

The continued strategic priority for the Basic Needs Sector is to provide assistance to meet the ongoing basic needs of Syrian refugees, based on a multi-sectoral household profiling and identification methodology, specific to each country. As of November, approximately 2 million people benefited from cash assistance to families and over 246,000 households received seasonal support through cash or in-kind assistance. Some highlights of the Basic Needs Sector across the region in November include:

The Basic Needs Working Group in **Jordan** provided almost USD 15 million worth of regular cash, winter assistance and non-food items to vulnerable beneficiaries from the refugee and host community. In **Turkey**, some 1.35 million individuals have benefited from cash-based interventions since the beginning of the year, while 432,997 persons have received hygiene kits, dignity kits or sanitary items. In **Egypt**, UNHCR and the Administration of 6th of October City (which hosted around 40,000 registered refugees by end of October 2017) have jointly initiated the process of upgrading the physical.

