



Sector highlights from August

WASH:

- UNHCR have received US\$ 2million from the UAE to implement an interim wastewater management project in Zaatari camp. This project is a **temporary solution** until the installation of the planned wastewater collection network.
- UNICEF and ACTED have finalised the new water distribution and monitoring mechanism for Zaatari camp.
- Distribution of **3,800M³ of water** is ongoing every day (06:00-18:00)
- De-sludging of **1,700M³ of wastewater** is ongoing everyday
- Collection of **750M³ of solid waste** is ongoing everyday
- Works have started on the installation of borehole number 3 in district 6. This will be completed by the end of September.
- ACTED, JEN and Oxfam are in the process of **disinfecting public water tanks** across all districts in the camp.
- Installation of onsite trickling system and MBR wastewater treatment units is on-going by the airstrip at the edge of district 12.

PROTECTION:

- UNHCR launched a dissemination campaign on the **new bail-out procedures for refugees**.
- UNHCR Protection now have a **24/7 hotline for refugees** in Zaatari. The hotline number is 0791420242.
- In coordination with the Mafrqa Civil Registry **1,336 babies have been registered** since July 2013.
- ARDD-Legal Aid are now providing **free legal services for refugees** in the camp. This will be provided through a series of phone lines, referral mechanisms, and direct contact with refugees.

NON-FOOD ITEMS (NFIs):

- The following items were distributed in August: **diapers** (children under 2) along with **soap and sanitary napkins** targetting the entire camp population.
- The following items will be distributed in September: **WASH kits, soap, sanitary napkins and diapers**. **Water bottles** will also be distributed by WFP.

HEALTH:

- All health facilities are **operational with no outbreaks of disease** reported.
- The sixth round of the oral **polio vaccination** campaign was completed on 21 August. **1,700 children under the age of 5** were vaccinated (98.1% coverage).

EDUCATION:

- Zaatari schools resumed on 24 August with **15,000 children registered** (25% of the camp population). High registration rates are attributed to the success of the **back-to-school campaign** led by Education sector partners across the camp in August.
- UNICEF have announced the construction of a **new school in district 7**.
- In August **text books were distributed** for grades 4-8 and stationary was distributed to taught and administrative staff.

FOOD:

- The second distribution cycle of July reached **80,000 beneficiaries**.
- WFP and Save the Children have finished monthly in-kind food distribution cycles and have shifted to food vouchers only. Vouchers are distributed twice a month in **8-day cycles** with a value of 10JD. Super-cereal has been distributed during the second cycle, each family received 1.5KG.
- WFP distributed **re-useable shopping bags**.
- WFP are in consultation with SRAD regarding the **roll-out of the e-vouchers** pilot project in Zaatari. The plan is to have a pilot of 300 randomly selected families who will receive the e-vouchers before camp-wide implementation.
- Daily bread distribution (**17.3 MT**) is on-going covering 72,083 beneficiaries.

Sector meetings in September



1. **WASH:** **When?** Every Sunday @ 11:00. **Where?** UNICEF meeting room 4. **Chair:** UNICEF. **Contact:** Habib Ur-Rahman, hrehman@unicef.org,
2. **Hygiene:** **When?** Every second week on Sunday @ 13:00. **Where?** UNICEF meeting room 4. **Chair:** UNICEF. **Contact:** Rana Harbawi, rharbawi@unicef.org



1. **Child protection:** **When?** Every second week on Thursday @ 12:00. **Where?** Meeting room 2. **Chair:** Save the Children/UNHCR/UNICEF. **Contact:** Hamida Jahamah, hamida.jahamah@savethechildren.org
2. **SGBV:** **When?** Every second week on Thursday @ 12:00. **Where?** Meeting room 2. **Chair:** IRC/UNFPA. **Contact:** Elena de Fabbro, elena.delfabbro@rescue.org
3. **Protection:** **When?** Every second week on Thursday @ 13:00. **Where?** Buffer zone, Caravan F1A. **Chair:** UNHCR, **Contact:** Sandrine Peillon, peillon@unhcr.org
4. **Youth taskforce:** **When?** Every Tuesday @ 10:30. **Where?** Buffer zone, Caravan F5. **Chair:** UNFPA/NRC. **Contact:** Emma Bonar, emma.bonar@nrc.no



