



**2015/16
WINTER**
Nov 2015-Feb 2016

INTER-AGENCY WINTER SUPPORT UPDATE

15 December 2015

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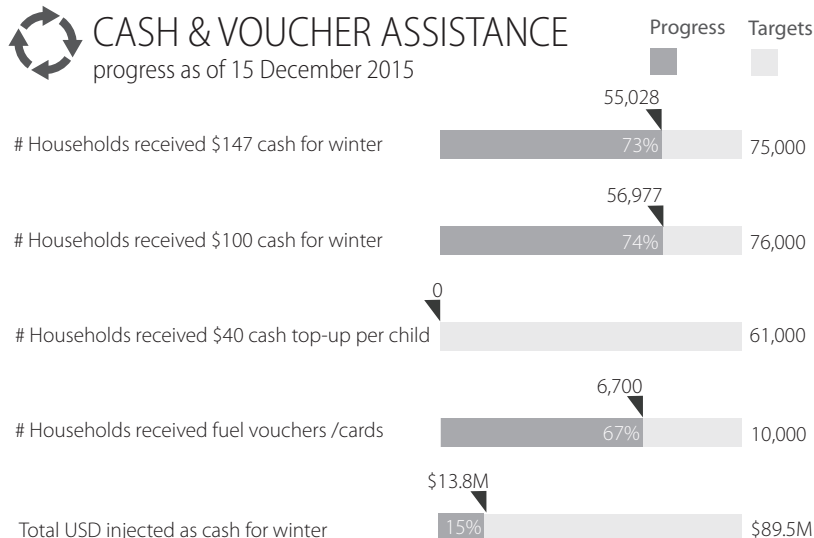
HIGHLIGHTS

Over 257,250 families - Lebanese (15%), Syrians (79%) and Palestinian (6%) – were identified as economically vulnerable, exposed to cold, and unable to survive the harsh winter conditions in Lebanon on their own. Therefore, those families are prioritized for winter support mainly because they lack the financial means to keep their families warm while living at high altitudes and in the coldest areas of the country. In light of increased vulnerabilities of the populations, the target this year has been scaled up compared to last year (180,000 families reached in the winter of 2014/2015). This year's winter support plan, implemented by Basic Assistance partners, will utilize cash as the preferred delivery modality in addition to in-kind support where needed. Shelter activities have been on-going throughout the year but will be significantly scaled up during the winter season, mainly the weather proofing of shelters and anti-flooding measures.

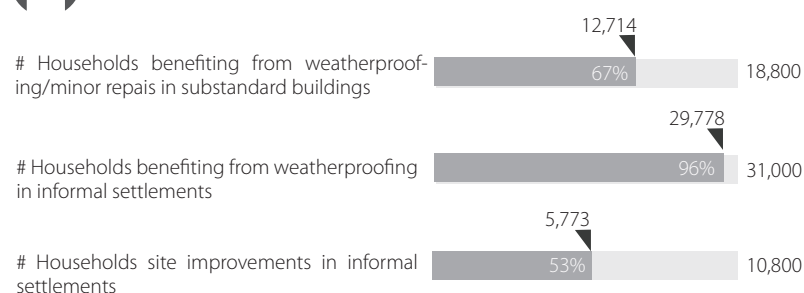


CASH & VOUCHER ASSISTANCE

progress as of 15 December 2015

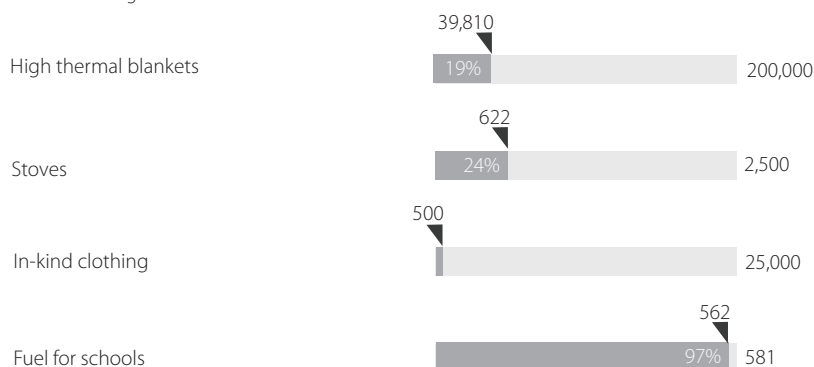


SHELTER - WEATHERPROOFING



CORE RELIEF ITEMS & CLOTHES*

* targets for items based on ad-hoc needs



TARGETED POPULATION



**Households
Targeted**

257,250

WINTER CASH PACKAGES / CRITERIA

1 SYR 2 LEB 3 PAL

Vulnerable families living above 500 m **\$147 x 4 months**

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Vulnerable families living below 500 m **\$100 x 4 months**

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One-off cash for winter top-up (clothing) **\$40/child**

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Vulnerable families receiving fuel cards in lieu **\$100 x 4 months**

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of cash (mainly in Arsal)

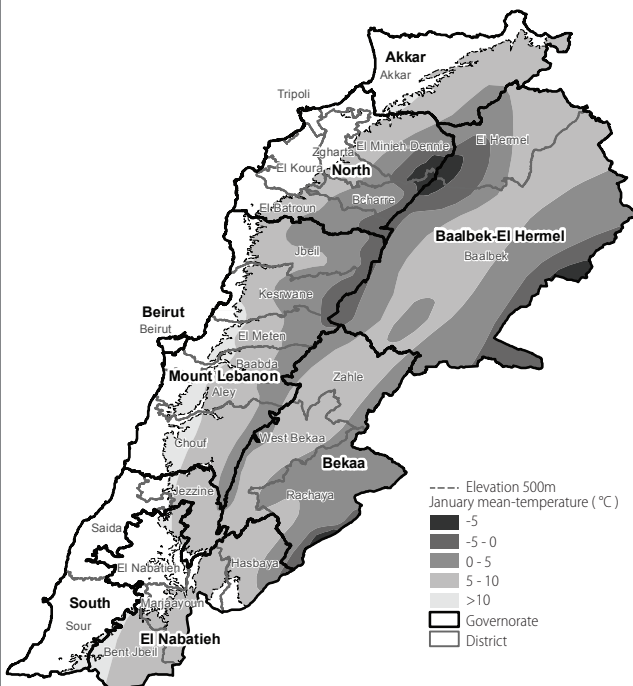
Lebanese returnee families living above 800 **\$100 x 4 months**

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meters and/or with substandard shelter

LEBANON MAP

(With January mean-temperature & altitude)



**TOTAL
FUNDING
Required***

Secured **\$87.9 M**

Gap **\$29.8 M**

\$117.8 M

* excludes shelter

Reporting Agencies

ACTED, ANERA, BEYOND, CHF, CISP, Concern, DRC, Ghiras, Habitat for Humanity, IOM, MEDAIR, NRC, PU-AMI, SAWA, SCI, Solidarites International, UNHCR, UNICEF, UNRWA, Welfare Association