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Chronic disease consultations in primary health care since the beginning of 2014

HIGHLIGHTS

- Arab Medical Union has finalized the need assessment exercise for the public primary health care facilities in El Obour district, Kalyoubia governorate, and is currently working on prioritization of needs in coordination with other UN agencies working on providing support to Ministry of Health.
- Mahmoud Mosque Society, one of UNHCR health partners established recently a satellite clinic in El Obour city in greater Cairo.



REFUGEE POPULATION IN EGYPT:



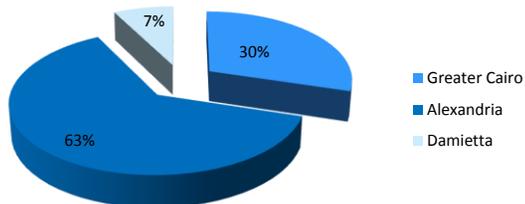
NEEDS ANALYSIS:

Syrian refugees are scattered in 230 districts. Access to healthcare remains a challenge because of distance and cost. Public preventative primary healthcare is accessible and free while curative care is not always available. Referral to secondary and tertiary level healthcare needs support for life saving treatment.

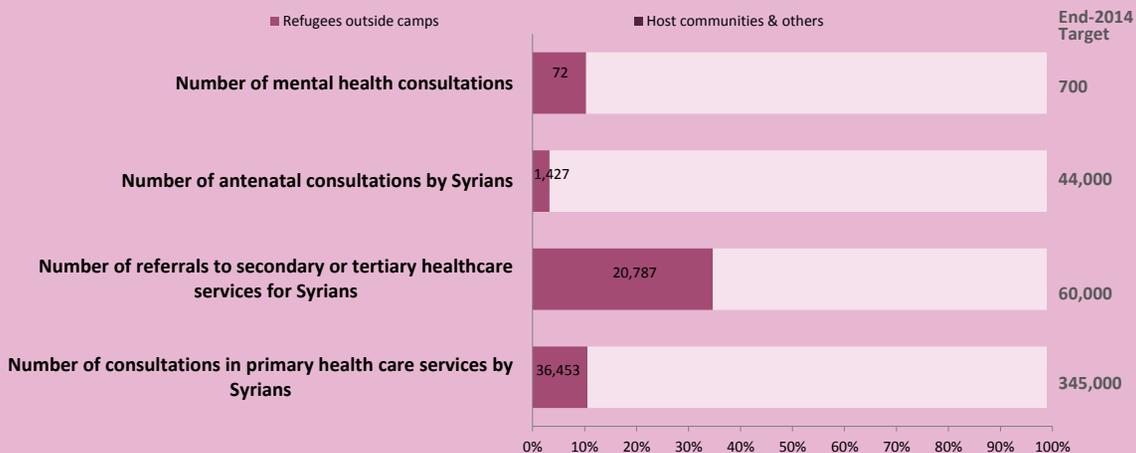
Monitoring referrals, and ensuring a cost-effective secondary and tertiary health care in the refugees areas of residence remains a challenge to Geographical coverage and expansion of service delivery.

The sector objective is to improve access, quality and coverage to health services for Syrian refugee in Egypt by focusing on supporting the Ministry of Health facilities, strengthening UNHCR's health providers' capacity and awareness raising among Syrians through community health outreach program.

Primary Health Care Consultations in March by Location



PROGRESS AGAINST TARGETS:



Targets based on expected population of 250,000 Syrian refugees in EGYPT by end-2014. There are currently over 135,000 refugees in EGYPT.