

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

- **Winter Plans:** According to the gap analysis conducted by the IM Unit, 232,209 individuals will not receive winter assistance in the Northern Governorates in Syria in 2016/2017.
- **Eastern Aleppo City:** During the onset of the emergency in EAC, the S/NFIs Cluster Coordinator attended the ICCG in order to support the coordination of the emergency response; and a list of compiled NFIs stocks for EAC was drafted with inputs from the S/NFIs Cluster members;
- **HRP 2017:** The SNFI Cluster held a workshop on the HRP 2017. The sector objectives/activities and indicators were reviewed and discussed with the membership. The protection risks analysis concept was presented and its integration in the HRP project submission was explained. The protection risks analysis will be consolidated at hub level and sent to the WOS Secretariat.
- **Humanitarian Funds:** The Cluster Review Committee met to review the projects for the first technical review of the Humanitarian Fund Standard allocation.
- **Rapid needs assessment:** The S/NFIs Cluster Coordination Unit provided feedback on the Shelter & NFI questions of the Rapid Needs assessment tool developed by OCHA and planned to be conducted in Aleppo.
- **Global Shelter Cluster Meeting:** The Turkey XB S/NFIs Cluster Coordinator Unit was represented during the Global Shelter Cluster Meeting that took place in Geneva on the 5th and 6th October. During the 'market place' session, the info-graphs, dashboards, guidance notes and other S/NFIs Cluster products were presented to and shared with the participants.
- **North Syria S/NFIs Assessment:** The S/NFIs Cluster Coordination Unit is providing technical guidance on the development of a S/NFIs assessment funded by UNHCR and implemented by REACH in North Syria

Cluster Priorities

- Coordinate the Cluster members' interventions in order to avoid overlapping.
- Harmonize till the maximum extent 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 website on GSC:

<http://sheltercluster.org/response/x-border-operation-turkey-hub>

Shelter NFI Cluster public Dropbox link:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/nz7H79mIn7han22v/AAAsF1Wcl-rpg8RX8c2vCpCna?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

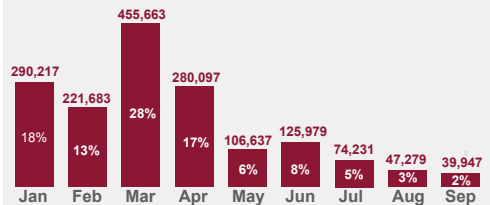
5.3M NFI

1,641,733

People reached (Jan-Sep)

224,274

1,417,459 NFI



39,947



People reached from Turkey hub in September 2016

34,448 NFI

5,499

6,119

Beneficiaries reached by cash / voucher in September

11

Members reported activities in September

9 Members implemented NFI activities

5 Members implemented Shelter activities

18

Sub-districts reached in September in 3 governorates

16 Sub-districts reached by NFI activities

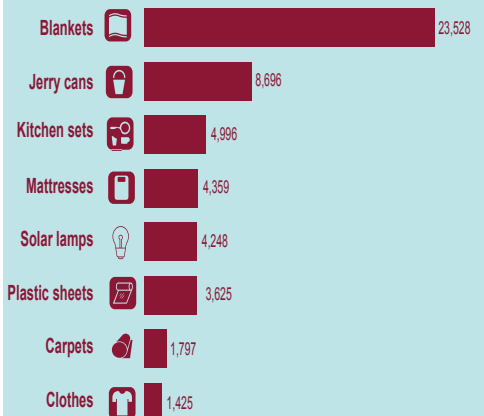
7 Sub-districts reached by Shelter activities

\$ 56,563,026
Funding

11%
Funding

\$525,499,972
Requirements

NFI: Items distributed in September



Shelter: Items distributed in September

Tents 334

Emergency Shelter Kits 149