

Over 7,000 acute/chronic Primary Health Care consultations for girls, women, boys and men since the beginning of 2016

January HIGHLIGHTS:

- Egypt in cooperation between the ministry and UNHCR to allow registered refugees and asylum seekers in Egypt to access primary health care as well as emergency care in the public health systems.
- UNHCR contributed to the UN Joint Program of Support 2015 report on HIV prevention, care and support services for PoCs.
- UNHCR contributed to the review of Egypt Global fund Concept notes submission for TB and HIV as part of the newly established and restructured Country Coordination Mechanism CCM overseeing the planning and foreseeable implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the upcoming GF grant for TB and HIV which are refugee inclusive.



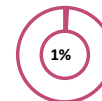
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HIGHLIGHTED 2

Sector Response Summary:



1,307,000 Refugees & Local Community Members targeted for assistance by end of 2016, 11,200 assisted in 2016.



Syrian Refugees in EGYPT :



107,000 Syrian Refugees expected by end-2016, 118,500 currently registered or awaiting registration.



3RP Overall Funding Status:



USD 146.6 million required in 2016, USD 2.9 million received in 2016.



NEEDS ANALYSIS:

- The package offered by the Public Primary HC facilities is limited (Exclusion of all non-communicable chronic diseases in most of PHC facilities, Mental Health and birth delivery services).
- Quality of the Public Health Services, is sub-optimal.
- Negative attitude and behavior of the Syrian refugees toward Public Services.
- Syrian refugees are largely urbanized and predominantly integrated within the host communities of five governorates: Giza, Greater Cairo, Alexandria, Damietta and Qalyubia. They are scattered in some 24 governorates in some 230 districts but mostly residing in greater Cairo, Alexandria and Damietta.
- Referral to secondary and tertiary health care suffers resources limitations to manage lifesaving ailments.
- Monitoring referrals, and ensuring a cost-effective secondary and tertiary health care in the refugees areas of residence remains a challenge and the sector objective is to keep improving access, quality and coverage to health services for Syrian refugee in Egypt by supporting the Ministry of Health facilities, strengthening UNHCR's health providers' capacity and awareness raising among Syrians through community health outreach program.

EGYPT RESPONSE INDICATORS: JANUARY 2016

	Progress	Planned Response, by end-2016
Community Health Worker Trained	0%	295
trained PHC staff both gender	0%	530
supported primary health care facilities in impacted communities	0%	136
4,082 referrals to secondary and tertiary level of care	10%	40,000
patients benefiting from Chronic medications	0%	5,000
7,120 acute/chronic PHC consultations for girls, women, boys and men	7%	100,000