





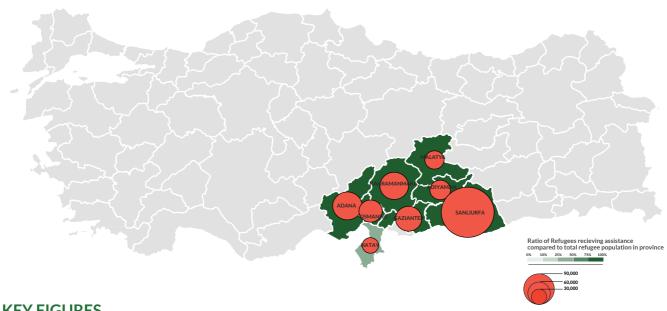
NARRATIVE

For almost all refugee households in Turkey, the primary source of food remains market purchase. Food insecurity among refugees therefore results, principally, from an inability to access sufficient food, or the right foods, due to their lack of purchasing power. This considered, FSA actors in Turkey have sought to address food insecurity among refugees through e-voucher and other restricted cash programming. In this context, in the past quarter alone, monthly dedicated food assistance was extended to up to 152,000 refugees living in both Temporary Accommodation Centres (TACs) and host communities.

During the reporting period, partners also focused on promoting agricultural livelihoods and by the end of September over 780 refugees and vulnerable members of host communities received trainings in modern agriculture technologies. Alongside the training, in 2018-19, some of the FSA sector partners are also assessing the needs and planning for providing agriculture inputs support; farm-to-market, value chain, and agribusiness support, and environmental protection and preservation measures to create new work and entrepreneurship opportunities in areas hosting large refugee populations.

In the coming quarter, the FSA sector will conduct a survey to identify capacity building needs among sector partners, factoring results into the 2018 sector work plan. Plans are also in place to provide partners with technical assistance to strengthen homestead, micro-, and kitchen-garden projects.

COUNTRY COVERAGE



KEY FIGURES

152,047 Total FS&A Beneficiaries

Total number of Organizations Reported

29 M USD Received 47 M USD Needed

ACHIEVEMENTS

Continuation of dedicated food assistance to up to 152,000 Syrian men, women, boys, and girls living in TACs and host communities on monthly basis;

Reached / Targeted 152,047 | 222,720

Foundations in place to deliver training on modern agriculture technologies to over 900 Syrian refugees and affected members of host communities in the coming quarter;

Survey underway to determine capacity building needs among FSA actors in Turkey.