



Duran, 63, had a quiet life in his village in Lattakia Province and was working as a civil servant until his friend asked him to assist his beekeeping business. At first, it was only a hobby for Duran, but he was impressed by the profession: "Producing organic and healthy nutrient like honey was very valuable to me. I was taking care of 100 hives at home".

This experience did not last long because of the conflict started in Syria. As many other Syrians, Duran's home and business destroyed and they had no choice but to flee to Turkey. At their arrival, Duran and his family settled in Islahiye camp in Gaziantep and lived there for six years. He says, "It was ok, but we couldn't have our own space".

But by 2018, things started to change. Closure of the Islahiye camp caused Duran and his wife to move to Islahiye village, while one of his sons moved to Sweden and the other two to other Turkish cities for work. In Islahiye, Duran kept working in different seasonal jobs such as carpeting and beekeeping as well, but he always dreamed to establish his own business. A year later, he heard about IOM's Agricultural Project which aimed to help Syrians to be trained in agriculture and to help them start their own agricultural activities. Duran signed up for a project and got training from an agricultural engineer. After completion of the training, Duran started up his beekeeping business with nine beehives "I felt very happy", he said. "I really wanted my own beehives like the ones I had in Syria, but I couldn't afford it. This training made me feel more stable and secure".

In couple of months, he was able to produce 25 kilos of honey which is considered as a good start for beekeeping. His first customers were family members and neighbors.

Currently, he owns 16 beehives, but keep working towards to have more of them, "I am planning to expand my business and have about 50-60 hives next year, so can have my own farm just like the one I had in Syria and train others. I am 63 but I still have the energy to achieve what I am dreaming of".

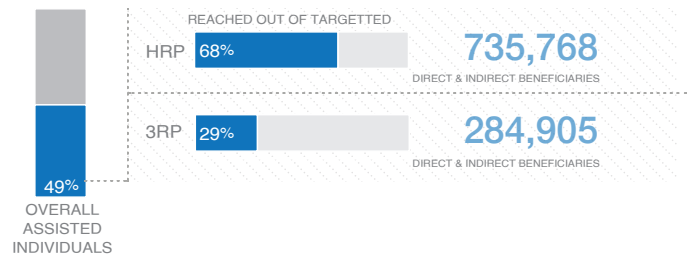
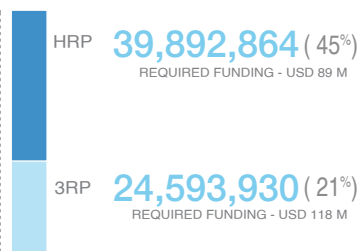
Duran, 63, harvesting honey from his beehives in Islahiye district of Gaziantep. IOM's Agricultural Project help Syrians to be trained in agriculture and assist them to start their own agricultural activities. © IOM 2019 (Photo: IOM Turkey)

USD 64 M

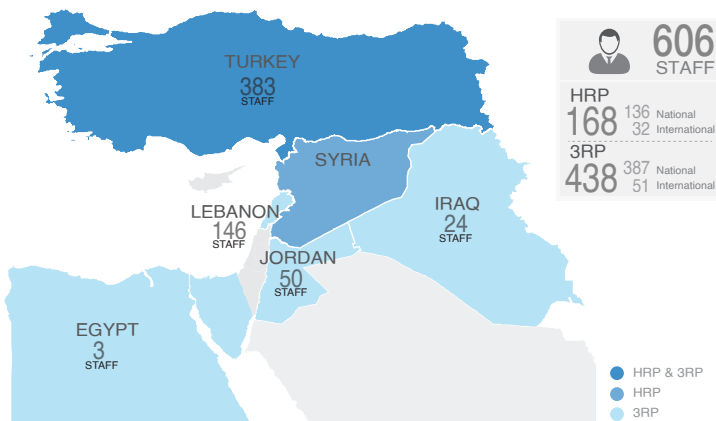
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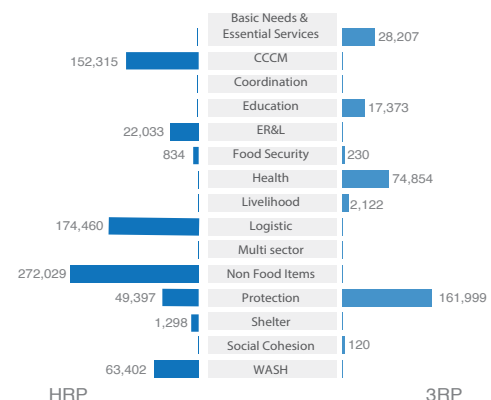
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IOM PRESENCE



NUMBER OF BENEFICIARIES & KEY SECTORS OF ASSISTANCE



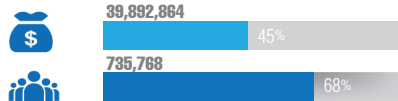
IOM WHOLE OF SYRIA RESPONSE (HRP) - AT A GLANCE

HRP - RESPONSE



More than 400,000 people have been displaced in North West Syria due to the escalation of military operations since May 2019. In August alone, 207,481 people were internally displaced, exacerbating humanitarian needs and increasing pressure on limited resources and services in hosting areas.

