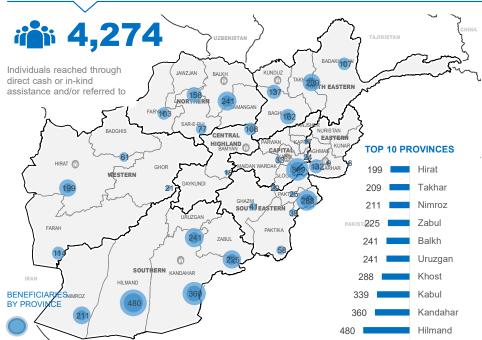
RESPONSE SNAPSH

01 January - 31 August 2021



UNHCR's Persons with Specific Needs (PSN) program is an integral part of UNHCR Afghanistan's Protection and Solution Strategy. It aims to strengthen the protection environment for PSN amongst UNHCR's persons of concern across Afghanistan, applying a whole of community approach. Assistance is provided on an individual basis to people assessed as having acute vulnerabilities and protection risks.

Following the events leading to the change in regime in Afghanistan, the project was suspended temporarily in some areas. At present female staff are working from home and conducting PSN assessments remotely. There have been delays in the provision of cash assistance owing to the closure of banks and money service providers and poor

liquidity, in the immediate aftermath of recent events.

4,274 reached against 10,870 target beneficiaries ■ Reached ■ Remaining 39% 61% Of the 6,685 individuals assessed, 4,009 directly benefited from cash and/or in-kind assistance while 265 were referred for medical, livelihoods, shelter and other assistance ■ Direct Assistance ■ Referred to Network 6% **BENEFICIARIES BY POPULATION** Conflict-Induced IDPs 3.257

PROGRESS VS TARGET

BENEFICIARIES BY ACTIVITY



Host Communities 635 Refugee 243 Refugee Returnees Other population | 53



220	164	1,277	2,125	293	195
Boys	Girls	Men	Women	Elderly Men	Elderly Women



* The 'Other Protection Needs' category includes assistance for transportation, civil documentation, and various other protection-related interventions

BENEFICIARIES ASSISTED BY MONTH 859 776 732 745 543 520 92 Feb May Aug Sep Nov Dec Jan Mar Apr Jun Jul Oct

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