



JUNE HIGHLIGHTS:

Livelihoods activities for the Syrian refugees and members of host communities cover mainly three areas:

1• Income Generation opportunities: Increased employment opportunities through income generation/employment creation activities.

Livelihoods Assessment for Syrian Refugee Erbil camp population is on-going including local labor market assessment, skills survey and camp business market survey completed for Basirma, Qushtapa, Darashakran and camp. Final assessment to be released in early August

2• Employment: Facilitation mechanisms for job opportunities, vocational and business trainings provided (employability trainings, skills trainings, job portals, job newsletters, databases, etc.)

In Basirma-Darashakran-Qushtapa-Kawergosk Camps direct support to CFW activities was conducted for 6 refugees (3 Men , 3 Women) supporting the business market assessments in each camp.

During the month of June, 160 Syrian refugees has benefited from facilitation mechanisms for job opportunity including Vocational Training courses (80 beneficiaries) and on the Job Training courses (80 beneficiaries) in following locations Duhok (Domiz II, Gawilan and Akre camps), Erbil (Basirma, Darashakran, Kawergosk camps), and Sulaymaniyah governorates (Arbat camp).

In Sulaymaniyah governorate Arbat camp 71 beneficiaries have completed their Business Development Services training, and they are waiting to receive their toolkits. Twenty (20) Vocational training beneficiaries (out of which 15 female) received toolkits upon completion of their Vocational training courses.

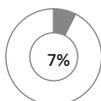
Lastly, 1,509 Syrian refugees (742 female and 767 male) benefited from free internet access through Community Technology Access centers (CTA) as disaggregated in below locations:

- Basirma (330 beneficiaries, out of which 120 women)
- Darashakran (508 beneficiaries, out of which 273)
- Qushtapa (377, out of which 184 women)
- Kawergosk (294, out of which 165 women) refugee camps.

3• Social Cohesion: Promote inclusiveness and peaceful co-existence among refugees, host communities and other local groups through Community-based activities for social cohesion facilitated.



\$40.93 million required in 2015
\$3.06 million received by June 2015



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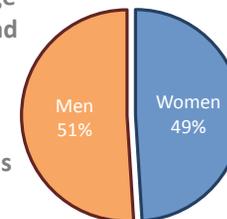
Gawilan Refugee, Dohuk, UNHCR/R. Rasheed

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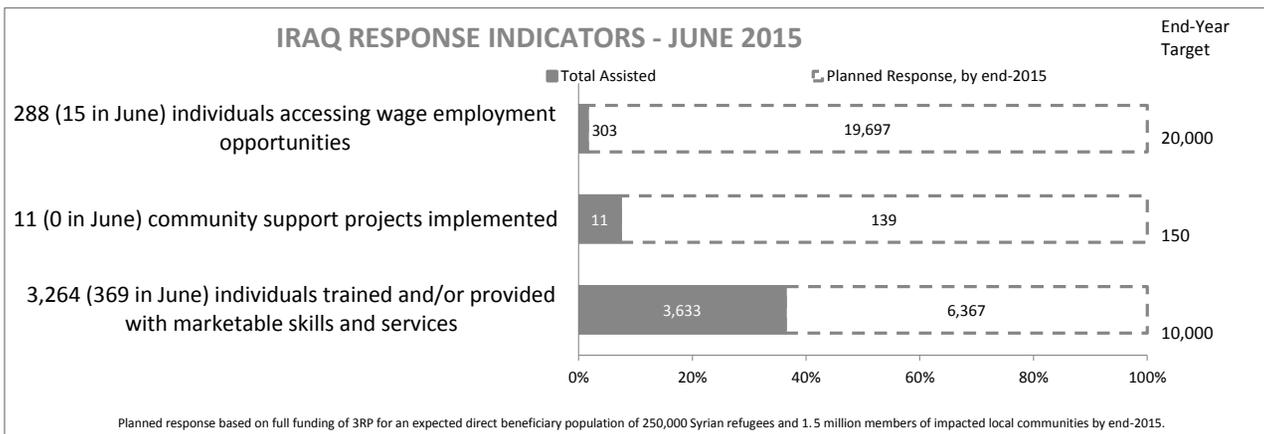
As per the recent findings from the UNHCR Protection cluster, there is a movement of refugee populations from non-camp settings, partially explained by the living costs for refugees outside of camps as well as by the lack of livelihoods opportunities available for low to medium skilled workers.

While continued humanitarian relief is needed for the most vulnerable refugees, the need for enhancing beneficiaries' self-reliance should be adequately addressed by providing Syrian refugees and the host community members with income generation activities and training to increase their

Percentage of men and women benefited from livelihoods activities



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