Non-Food Items (NFIs): Between July and September, IOM continued to release contingency stock NFI kits from Turkey and items prepositioned inside Syria to meet the increasing needs of the displacement inside Syria. During this quarter, a total of 9,462 NFI kits with hygiene items and kitchen sets have been distributed to 47,875



individuals across Northwest Syria through the contingency stock. IOM directly distributed NFI kits through its own NGO partners to 10,726 individuals during the quarter. Through IOM's Single Source Procurement Pipeline (SSP), IOM procured and delivered 22,250 kits including shelter repair tools, hygiene kits and kitchen sets to selected consortium partners. During the reporting period, IOM reached 1,273 individuals with shelter rehabilitation activities.

Camp Coordination and Camp Management (CCCM): In July, IOM and OCHA conducted a two-day M&E training with 13 participants and a two-day access training with 23 trainees. Mentorships

were conducted to the CCCM Training of Trainer participants in Turkey and Syria.

Shelter: IOM's Shelter Repair and Rehabilitation works also enabled IDPs to begin to rebuild their lives - with works ongoing to benefit 260 families.

Water Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH): IOM reached 30,607 individuals with regular water trucking, 21,603 individuals with rehabilitation of culverts and drainage systems, 4,665 individuals with construction of latrines in IDP sites and 5,000 individuals with rehabilitation of a sewage system.

Protection: During this quarter, IOM continued to provide integrated protection services to in community centers in Idleb and Aleppo Governorates. Protection assistance includes child protection and GBV case management, psychosocial support, recreational and learning activities in child-friendly spaces, and civil status and documentation (CSD) support.

Early Recovery and Livelihoods: IOM completed the implementation of three Community Service Projects including the rehabilitation of three schools, and paving of roads in Aleppo Governorate. IOM also provided equipment to a total of 26 schools. IOM finalized the business trainings and delivered 163 in-kind grants to beneficiaries to develop their respective business plans. IOM continues to build the capacity of various Cluster partners through trainings and mentorships.



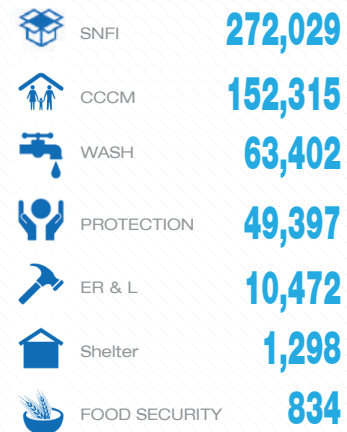
Ali with his son after receiving a rehabilitated shelter unit. © IOM 2019

OVERVIEW

BENEFICIARIES REACHED



REACH BY SECTOR (DIRECT BENEFICIARIES)



GEOGRAPHICAL REACH



Through Their Eyes

Ali, 33, used to live in his small village in Idleb. His life was peaceful even when the war broke out as his area was far from conflict. In April 2019, bombardments started hitting his area. Since there was no place to go to, he had to stay in his home until the bombardments became so severe that they became a real threat for him and his wife, five children, mother, widowed sister. They gathered whatever they could carry and went into a car in the middle of bombardments. "It was like a scene in a movie", Ali said. "The car was going all the way through bombardments and fire. Thank God we survived". The car took them to the camps which were overcrowded with the other displaced people. They had to use the olive trees in the area as a shelter for them because they could not afford renting an apartment. They tried using blankets as a tent to protect them from hot weather, but they were not useful. Later, the local council reached them and offered a small basement of a jail to stay in. "It didn't matter to us", he said. "We just needed a roof above our heads". The nine-member family stayed in a room that was 27 square meters, but there were rats that affected the children's health. A humanitarian organization gave them two tents and they used blankets for a better insulation against the weather conditions. Later, IOM reached this family through an assessment for the shelter project which aimed at rehabilitating the structure of incomplete buildings that were left because of the war. "It didn't take too long for them to come back and tell us that we were approved in the shelter project. I felt at that moment that I was born again".

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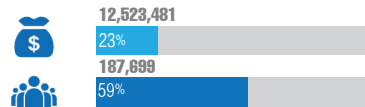


ABBREVIATIONS USED

- CCCM - Camp Coordination and Camp Management
- ER&L - Early Recovery and Livelihoods
- GBV - Gender-based Violence
- HNO - Humanitarian Needs Overview
- HRP - Humanitarian Response Plan
- IDP - Internally Displaced Persons
- MHPSS - Mental Health and Psychosocial Support
- SNFI - Shelter and Non-Food Items
- PSEA - Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse
- WASH - Water, Sanitation and Hygiene
- 3RP - Regional Refugee Response Plan

