



**LEBANON
Response Plan**

Inter-Sector Coordination Group Meeting

March 27, 2026



Opening Remarks

ISCG Co-Chairs

Agenda

- 1. Response At a Glance**
- 2. First Response Sector Updates (Part I)**
 - **Food Security and Agriculture**
 - **Shelter**
 - **WaSH**
- 3. Assessments and Analyses**
- 4. Support Outside Collective Shelters**
- 5. Refresher on Communication Flow**
- 6. Logistics & Humanitarian Convoys Update**
- 7. Update from Operational Coordination Groups**
- 8. AoB**

Action Points

Follow Up

Meeting	Action Point	Status
18-Mar-2026	ISCG Co-Chairs to revert on agreed modality of support outside collective shelters.	Ongoing
18-Mar-2026	ISCG Co-Chairs to revert on the fuel supply.	Completed
6-Mar-2026	Sectors to provide inputs on Flash Updates on Mondays and Thursday by 7:00 PM.	Ongoing
6-Mar-2026	Sectors to closely follow-up with their partners to report their activities DAILY through ActivityInfo by 16:00, covering assistance provided both inside and outside collective shelters.	Ongoing
2-Mar-2026	ISCG co-chairs to share short written coordination note with ISCG and HCT members	Ongoing
2-Mar-2026	MoSA to activate and share the shock-responsive safety net registration link for affected populations based on assessment and needs.	Ongoing
2-Mar-2026	Logistics Cluster to collect and assess transportation and logistics gaps (including fuel and convoy preparedness) and coordinate with sectors accordingly.	Ongoing



Response At a Glance

Eyram Dzitrie, Humanitarian Affairs Officer (OCHA)

Response At-a-Glance

Key Figures & Response Progress


Food Security

 **2.1M** meals distributed

MPCA


72K households reached

Nutrition

 Emergency nutrition rations & micronutrient supplement provision

10.7K children under five, adolescent girls and pregnant & breastfeeding women reached

Education

 **1K** education kits or supplies distributed


Shelter & CRIs

Shelter items distributed in collective shelters


 **96.8K** mattresses

 **290** shelters assessed ⁽⁵⁾

Health


 **652** collective shelters linked with primary health care centers


Protection

 **40K** IDPs reached with protection services including information & awareness sessions, psychosocial support, and case management

WASH

WASH services in collective shelters


 **606** shelters receiving WASH assistance

 **131.6K** people reached

 Hygiene kits distribution

34.8K family hygiene kits

20.6K MHM kits⁽³⁾

 Fuel provision to water establishments for water pumping

487K Litres fuel provided

 **412K** people reached

Social Stability

Tension Pulse published by Tensions Monitoring Team.



First Responder Sector Updates (Part I)



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Food Security and Agriculture

Mohie ElWahsh, FSA Sector Coordinator (WFP)

Food Security and Agriculture

Sector Update

Current snapshot of the response:

- Since the escalation began on 2 March 2026, partners mobilized rapidly and initiated food distributions in shelters, providing a total of 1.8 million hot meals. Partners also distributed 50,000 ready-to-eat (RTE) kits to support affected families with immediate food needs. As of 6 March 2026, and demonstrating strong operational agility, WFP supported the Ministry of Social Affairs (MoSA) to activate emergency cash transfers for approximately 185,000 individuals in less than 24 hours following the mass displacement from Beirut's southern suburbs, leveraging the national shock-responsive social safety net already in place.
- Operational shelters dashboard [Workbook: 2026_LB_Emergency tracker](#)

Main operational challenges affecting sector's response, and support required to address them:

- Delays in DRM reporting / documenting newly opened shelters resulted in delays in delivering support.
- Unverified reports about food quality were shared about a shelter in Beqaa, but they were later confirmed to be false.

Key cross-sectoral considerations:

- Shelters kitchen's installation and operating (WASH and Shelter sectors)
- Food safety (WASH and Health sectors)



Shelter

Abed Abdulghani, Shelter Sector Coordinator (UNHCR)



Shelter

Key Figures and Coverage

Repair of Collective Sites



of collective shelters that sector partners have the capacity to repair

503



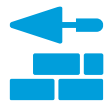
of collective sites where shelter assessments were conducted.

