



## SEPTEMBER HIGHLIGHTS:

The sector's main interventions are in camps where about **96% (17,240 shelter units)** are improved and work continues for the remaining **4% (589 shelter units)**. Also, about **75% (13,499 shelter units)** are upgraded and **25% (4,330 shelters)** remain.

**Erbil camps:** Improvement works for the remaining 315 shelter units are at their final stages. Care and maintenance for camp facilities (fences, UN offices, roads, open channels, community centres and expansion of shopping area) are ongoing.

**Duhok camps:** A multi-functional team (MFT), in close coordination with Domiz 1 Camp Management, completed the second phase of the technical shelter assessment (920 households) to upgrade 1,500 shelter units (1,200 in Domiz 1 and 300 in Domiz 2). This upgrading work will be funded by the Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development (KFAED).

Through providing construction material and cash for work (labour payment). In Gawilan camp, a total of 457 out of 483 shelter units have been upgraded.

The second objective is to provide shelter assistance to vulnerable refugees and impacted community members living out of camps (in urban and rural areas). The majority (62%) of refugees live out of camps in rented dwellings. In comparison to camp dwellings, the sector has been less active. To fill this gap of assistance, multiple processes are in place.

• **Quick Impact Projects** or Community Support Projects: So far, four projects out of 14 projects (six health, three WASH, three education and one community-based project) completed and the remaining are under implementation to which the shelter sector has provided technical support and has monitored the implementation.



Shelter upgrade (self-construction\*) in Gawilan Camp. / UNHCR/ R. Rasheed



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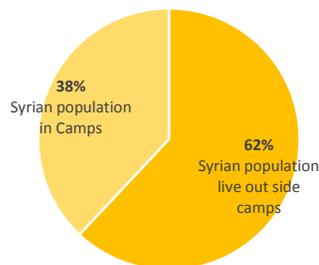
## NEEDS ANALYSIS:

To reach above-mentioned three objectives, the **main requirements in the nine camps** in KR-I are:

- Continuous care and maintenance for all camp infrastructure. There is an urgent need to pave the roads of Kawergosk and Qushtapa camps.
- Improvement of 201 emergency shelter units in Kawergosk and 80 new improved shelters in Darashakran, Erbil.
- Upgrading of the majority of shelter units in all camps.
- Finding solutions for the overcrowded areas in Domiz 1 (Duhok). Initially, the camp was built in an emergency situation without any site planning. As a result, the camp is overcrowded, shelter units need improvement and upgrading, and the camp infrastructure requires improvement. Moreover, in Kawergosk, Erbil, some 500 families live in the minimum standard space per person.

## Overview of Shelter situation of the Syrian refugees (80,795 households/HHs):

- 22,486 Households (HHs) live in shelter units in camps
- 58,309 Households(HHs) live in rented dwelling in non-camps (urban and rural areas around host community)



\* Self-construction is providing construction material to the targeted families with cash to upgrade their shelters by themselves.

## IRAQ RESPONSE INDICATORS: SEPTEMBER 2017

