

The Shelter and NFIs Cluster, led by UNHCR and co-led by Global Communities, coordinates the efforts of 45 member organizations. The Cluster addresses emergency shelter and NFI needs and promotes household and community resilience. The Cluster supports people in need within displaced, hosting and non-displaced populations by ensuring that the different modalities of interventions (in-kind, non-conditional/conditional cash or voucher) abide by the do-not-harm principle. A Technical Working Group chaired by Global Communities provides member organizations with guidance on Shelter and NFI standards.

Highlights

- The SNFI Cluster IM Unit has been collected August data. During August, the Cluster reached 47,279 individuals throughout Shelter and NFI activities. 18 sub-districts in 2 governorates have been reached by 10 cluster members. During summer the reach is generally lower than in winter but during August 2016 the Cluster membership recorded the lowest reach since summer 2014. This is mainly due to the current access condition in Eastern Aleppo City and to the shifting of frontlines in the ISIL occupied areas.
- The Cluster has been updating the in-stocks reports for the potential response in the Eastern part of Aleppo City and has supported the Cluster Lead Agency in the planning of phase 2 of the Cross Line convoys from X-Border Turkey. Two INGOs and Two UN agencies are ready to assist 204,000 individuals through blankets, winter clothes, jerry cans, kitchen sets, plastic sheets, NFIs Kits, and solar lamps distributions.
- As part of the HNO/HPC process this year, Turkey hub IMOs participated in a 5-days workshop for all SNFI IMOs in different hubs, the workshop was in Amman (21-25 August 2016). The objective of the workshop was to both WoS and hub IMOs come together to understand, consolidate, aggregate the data to sub-district level and visually analyze the data. The SNFI Turkey based Cluster can rely on five assessment sources (Hubs, NPM, Urban profiling, inter sector and multi sector assessment) to gather data that will be the basis for the sector 2017 HNO analysis.
- The second round of winter plans data collection has been completed. 535,420 people are planned to be assisted with Shelter/NFI activities by 12 member organizations. So far the 70% of the planned response is funded. Based on the membership full capacity, the Cluster could aim to target around 888,289 people during the coldest months (November to February). Additional funds are needed to assist 507,950 more people.

Cluster Priorities

- Coordinate the Cluster members' interventions in order to avoid overlapping.
- Harmonize till the maximum extend feasible the Shelter and NFIs assistance across the Cluster members.
- Respond to the ongoing displacements especially within the host communities in coordination with Damascus and Jordan hubs.
- Ensure continued assistance to besieged areas.
- Ensure a coordinated preparedness for winter.
- Increase the access to shelter and improve the standards of the shelter stocks.
- Advocate for the centralization of the stocks.

Challenges/Gaps

- The update of the People in Need figures at sub-district level is crucial in order to determine accurate gaps. The data available is from September 2015 (WOS assessment).
- Constraints in stockpiling big amounts inside Syria due to access, condition of the roads, security, size of the trucks.
- Continued assistance to besieged areas.

Humanitarian Response Plan 2016:

https://www.humanitarianresponse.info/en/system/files/documents/files/2016_hrp_syrian_arab_republic.pdf

Humanitarian Need Overview 2016:

https://www.humanitarianresponse.info/en/system/files/documents/files/2016_hno_syrian_arab_republic.pdf

Shelter NFI Cluster public Dropbox link:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/nz7n79m17an22v/AAAsF1Wcl-rpg8RX8z2CpCna?dl=0>

Shelter NFI Whole of Syria page:

<https://www.humanitarianresponse.info/en/operations/whole-of-syria/shelternfi>

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FTS website, HRP

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Key progress indicators



2.4M People in need

5.3M NFI

6.5M

People targeted

1.2M

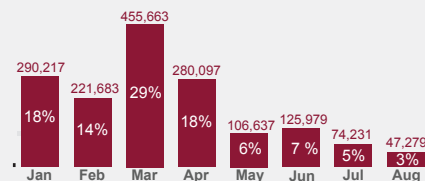
5.3M NFI

1,601,786

People reached (Jan-Aug)

218,775

1,383,011 NFI



47,279



People reached from Turkey hub in August 2016

35,750 NFI

11,529

1,332

Beneficiaries reached by cash / voucher in August

10

Members reported activities in August

9 Members implemented NFI activities

6 Members implemented Shelter activities

18

Sub-districts reached in August in 2 governorates

17 Sub-districts reached by NFI activities

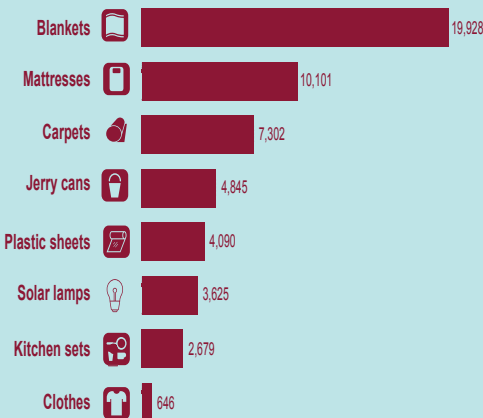
12 Sub-districts reached by Shelter activities

\$ 50,795,486
Funding

10%
Funding

\$525,184,835
Requirements

NFI: Items distributed in August



Shelter: Individuals assisted in August

Emergency Shelter Kits 846

Tents 34