305



of collective sites that were approved by relevant stakeholders

155



of collective sites where repairs works are on-going

78



of collective sites where repairs works are completed

18

Core Relief Items inside CSs



of collective sites supported with CRIs by LRP partners

541



of Households receiving CRIs

53,101

Essential CRIs distributed by LRP actors:



#of Blankets Distributed: 119,222



#of Mattresses Distributed: 96,819



#of Pillow Distributed: 42,081

In addition to the essential items, the sector distributed Clothing **22,326**, Floor Mats **47,777**, Sleeping Bags **4,907**, Solar Lanterns **9,305**, and Jerry Cans **8,281**.

Shelter

Challenges and Cross Sectoral Considerations

Challenges:

- Delays in securing **MEHE approvals** for repairs of schools used as collective shelters (CSs).
- Collective shelters host only a **fraction of displaced populations**, with limited options - especially for non-Lebanese.
- **Rising rental costs** limiting access to rental solutions for IDPs.
- **Frequent maintenance needs** in CSs due to overcrowding and rapid wear and tear.
- **Limited accessibility and preparedness** of CSs for persons with disabilities (PwDs).
- **CRI distribution outside CSs remains on hold**, constraining support to non-site populations.
- **Persistent gaps in responding to homelessness**, despite cash assistance.

Cross Sectoral Considerations:

- **Protection:** Collaborate to expand shelter options for all populations and ensure CSs are accessible for persons with disabilities (PwDs).
- **WASH:** Phase repair activities in collective shelters in coordination with other sector interventions.
- **SMC:** Scale up site management activities and ensure complementarity with Shelter, WASH, and Protection interventions.
- **CWG:** Ensure alignment and complementarity of sectoral cash assistance modalities.



WaSH

James Henderson, National WaSH Coordinator (UNICEF)
Hussein Younes, National WaSH Co-Coordinator (WVI)



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WaSH

Key Figures & Coverage



130,000+ Individuals reached with WaSH services across 597 shelters (90%)



