

Since the start of 2017, Livelihoods Partners assisted 16,133 refugees and host community members with short-term and/or long-term employment opportunities and 54,975 youth and adults in increasing their employability through job training, internships, job placement and language courses. In addition, 19,144 host community members and the refugees have participated in community based activities to promote social cohesion.

In Jordan, the mechanism that was used to allocate work permits and manage the leave system in Za'atari camp was presented and once the technicalities are solved, the new Za'atari Office for Employment (ZOE) and the leave mechanism at the main gate will be tested and fully functional. Private sector representatives have been visiting both camps in Jordan to locate eligible individuals for employment opportunities in host communities, including Carrefour in Za'atari, Pine Tree garment factory in Azraq. Furthermore, job fairs are to be offered at both camps on a continuous basis.