IOM SYRIA REGIONAL RESPONSE (3RP) - AT A GLANCE

TURKEY



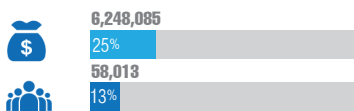
Transportation Assistance: IOM continues supporting school transportation for vulnerable children. IOM supported 2,400 refugee and host community children per month (25% host community students), with transportation to attend summer schools in six cities. In September a further 220 children were supported. **Community Centers:** IOM continues to work in seven community centers across Turkey to support refugees and host community members. Between July and September, almost 10,000 individuals were assisted by IOM in the centers in Sultanbeyli-Istanbul, Gaziantep and Kilis. Beneficiaries attended non-formal education or vocational trainings, psychosocial support (PSS) services, conflict management activities, as well as information dissemination & legal assistance sessions. In Sultanbeyli-Istanbul, essential information was also disseminated through a Call Center, reaching 1,110 beneficiaries between July and September. **Protection:** IOM Turkey continued providing individual assistance to vulnerable migrants, asylum seekers and refugees. Emergency Case management was provided to 551 cases supporting a total of 602 beneficiaries. Mobile Psychosocial Support teams in Hatay, Sanliurfa, Gaziantep and Izmir continue provide psychosocial support to

refugees in rural areas where none of the agencies are operational. Further, IOM is conducting continuous Counter Trafficking trainings for frontline workers. **Livelihoods:** The livelihood team placed 59 refugees into jobs with private sector companies, supported 15 work permit applications and identified 12 companies for job placements. IOM also selected an Implementing Partner to provide entrepreneurship trainings to refugees and host community members and is finalizing community farming projects.

Community Stabilization: Field staff conducted meetings with local authorities and selected community stabilization projects across different locations including in Suruc and Siverek in Şanlıurfa province and in Kahramanmaraş.

Shelter: IOM has conducted 74 deep shelter assessments in Hilvan district in Şanlıurfa and 135 deep shelter assessments Kırıkhan district in Hatay. **Basic Needs and Cash Assistance:** IOM started preparations for a joint assessment in preparation for the winter season.

JORDAN



Multipurpose Cash Assistance: IOM continued to support 270 Syrian refugee households (890 individuals) with monthly, multipurpose cash assistance from July through September. Beneficiary selection activities were initiated to identify additional households to receive cash assistance during the final

quarter of 2019. With funding from the United States Department of State's Bureau of Population, Refugee and Migration (PRM), IOM provides six months of continuous support to beneficiaries through multipurpose cash grants designed to help cover basic household needs each month. Beneficiaries are among the poorest and most vulnerable families living outside camps, who are unable to work or have no regular source of income. **Transportation Assistance:** IOM continued to provide needs-based transportation for Syrian refugees in Jordan throughout the third quarter of 2019. In total, just over 600 Syrian refugees received transportation assistance from IOM, including 67 supported with family reunification between refugee camps, 235 supported with transportation to Jaber border, and 299 supported to meet other transportation needs.

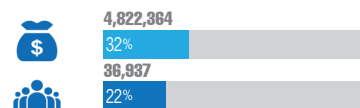
IRAQ



Health support: IOM's emergency health team continues to provide Syrian refugees in camps and surrounding areas with health awareness sessions. The sessions cover many topics including general personal hygiene, tuberculosis (TB), diarrhea, respiratory and skin diseases. These sessions describe the diseases' signs and symptoms, modes of transmission, treatment and preventive measures. To the avoid transmission of the infectious diseases, selected community leaders and focal points transfer the key health messages to

camp population. Between July and September 2019, IOM reached 83 beneficiaries (32 males, 51 females) in Ninewa (Akre and surrounding Syrian refugees schools) and Dahuk (Domiz camp and surrounding areas).

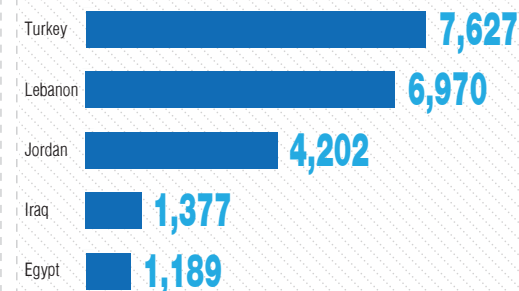
LEBANON



Multipurpose Cash: In the third quarter of 2019, 500 severely vulnerable Syrian refugee families were assisted with Multipurpose Cash (MPC) assistance to respond to urgent household needs. Beneficiaries receive US \$175 per month via the use of specially made debit cards. 320 of the beneficiary families are living in North Lebanon, with the rest residing in Bekaa. During the same period, IOM Lebanon in close collaboration with NTP and in consultation with technical partners continued conducting **Health support:** TB awareness sessions in primary healthcare centers, informal settlements and collective shelters in the North, South, Mount Lebanon and Bekaa regions. In total, 6,502 beneficiaries were reached during these awareness sessions. **Protection:** IOM team also provided psychosocial support services to 3,265 Syrian refugees and members of the Lebanese hosting communities. The activities were implemented through the two Counselling and Recreational Centers supported by IOM: Dari Centre in Baalbek (Beqaa) and Al Multaqā Centre in Bissariyeh (South), as well as in several informal tented settlements (ITs) and through Safadi Foundation's "Women's Academy" in Tripoli.



SYRIAN REFUGEES RESETTLED BY MISSION (DEPARTURE) IN 2019



Health awareness activity in Domiz Camp, Ninewa. © IOM 2019 (Photo: IOM Iraq)