RTA 601 Shelters



NFI 557 Shelters

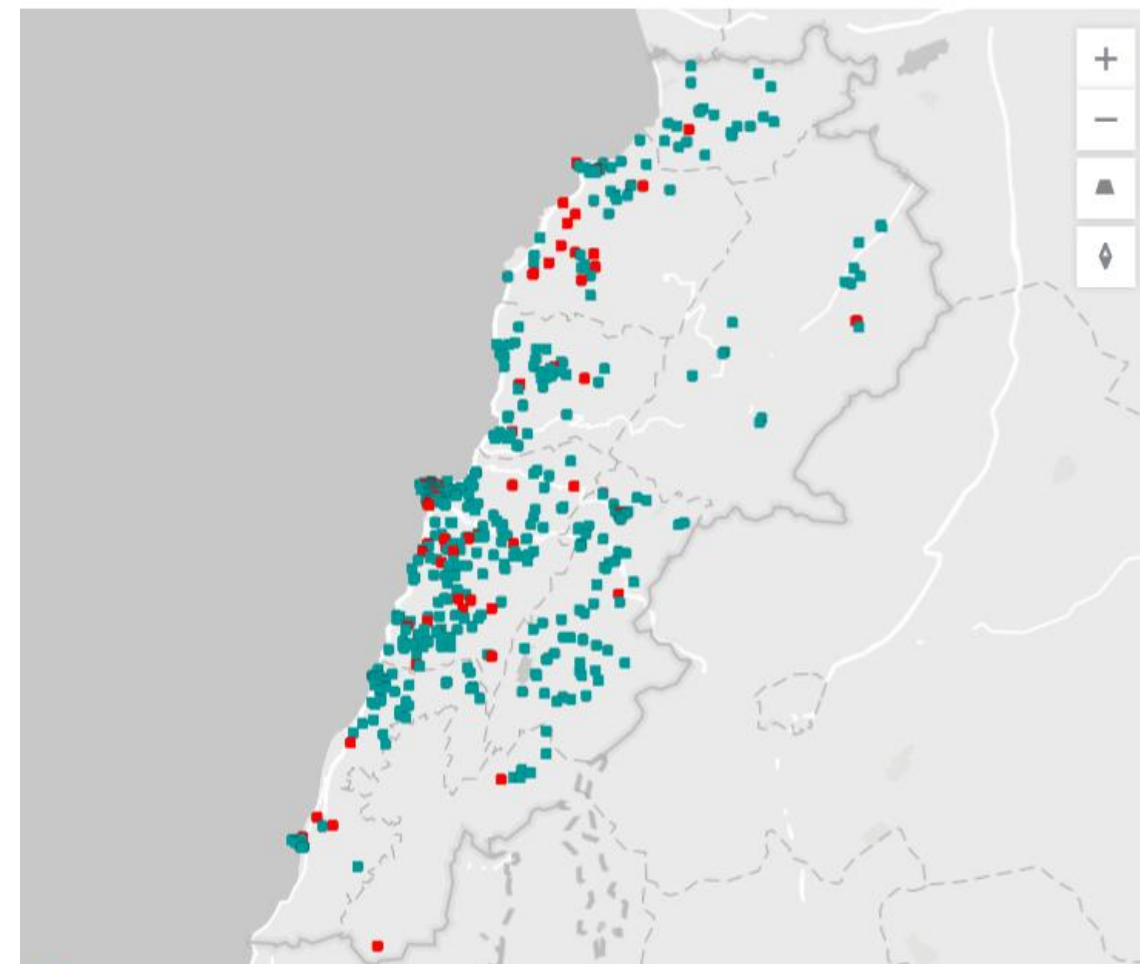


Bottled Water 418 Shelters



487k litres of Fuel to sustain water supply to over 200K people

Shelters reached with WaSH assistance, gaps in red.



Challenges

- Heavy reliance on **temporary solutions (trucking, bottled water)**
- **Partner capacity** and timely response to needs
- **Referrals not always aligned with verified field needs**, leading to gaps in targeting and response efficiency

Support required:

- **Fuel support** to maintain water supply systems
- Investment in **more cost efficient water supply solutions** where feasible
- Establish **clearer referral and verification processes**, ensuring requests are validated against field conditions and RTA prioritisation before response

Key Cross-Sectoral Considerations

Shelter sector:

Coordination critical for **rehabilitation works, site planning, and installation of facilities**
Latrine/Showers cost efficient interventions

Health & Protection:

Overcrowding + inadequate sanitation increases **public health risks and protection concerns** (especially for women and children)

Education / MEHE:

Required approvals and coordination for works in **school-based shelters** can delay implementation



Assessments & Analyses

Stephanie Laba, Inter-Agency Coordination Officer (UNHCR)

Assessments and Analyses

Inside Collective Shelters

Current Situation

Daily assessments led by MoSA, MEHE & LRC

- A simplified tool for rapid identification of needs
- Focused on site-level information and immediate gaps

Next Step:

- Deployment of one-time (initially) cross-sectoral ERNA tool across all CS to capture needs across sectors
- Triangulation of daily assessments + ERNA findings
- Consolidated data shared with sectors
- In the meantime, MoSA to enhance daily tool with additional sectoral indicators
- ERNA assessments will be repeated as needed based on evolving conditions

Assessments and Analyses

Outside Collective Shelters

- Assessment tool **under final revision by sectors**
- Upon endorsement by MoSA & access by MoIM:
 - **~72 hours per area** for data collection
 - **Parallel assessments** possible across multiple locations
 - Data will be analysed by MoSA, LRC, AAWG and shared with Governorate for dissemination to sectors.
 - Sectors will make sure to coordinate assistance based on geosplit, mobilize partners
 - Partners will implement, ensure daily reporting
 - Reverse reporting will take place from partners to sectors, to OCGs to the Governorate to close the loop and make sure the aid is delivered based on needs.



