



COUNTRY FACT SHEET:

EL SALVADOR



COPOLAD accompanies El Salvador in the implementation of its *National Anti-Drug Strategy 2016-2021*. Technical support is channelled through two national actions, three regional initiatives, and through the country's participation in six of the

programme's working groups. The programme's support is directed toward the components of reduction in demand (care for children and adolescents) and supply (control of chemical precursors).



WE COLLABORATE WITH THE FOCAL POINTS

- **CNA** – National Anti-Drug Commission (dependent on the Ministry of Justice and Public Security) (governing body and counterpart)
- **MRE** – Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- **Delegation of the European Union to El Salvador**
- **Mission of El Salvador to the European Union**



COLLABORATING INSTITUTIONS

- **CECA** – Executive Commission for Anti-Drug Coordination
- **FGR** – Public Prosecutor of the Republic
- **MJSP** – Ministry of Justice and Public Security
- **UIF** – Financial Investigation Unit

National Initiatives supported by COPOLAD



REDUCING THE DEMAND FOR DRUGS

IMPROVING CARE FOR INSTITUTIONALISED CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS

Technical support to improve the technical-scientific-clinical capacity of the teams to provide quality, comprehensive and evidence-based care to institutionalised children and

adolescents and their families. The main results of this support are: a diagnosis of needs as regards training and quality of care for healthcare teams and institutions, and a training

guide and a care protocol with quality standards and based on evidence.



CONTROL OF CHEMICAL PRECURSORS:

PREPARATION OF A MANUAL FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND FINAL DISPOSAL OF CHEMICAL PRECURSORS

Support for preparing a diagnosis of precursor management in the country (including the legislative and regulatory framework, institutional mapping and aggregated statistical

information), with a view to preparing a comprehensive manual for the management and final disposal of chemical precursors.

Within the framework of this support,

a study visit to Costa Rica has been promoted and online training activities on the manual have been carried out for the country's technical staff.

Regional Initiatives in which El Salvador participates

IBERO-AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC PROSECUTOR'S OFFICES - AIAMP:

'The gender dimension in the relationship between drug trafficking and human trafficking' and 'Improving special investigation techniques for drug trafficking cases'. FGR - Public Prosecutor of the Republic

CONFERENCE OF MINISTRIES OF JUSTICE OF THE IBERO-AMERICAN COUNTRIES - COMJIB:

'Regional agreement for a criminal drug policy based on proportional punishment and penalties other than prison'. MJSP - Ministry of Justice and Public Security.

GAFILAT (the Latin American FATF). Strengthening the GAFILAT Asset Recovery Network (RRAG). UIF - Financial Investigation Unit of El Salvador

Participation of El Salvador in Working Groups

Strengthening of the National Drug Observatories /
28 countries.

Programmes and services for addiction care and
social inclusion / 26 countries.

Control of chemical precursors for the manufacture of
illicit drugs / 17 countries.

Proportional punishment and penalties other than
prison / 22 countries.

Comprehensive Sustainable Alternative Development
17 countries.

Special investigation techniques, new technologies and
inter-agency cooperation / 13 countries.

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