

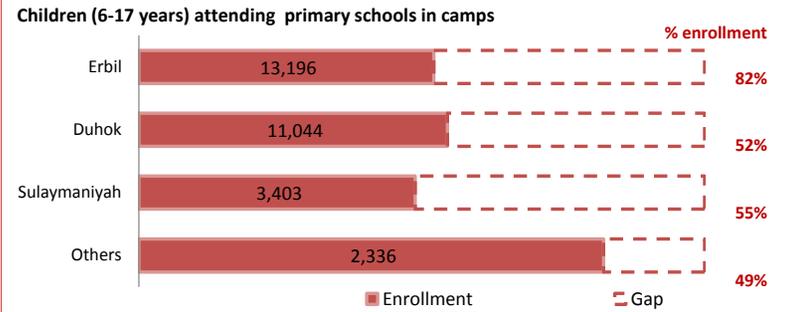


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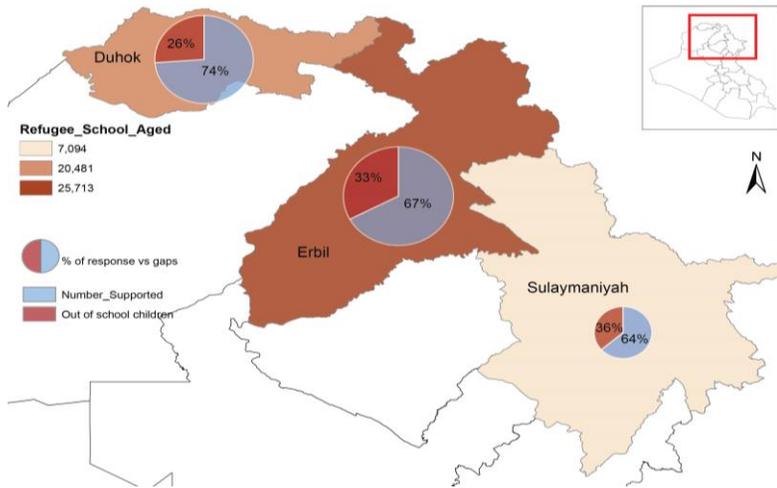
77,334 Refugee Children are aged 3-17years. Of these, **56,189** are school aged (6-17 years). Currently, 29,979 are so far enrolled in formal education and 5,211 in informal

HIGHLIGHTS:

56,189 Syrian school aged refugee children (6-17 years) are residing in Iraq, 98% in the KRI. 32,158 are spread into urban, peri-urban and rural communities, while 24,031 are in camps. Of these 29,979 children enrolled in formal both in primary and secondary education as of April while 6,930 are participating in non-formal education camps and non-camp settings across the Iraq



Refugee School Aged Children against Sector Achievements and Gaps

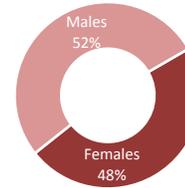


*Planned response is based on full funding of 3RP for all the school aged refugee children, spread out in the camp and non-camp settings majorly in the Kurdistan Region. There are 77,334 children between 3-17 years, and only 56,189 aged between 6-17years.



Children attending class in Akre Camp in Akre District. Photo credit: UNICEF, Feb/2017

Gender Disaggregation of Refugee School aged Children Supported



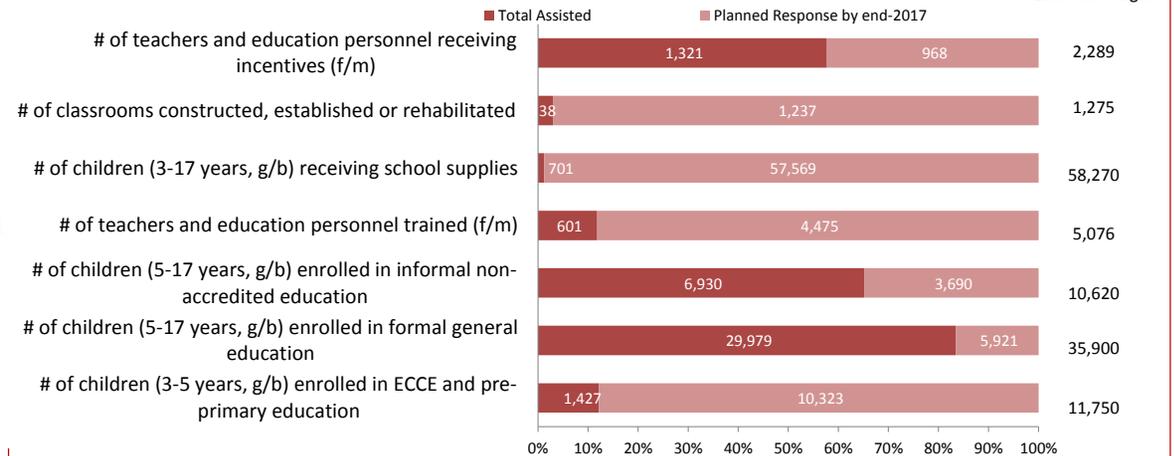
NEEDS ANALYSIS:

- The ongoing financial crisis of the KRI Government has limited the assistance that the Ministry of Education (MoE) can provide to refugee students in Iraq.
- Teachers operating in camps particularly in the camps in Erbil Governorate require training in psychosocial support
- While number of teachers remains low despite increase in enrolment in some camps, partners are scaling up efforts to provide incentives. 878 teachers are provided with incentives in the month of April.
- As per recent study conducted by UNHCR, 31% girls and 36% boys of the Refugee children remain out of school. Among the out of school, 38% girls and 43% boys are in non-camp while 14% girls and 19% boys are in camp. Factors such as financial costs, lack of Arabic schools, child labour, among others are contributing to out of school children.

By 30 April 2017, 239,639 Syrian refugees (78,507 households) live in Iraq:

- 97% = 231,393 live in Kurdistan Region-Iraq (KR-I): Erbil Duhok and Sulaymaniyah.
- 3% = 8,246 Live in other locations in Iraq.
- 62% = 148,823 live in non-camp/urban areas.
- 38% = 90,816 live in 9 camps (Basirma, Darashakran, Kawergosk, Qushtapa camps in Erbil, Domiz I and II, Akre, Gawilan camps in Duhok, Arbat Camp in Sulaymaniyah).

IRAQ RESPONSE INDICATORS: APRIL 2017*



*The Numbers visualized above are based on the reports retrieved from Activityinfo as provided by the partners involved in the Refugee response as of April 2017.

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