Support Outside Collective Shelters

Stephanie Laba, Inter-Agency Coordination Officer (UNHCR)

Support Outside Collective Shelters

Cash Assistance

- Priority for outside shelters
- Data undergoing revision
- Targeting approach will be applied

In-Kind Assistance

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Refresher on Communication Flow

Stephanie Laba, Inter-Agency Coordination Officer (UNHCR)



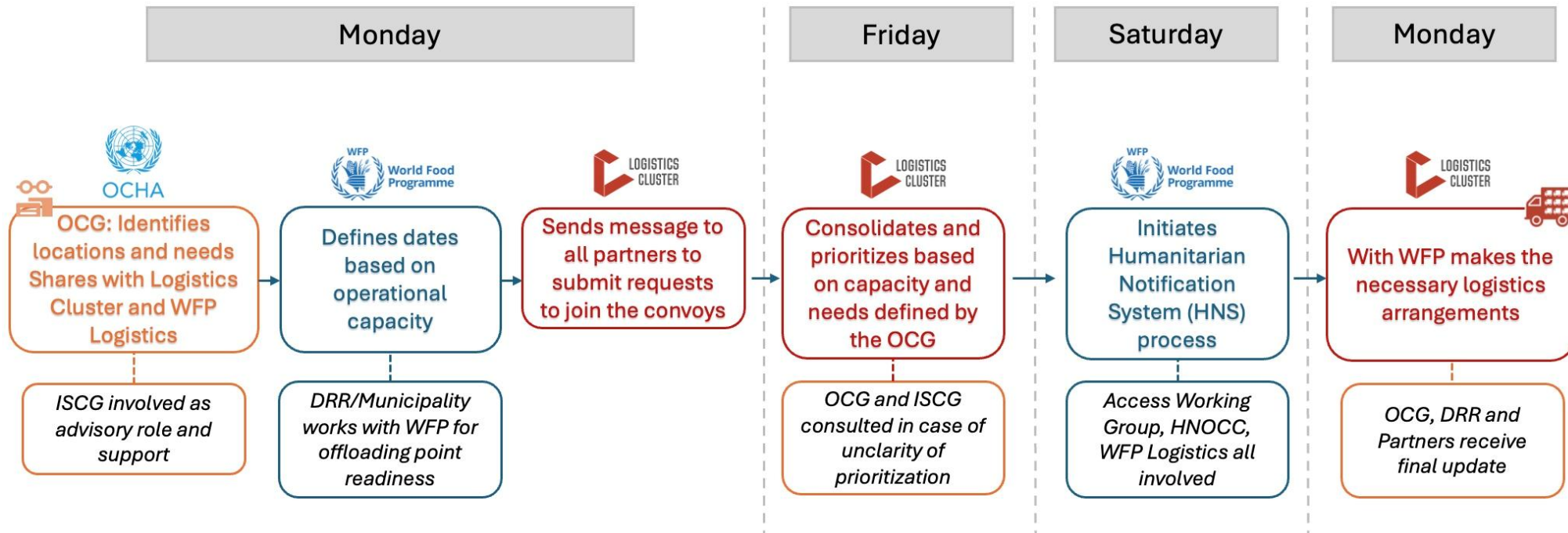
Logistics & Humanitarian Convoys Update

Thomas Vanommen, Logistics Cluster Coordinator (WFP)

Logistics & Humanitarian Convoys Update

Process

If the Convoy is planned for **Tuesday**:



* If the Convoys is planned for **Thursday**: needs and locations to be identified on **Wednesday** of the previous week, consolidation – on **Sunday**, HNS - on **Monday** and logistics – on **Wednesday**

Logistics & Humanitarian Convoys Update

Update

- 3 convoys in the past two weeks
- Negative responses are the main challenges, increasing operational constraints and costs
- OCG is coordinating the prioritization, but we incentivize contributions from partners or National Sectors to the OCGs/Logistics Cluster, for their final approval
- For Bekaa, no prioritized locations have been shared yet, so the focus stays on the south for the time being.
- MedLog Working Group planned
- Access mapping in coordination with HNOCC, Access WG, and WFP



Updates from OCGs

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Guiding Questions

1. What are the main operational challenges currently affecting the delivery of assistance to displaced populations and collective sites in your area?
2. Are there any coordination or authorization constraints (e.g., access to sites, engagement with local authorities, sector coordination) that are delaying or limiting the response?
3. What immediate actions or decisions at national or governorate level would help resolve these challenges and improve the response?
4. What information-sharing processes, tools, channels, and practices have proven effective in ensuring wide dissemination of information in support of coordination and response delivery between OCG Co-Chairs and operational partners?



