

IRAQ MONTHLY UPDATE - MAY 2017

FOOD





55,360 Syrian refugees in 9 camps received food assistance

Modalities of food distribution: Food vouchers in 8 camps (Domiz 1&2, Arbat, Basirma, Darashakran, Gawilan, Kawergosk and Qushtapa) and unrestricted cash distributions at Akre Castle camp.

May Highlights

A total of 55,360 Syrian refugees received assistance from WFP in May 2017 under the regional Protracted Relief and Recovery Operation (PRRO).

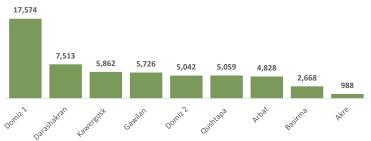
All beneficiaries received IQD 22,000 (USD 19) per beneficiary, per month.

The Joint Vulnerability Assessment (JVA) will be conducted by WFP, UNHCR and KRSO. The JVA is due to start by the end of July 2017 and will cover refugees inside and outside of camps. The results of the survey will produce a set of targeting indicators, which will further enable a needs-based refinement of the current caseload.

According to the April process monitoring report, the three governorates in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq (Erbil, Dohuk and Sulaymaniyah) reported that all refugee distribution processes were 100 percent satisfactory.

World Vision International - Kurdistan Region of Iraq continues to be WFP's only partner for the provision of cash-based transfers to Syrian refugees.

Number of beneficiaries (individuals) reached by food sector/per camp



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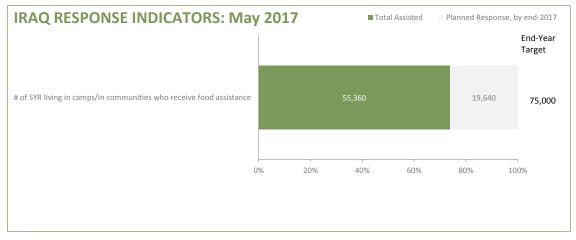


Needs Analysis

WFP faces a net funding requirement of USD 14.2 million for the refugee operation in Iraq over the next six months.



Syrian families in Sulaymaniyah use their SCOPECARDS to buy items from the camp shop, WFP, Shwan Mahwlood



- *Planned response based on full funding of 3RP for an expected direct beneficiary population of 235,000 Syrian refugees and 1 million members of impacted local communities by end-2017. By 31 May 2017, 241,406 Syrian refugees (79,171 households) live in Iraq:
- 97% = 233,120 live in Kurdistan Region-Iraq (KR-I): Erbil, Duhok and Sulaymaniyah.
- 03% = 8,286 live in other locations in Iraq.
- 62% = 150,024 live in non-camp/urban areas.
- 38% = 91,382 live in 9 camps in KR-I: 4 camps in Erbil (Basirma, Darashakran, Kawergosk, Qushtapa), 4 camps in Duhok (Domiz I and II, Akre, Gawilan and 1 camp in Sulaymaniyah(Arbat).









