

SITUATION ANALYSIS

In April, access to life-saving and obstetric hospital care has been provided to 4,470 Syrian refugees through a network of 64 contracted hospitals. Of these, 2,457 referrals were for delivery care. On a primary health care level, 98,456 consultations were offered for both the refugee and Lebanese populations throughout Lebanon. This included 7,088 pregnant women who received antenatal care.

Some communicable diseases continue to be on the rise with 180 cases of mumps reported in the national communicable disease surveillance system. Positively, the incidence of Hepatitis A continued to decline, with only 56 cases reported. Routine childhood vaccination was provided to 20,426 children under five years of age. The Ministry of Public Health (MoPH), in collaboration with WHO and UNICEF, conducted a second supplementary polio vaccination campaign in 27 districts around the country, reaching children under 5 years of age regardless of nationality. As part of the Ministry of Social Affairs (MoSA) National Plan to Safeguard Women and Children in Lebanon and in collaboration with MoPH, 200 nurses and midwives working in SDCs across the country were trained on providing vaccination.

In an effort to enhance the quality of care for non-communicable diseases (NCD) for the refugee and Lebanese populations who receive care from different health actors throughout the country, the MoPH organized a national meeting on the NCD strategy. National guidelines that harmonize NCD care were presented and it was recommended that all NCD care be standardized across the country so that patients benefit equally, and that all interventions be carefully coordinated, information shared and data collection improved for better monitoring and further improvement in offering care.

The Mother and Child Health Care Initiative allows Lebanese pregnant women and children in Tripoli, Rashaya and Beirut, who do not have any form of health coverage, to benefit from a package of healthcare services at no cost. In April, 206 antenatal care visits, 171 deliveries and 31 pediatric follow-ups visits took place in those areas. In addition, 355 nurses and medical doctors at PHC-level received various trainings with the aim of reducing morbidity and mortality among Lebanese and refugee infants and children.

FUNDING

Required

249.2 m

Humanitarian \$157 m

Stabilization \$ 92.2 m



PEOPLE

(In Need/Target)

3.3 m (People in Need)

2.0 m (People Targeted)

Refugees

1,134,000

Vulnerable Lebanese

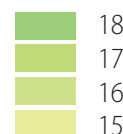
906,000



PARTNERS

29 in Lebanon

count of partners per
area of operation



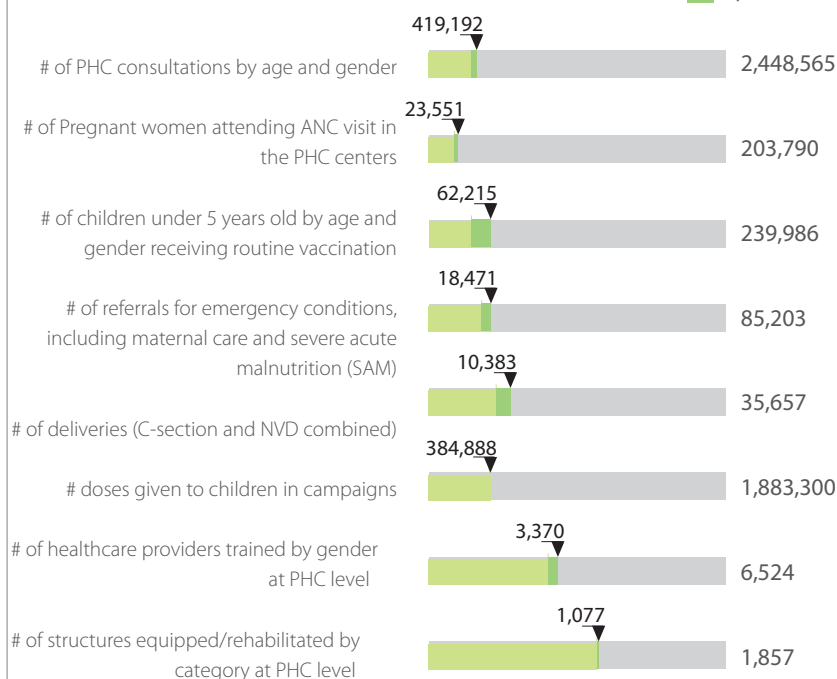
PROGRESS AGAINST 2015 TARGETS

Month of April progress

Progress (in %)

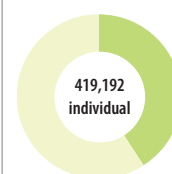
Jan to March

April



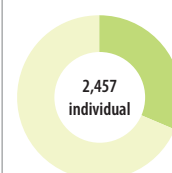
PROGRESS BY COHORTS

INDICATOR 1: Total Number of PHC consultations by gender from January till April 2015



Females	247,749
Males	171,443

INDICATOR 2: Out of a total of 4,470 hospitalizations in this month, 55% were for deliveries: Normal Vaginal Delivery (NVD), Caesarian-Sections (C-Section)



NVD	1,684
C-Section	773