AoB

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Organizations Providing Services for Persons with Disabilities



List of Disability Organizations Providing Emergency Assistance for Persons with Disabilities

Partner	Region	Hotline	Services
International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC)	South, Bekaa and Mount Lebanon	+961 1 777 777	Assistive devices, wheelchairs, crutches, prosthetics and orthotics
MOUSAWAT	Across all Lebanon	Ghadeer Zaid +961 78 874 549	Assistive Devices, lifesaving items, self care supplies, primary health care & medication (Beirut AND MOUNT LEBANON)
LUPD	Across all Lebanon	Bekaa: General Needs + Disability Related Needs +961 81 491 828 Beirut, Mount Lebanon / Salda: General Needs + Disability Related Needs +961 70 407 814 / +961 81 491 824	Emergency teams from LUPD are operating in Salda, Beirut, Mount Lebanon, Jbell, and the central and northern Bekaa to meet the needs of persons with disabilities, including medical aids and essential in-kind needs during the displacement phase (personal hygiene kits / food kits / life kits / diapers / medical needs). In addition provision of emergency cash assistance (ECA). Note: depending on the availability per area.
The Forum for the Rights of Persons with Disabilities FRPD	Tripoli, Menleh Dennleh and Akkar	Fatima Tahla Emergency Coordinator +961 70 888 491 fatima.tahleh@theforum-lb.org	Assistive Devices, Self/home care supplies, Physical therapy, Food parcels, MHPSS

Arcenciel	Beirut	+961 76 874 356	Assistive Devices, Accessibility and Adaptation Work, Medications, Medical Aids, PSS Activities, Therapies (physiotherapy, psychomotor, speech therapy, psychological), Hot meals, Waste management services,
	Metn, Baabda, Kesserwan, Jbell, Chouf	+961 3 109 672	
	North Lebanon: Akkar	+961 3 273 960	
	Beqaa: Central Beqaa - Taanayel	+961 71 802 548	
RAHMA MEDICAL CENTER	North Lebanon - Tripoli, Kar and Dinnlyeh	Amar Al Masri +961 76 058 353	Provide comprehensive rehabilitation and Primary Health Care Center (PHCC) services, including the distribution of essential medications, medical aids, and mental health support. During displacement phases, our support also extends to critical in-kind assistance, such as personal hygiene kits, diapers, assistive devices, and specialized home care supplies.
shareQ/ProAble	Beirut, Mount Lebanon	+961 78 809 766	shareQ/ ProAble is providing Hot meals and Vacuum meals. Mashed food for specific disability and medical cases.
IDRAAC	Beirut, Mount Lebanon, Bekaa	+961 76 100 576	Assistive devices Personal care supplies
Terre des Hommes Italy (TDHIT)	Beirut, Mount Lebanon and North Bekaa	+961 78 872 359	Assistive devices including mobility devices, hearing and vision assistive aids, Self/home care supplies, etc.
	Palestinian Camps	+961 81 623 838	
Handicap International (Humanity & Inclusion)	Beirut	Malak Al Shami +961 76 320 827	1. Rehabilitation and assistive devices for people with disabilities and older people. 2. Delivery coverage and Baby kits for pregnant women including those with disability. 3. Inclusive Sexual and reproductive health and rights awareness sessions accompanied with distribution of menstrual hygiene management kits. 4. Inclusive GBV case management and distribution of Hygiene kits. 5. Inclusive Humanitarian Actions. 6. Explosive Ordnance Risk Education and Conflict Preparedness and Protection.

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Contingency Stock

Outdated Data

- Sector coordinators/IM to review the data and contact partners to update their entries.
- Weekly reminders are being sent by the Inter-Sector to all partners.
- A list of partners with outdated data is being compiled; they will be contacted and reminded to update their entries.
- The data is currently used by the Government and the UN to assess readiness.

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Update on ISCG Meeting Scheduling

- The next two ISCG meetings will be held on Thursdays.
- This adjustment is made in light of the upcoming Catholic and Orthodox Good Friday holidays.
- Regular scheduling will resume thereafter:
 - Ad-hoc emergency ISCG weekly meeting on Fridays from 10:00 to 11:00 (1 hour)
 - Regular ISCG meetings on the FIRST Friday of the month from 10:00 to 12:00 (2 hours)



Thank You