



FEDERAL MINISTRY OF BUDGET AND ECONOMIC PLANNING
NIGERIA COMMUNITY ACTION FOR RESILIENCE AND ECONOMIC STIMULUS
(NG-CARES) PROGRAMME

REIMBURSEMENT TO STATES AND FCT

The Nigeria COVID-19 Action Recovery and Economic Stimulus (NG-CARES) Programme now renamed Nigeria Community Action for Resilience and Economic Stimulus (NG-CARES) is a World Bank-supported intervention with a credit portfolio of 750 million US Dollars. The Programme Development Objective is “To expand access to livelihood support and food security services and grants for poor and vulnerable households and firms.”

NG-CARES is a Programme for Results (PforR) Intervention where States and FCT invest their resources, produce results in line with agreed protocols and get reimbursed by the Federal Government after an Independent Verification Exercise.

The Federal Government has reimbursed 34 States and FCT the sum of **Four Hundred and Thirty-Eight Billion, Three Hundred and Sixty-Eight Million, Nine Hundred and Fifteen Thousand, Thirty Naira and Twenty-Four Kobo (N438,368,915,030.24)** after the Third Independent Verification Assessment.

The Table below shows the amount paid to the 34 States and FCT:

S/N	STATE	EARNED REIMBURSED AMOUNT (N)
1	Zamfara	49,182,347,834.58
2	Nasarawa	27,204,679,444.17
3	Plateau	26,312,588,262.79
4	Gombe	25,305,166,261.04
5	Kebbi	21,589,480,398.09
6	Cross River	20,670,241,709.19
7	Rivers	19,517,766,804.45
8	Niger	17,769,395,563.89
9	Adamawa	17,535,952,985.60
10	Katsina	15,455,420,486.35
11	Imo	15,408,252,449.34
12	Sokoto	14,177,508,862.60
13	Ondo	13,925,262,355.18

14	Delta	13,268,320,155.81
15	Abia	12,175,577,893.70
16	Bayelsa	10,830,587,695.70
17	Yobe	10,172,244,387.67
18	Kwara	9,915,101,215.91
19	Osun	9,562,512,549.27
20	Bauchi	7,304,665,994.92
21	Kogi	6,903,713,160.77
22	FCT	6,773,326,717.84
23	Ebonyi	6,255,864,530.97
24	Enugu	6,191,959,222.93
25	Kano	6,154,448,839.35
26	Oyo	5,966,675,258.19
27	Borno	5,898,270,783.50
28	Jigawa	5,770,132,061.00
29	Lagos	5,569,060,730.14
30	Taraba	5,508,762,972.80
31	Ekiti	5,507,202,258.33
32	Edo	5,122,103,650.09
33	Benue	4,908,421,973.10
34	Akwa Ibom	2,430,830,532.46
35	Ogun	2,125,069,028.52
		438,368,915,030.24

Let me use this opportunity to commend Mr. President for the various reforms introduced by his Administration which have enabled States and FCT to invest massively in NG-CARES thereby producing this outstanding result. Also, worthy of commendation are the State Governors and Honourable Minister, FCT for their commitment to investing in and building resilience among poor and vulnerable Nigerians using the NG-CARES Programme.

NG-CARES is one of the Social Protection Programmes implementing the tenets of the “Renewed Hope Agenda” of Mr. President and a cornerstone for economic resilience and sustainability among the poor and vulnerable in underserved communities in Nigeria.

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