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for Care**

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What is the Care Pavilion?

The Technical Secretariat of the Global Alliance for Care (GAC) is promoting this initiative with the **aim of raising awareness, positioning, and promoting the global care agenda in key multilateral advocacy spaces**. This action responds to the Alliance's strategic mandate for the period 2025–2030, in particular its Strategic Priority 1: Multilateral Advocacy on Care, and the priority actions associated with its implementation.

Following its successful launch in [Seville](#) and [Mexico City](#), within the framework of the Fourth International Conference on Financing for Development (FfD4) and the XVI Regional Conference on Women in Latin America and the Caribbean, the Care Pavilion seeks to continue positioning itself as a physical space of reference in multilateral events. It acts as a meeting point for knowledge exchange, collective reflection, and strengthening the Alliance. It also includes initiatives aimed at raising public awareness of the centrality of care in our societies, contributing to changing narratives and deconstructing gender stereotypes.

The Global Alliance for Care is launching a **new Care Pavilion**, with the support of **the Care and Climate Initiative, the International Development Research Centre (IDRC) of Canada, the Avina Foundation, and the Procomum Institute**, members of the Alliance, within the framework of the **30th UN Conference of the Parties on Climate Change (COP30)**.

The Pavilion is also organized in collaboration with the **Ministry of Social Development and Assistance, Family and Fight against Hunger of the Government of Brazil, Rádio Savia, and UN Women Brazil**.

The COP30 Pavilion is located in the **Espaço EcoAmazônias** (R. dos Tamoios, 624 – Jurunas, Belém – PA, 66025-125, Brazil), where GAC members will be able to network, reflect collectively, and organize various activities from November 15 to 16, 2025. Initiatives include:

- **Panels and roundtables:** Events that bring together experts, researchers, activists, policymakers, and others to discuss and share reflections on care and climate change.
- **Workshops and working sessions:** Spaces to generate strategies, build capacity, engage in deeper conversations, and do practical work on various topics related to care and climate change.

- **Multimedia exhibitions:** Photographs, paintings, textile art, and short films that represent care and climate change, and the people who care for and receive care in various ways.
- **Materials produced by Alliance members:** Publications, brochures, books, and other materials on care and climate change produced by Alliance members.
- **Networking activities for Alliance members:** Including a members' brunch and spaces for exchange where members can get to know each other and share their work.
- **Care and self-care spaces:** Activities, practices, and areas for caring for children and for self-care, rooted in Amazonian knowledge.

As in previous editions and as part of a resource optimization strategy, the Care Pavilion in Belém does not involve ad hoc physical construction but rather uses existing city infrastructure, managed and facilitated by local organizations committed to its objectives.

Provisional Program

Activities application process

The Pavilion's program has been developed following an open call to all Alliance members.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2025

11:00 AM – 12:00 PM (BRT)

Inaugural Brunch of the Care Pavilion

Organized by: Global Alliance for Care, with the support of the Care and Climate Initiative, IDRC*, Procomum Institute*, and the Avina Foundation*, and in collaboration with the Ministry of Development and Social Assistance, Family, and Fight Against Hunger of the Government of Brazil*, Rádio Savia, and UN Women Brazil*.

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12:00 PM – 1:30 PM (BRT)

COP30 in Belém: What Can Amazon Cities Teach Us About Care Policies and Climate Justice?

Organized by: UN Women Brazil*, International Development Research Centre (IDRC)*, National Care Secretariat, Ministry of Social Development, Government of Brazil*, Municipal Foundation Pope John Paul XXIII (FUNPAPA), Belém Secretariat of Women (SEMU/BEL), Climate and Care Initiative, Procomum Institute*, with the support of the Global Alliance for Care

Auditorium

2:00 PM – 3:30 PM (BRT)

Care Methodologies: Knowledge and Practices in the Construction of Living Territories

Organized by: Casa Fluminense, Casa Cuidado e Sim! Eu sou do meio

Auditorium

4:00 PM – 5:00 PM (BRT)

Bridging Care and Climate Justice: The SOS Family Support Center in the Abelha Community, Amazon

Organized by: SOS Children's Villages Brazil

Auditorium

6:00 PM – 7:45 PM (BRT)

Caring while walking: walkable cities for the climate and everyday life

Organized by: Instituto Caminhabilidade, Instituto Pólis*

Auditorium

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2025

1:00 PM – 3:30 PM (BRT)

Workshop: Caring and Defending in Times of Climate Crisis

Organized by: Procomum Institute*, Prodesc, Rádio Savia, The Action Lab

Auditorium

3:30 PM – 4:45 PM (BRT)

Climate and care from the dimensions of gender, race, class and territory

Organized by: Instituto Pólis*, Casa Fluminense, Procomum Institute*, Alzirias Institute*

