to explore how groups and communities within and outside of MSF can mobilize more effectively around shared issues. Open a global dialogue, create and widely share tools and best practices, build synergies



### Potential Impact

- Presents **alternative ways to mobilize** our associations; bridging to **civil society**
- Learns **how MSF associations can interact better** and **transform** on addressing migration

### Viability

- Brings together a network of an **active community of initiators** (association members, staff, beneficiaries, **civil society**)
- Uses an **agile approach** (forums for discussion, working sessions / workshops/focus groups)

### Risk Mitigation

- Builds linkages with Board, Associative and Executive

### Scalability

- Pilots the process with a network of 7 MSF cities and associations to help scale

Area/Type: Other/Incubator

Sponsor/Support: MSF Greece

Length/Project Status: 1.8 years; **ONGOING**