Lebanon Nutrition Sector: At a Glance

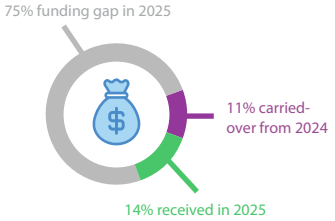
May 2025

LEBANON Response Plan

The Nutrition sector in Lebanon operates under the leadership of the Ministry of Public Health (MoPH). Complementing this leadership from the UN and NGO sides, the sector is co-led by the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) and International Orthodox Christian Charities (IOCC) as NGO co-coordinator.

January - March 2025 Sector Funding Status*

* LRP Funding (including Flash Appeal) as reported by UN and NGO implementing partners



Sector Appeal 2025: $31.24 M

LRP 2025 Appeal: $24.44 M

Flash Appeal (Jan-Mar): $6.80 M

Received in 2025: $4.45 M

Carry-over from 2024: $3.47 M

2025 Population Reached

1,319,454 People in Need

Reached: 190,477(21%) Targeted: 894,445

PBW	Adolescents	Children 0- 59 months
22,978	82,053	85,446

2025 Population Figures

	People in Need	People Targeted	People Reached
Lebanese	941,243	658,870	101,187
Displaced Syrians	270,893	189,625	84,921
Palestine Refugees from Syria	4,078	2,854	43
Palestine Refugees in Lebanon	32,528	22,770	842
Migrants	29,036	20,325	3,484

Key Achievements: January - March 2025

Reached Targeted

Outcome 1: Young children and their caregivers across the population, in all their diversity, have access to and demand for services aimed at preventing and managing all forms of malnutrition and the associated developmental risks (0-5 years of age).

# of caregivers of children 0-23 months received skilled IYCF support
4,022 (4%) 111,704

# of caregivers of CU5 benefiting from Social Behavioral Change (SBC) interventions on nutrition and ECD
7,118 (6%) 113,423

# of children 6-23 months receiving MNPs
8,595 (8%) 107,753

# of CU5 receiving Vitamin A supplement
41,322 (17%) 238,186

# of infants and CU5 who underwent screening and growth monitoring services at the Primary health care centers (PHCC)
85,446 (23%) 378,077

# of infants and CU5 screened for wasting at community level
20,357 (14%) 140,428

# of CU5 with moderate wasting admitted to malnutrition program
145 (2%) 7,874

# of CU5 with severe wasting admitted to acute malnutrition program
79 (3%) 2,301

Outcome 2: School-age children and adolescents have access to and demand for services aimed at preventing all forms of malnutrition.

# of school-age children and adolescents reached with awareness
82,053 (79%) 104,109

Outcome 3: Pregnant and Breastfeeding Women (PBW) across the population have access to and demand for services aimed at preventing and managing all forms of malnutrition.

# of PBW receiving adequate MMS/ IFA supplements through PHCCs
3,116 (3%) 105,050

# of PBW with wasting newly admitted to malnutrition program
99 (2%) 5,826

# of PBW screened for wasting at PHCC
22,978 (14%) 164,088

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