Auditorium

5:30 PM – 7:00 PM (BRT)

Centering Care in Just Transitions and Climate Action: Elevating Grassroots Voices

Organized by: Care and Climate Initiative, IDRC*, Procomum Institute*, the Avina Foundation*, National Care Secretariat, Ministry of Social Development, Government of Brazil*, and UN Women Brazil*

Auditorium

7:00 PM – 9:00 PM (CEST)

Closing of the Care Pavilion and cocktail reception

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CARE TENT

The Care Tent is an open space that welcomes and listens, accessible to everyone participating in the Care Pavilion on November 15 and 16, 2025. Aimed at those needing support, a break, or attention during the activities of the Care Pavilion, the tent will have a qualified team of health professionals, community caregivers, and facilitators of integrated care practices, and will be open all day to welcome and accompany those seeking care.

In the mornings and early afternoons, there will be a program of conversation circles, integrated practices, and self-managed activities.

The Care Tent is a political device developed by the Procomum Institute that places care at the center of collective action, recognizing its essential role in sustaining our struggles, our bodies, and our ways of being together. It is a living space for presence, exchange, and sharing of knowledge that connects different territories around care as a practice that, at the same time, transforms and sustains transformations.

“CUIDADERÍA” FOR CHILDREN

The Cuidadería is a space designed to ensure the participation of those responsible for children and to promote the inclusion of children in the political and collective construction of the event. More than a place of care, it is a territory of coexistence and learning, where it is recognized that children also care, learn, and act politically.

The space seeks to value the work of care and recognize children as political agents, capable of expressing affection, ideas, and their own ways of understanding and transforming the world. With a playful and educational approach, the Cuidadería offers a safe, welcoming, and creative environment, where care is experienced as a practice shared between generations.

Exhibitions

Exhibition of the Global Alliance for Care

Organized by: Global Alliance for Care

This exhibition introduces the Global Care Alliance, its transformative vision, its objectives, and its activities. It offers care-related definitions and conceptual guidelines grounded in the principles of human rights, gender equality, and intersectionality. It also showcases examples of best practices around the world that seek to recognize, reduce, and redistribute care, as well as reward and represent care workers.

Permanent Exhibition Art to Care: Visions from the Frontlines of Climate and Care

This permanent photo exhibition, hosted within the Care Pavilion at COP30, brings to life the voices and visions of local organizations and movements supported by the Climate and Care Initiative Fund. Through powerful imagery, each photograph responds to the question: “What does climate and care mean to you?”—offering a window into the lived experiences, struggles, and resilience of communities on the frontlines of the climate crisis.

Rooted in territories across the Global South, these stories highlight how care is not only a response to climate impacts but a transformative force for building just and resilient futures. The exhibition explores the deep interconnections between climate action and the care economy, drawing from concrete, community-led practices that show how these agendas must be integrated for a truly just transition.

The Climate & Care Initiative is developed by Fundación Avina, Oxfam Canada, UNRISD, the National University of San Martín (UNSAM), and the University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, in collaboration with the Global Alliance for Care and with the support of Canada’s International Development Research Centre (IDRC).

This exhibition invites viewers to witness, reflect, and reimagine climate justice through the lens of care.

Other Global Alliance for Care events at COP30

In addition to the GAC Care Pavilion program, the Alliance and its members are organizing other activities to promote a transformative vision of care within the climate agenda. These initiatives will take place across various COP30 platforms and spaces.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2025

4:00 PM – 4:45 PM (BRT)

A care-centered just transition: challenges and opportunities

Organized by: United Nations Research Institute for Social Development (UNRISD)*, International Development Research Centre (IDRC)*, Global Afrodescendant Collaborative for Climate Justice, with the support of the Global Alliance for Care.

In-person event: Blue Zone, World Green Economy Organization (WGEO) Pavilion

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2025

6:30 PM – 8:00 PM (BRT)

Care, climate, and the just transition

Organized by: United Nations Research Institute for Social Development*, UN Women*, UN Trade and Development, Women's Environment and Development Organization (WEDO), Global Initiative for Economic, Social and Cultural Rights (GI-ESCR)*, and Avina Foundation*, within the framework of the Global Alliance for Care.

In-person event: Blue Zone, Side Events Room 8

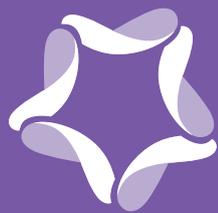
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2025

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM (BRT)

Caring and Resilient Cities: Advancing a Green, Feminist, and Disability-Inclusive Urban Transition

Organized by: Alzirias Institute*, Global Disability Innovation Hub (GDI Hub), with support from the Global Care Alliance

In-person event: Blue Zone, Cities & Regions Hub



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