

## TARGETS

As specified in the RRP5

 **666,135**  
Syrian refugees (registered or awaiting registration)

 **129,515**  
Persons unwilling to register

 **114,790**  
Affected Lebanese

 **43,974**  
Lebanese returnees

 **66,687**  
Palestine refugees from Syria (PRS)

 **200 million**  
USD required (GoL Included)

## NEEDS

Most refugees arrive in Lebanon with almost no personal possessions and do not have the means to purchase essential items for cooking and eating, sleeping and moving around with dignity.

It is expected that 90 per cent of refugees and Lebanese returnees who will arrive until end of 2013 will need a basic set of non-food items (NFIs) upon arrival including bedding, cookers, plates, pans, cookers and gas as well as clothing. Without this basic assistance, families may resort to negative coping strategies such as taking exploitative work, begging or selling the few possessions they have.

Winter is fast approaching. Weather conditions are harsh in Lebanon and storms, snow and hail will pose a serious threat to the health and well-being of refugees in mountainous areas and the Bekaa Valley. Families, particularly those living in tents, unfinished buildings, informal collective shelters or other unsupported shelters, will need winter NFIs such as warm blankets, heaters and fuel supplies (provided by e-card, cash or voucher) to survive the winter without adverse effects.

Urgent attention is also being given to the creation and stockpiling in key field locations of sufficient contingency reserves to enable a rapid response to meet basic needs in the event of a sudden and more massive influx.

## OBJECTIVE

Health and wellbeing of the refugees and other displaced populations assured through the attainment of basic living standards

## ACTIONS/OUTPUTS

- 1 Support for winter needs
- 2 Assistance to new arrivals
- 3 Regular distribution of items to registered refugees
- 4 Emergency assistance to refugees unwilling to register
- 5 Emergency preparedness

## KEY NOVEMBER DEVELOPMENTS

- Established ATM card management system to be used by agencies for winterization, based on contract with CSC Bank
- Coordinated winterization response to cover urgent needs of 90,500 households operational
- 65,000 households supported with ATM cards, fuel cards or vouchers, for winter fuel and/or monetized hygiene/baby kits
- Provided 250,000 individuals with blankets or quilts to protect against winter conditions

## ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

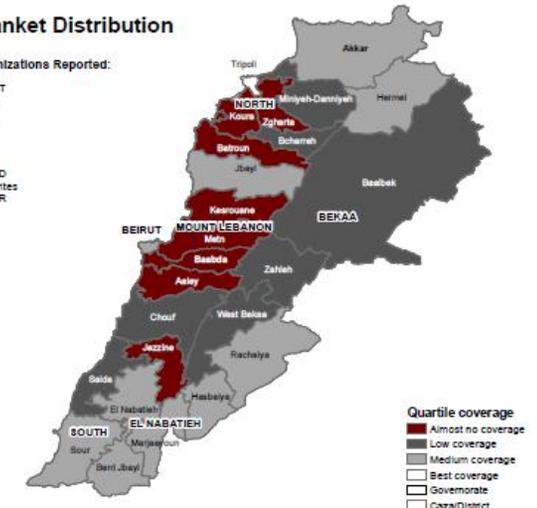
Reporting month figures in brackets when relevant

-  **374,402** (43,702) fuel vouchers distributed
-  **486,537** (256,250) blankets distributed
-  **188,173** (16,635) mattresses distributed
-  **143,200** (3,100) jerry cans distributed
-  **84,330** (5,230) clothes vouchers distributed
-  **90,440** (23,100) hygiene kits for new arrivals
-  **58,380** (8,940) kitchen sets distributed
-  **13,767** (4,852) heating stoves distributed

## Blanket Distribution

Organizations Reported:

- AMURT
- AVSI
- CISP
- CLMC
- DRC
- HI
- IR
- SHEILD
- Solidantes
- UNHCR
- WVI



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