1. **NFI-Shelter:** **When?** Every second week on Tuesday @ 10:30. **Where?** Meeting room 3. **Chair:** UNHCR. **Contact:** Jonson Opoka, opoka@unhcr.org.
2. **Cash for work:** **When?** On request @ 14:00. **Where?** Meeting room 4. **Chair:** UNHCR. **Contact:** Irene Omondi, omondii@unhcr.org



1. **Camp Management and Coordination:** **When?** Every Tuesday @ 14:00. **Where?** Meeting room 4. **Chair:** UNHCR. **Contact:** Killian Klienschmidt, kleinsch@unhcr.org
2. **Community mobilization:** **When?** Every Tuesday @ 12:30. **Where?** Buffer zone, Caravan F5. **Chair:** IRD. **Contact:** Faiza Alaraji, f.alaraji@ird-jo.org
3. **Security:** **When?** Every Tuesday @ 11:00. **Where?** Meeting room 2. **Chair:** UNHCR. **Contact:** Petra Finianos, finianos@unhcr.org
4. **District team meetings:**
 - **Districts 1&2:** Every Thursday @ 10:00, ACTED Cedar tent (D2)
 - **District 3:** Every Monday @ 11:15, IRC Oasis centre (D3)
 - **District 4:** Every Wednesday @ 11:30, JEN communal tent (D4)
 - **District 5:** Every Monday @ 13:00, IRC/UNFPA centre (D5)
 - **District 6:** Every Sunday @ 14:00, IRD compound
 - **District 7:** Every Monday @ 14:00, Base camp buffer zone F1
 - **District 8:** Every Wednesday @ 12:30, UNFPA/FCA centre (D8)
 - **District 9:** Every Sunday @ 10:00, IRD community centre (D9)
 - **District 10:** Every second Sunday @ 12:30, IRD community centre (D10)
 - **District 11:** Every Wednesday @ 13:00, ACTED lemon centre (D11)
 - **District 12:** Every Sunday @ 11:30, Base camp buffer zone F1



1. **Health:** **When?** Every Monday @ 10:30. **Where?** MoH caravan. **Chair:** MoH/UNHCR. **Contact:** Brendan Dineen, dineen@unhcr.org
2. **Reproductive health:** **When?** Every second week on Wednesday @ 12:30. **Chair:** UNFPA. **Contact:** Maysa Al-Khateeb, mal-khateeb@unfpa.org
3. **Mental health:** **When?** Every second week on Tuesday @ 13:00. **Chair:** IMC/WHO, **Contact:** Ahmad Jaran, ajarah@InternationalMedicalCorps.org



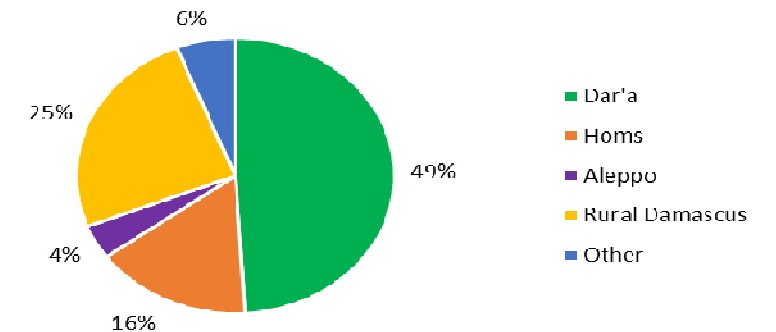
1. **Education:** **When?** Every second week on Tuesday @ 11:30. **Where?** Buffer zone, Caravan F5. **Chair:** UNICEF. **Contact:** Maria Paradies, mparadies@unicef.org

Summary of Zaatari registration activities

Registration statistics from 23-30 August 2014

- **1,227 refugees were registered at Raba Sarhan** (47 are second time arrivals). 48% males and 52% female arrivals. 88% of the refugees were transported to Azraq, and 12% refugees to Zaatari.
- Dar'a is the main city of origin (49%) – see chart below.

Refugee area of origin - 10-16 August 2014



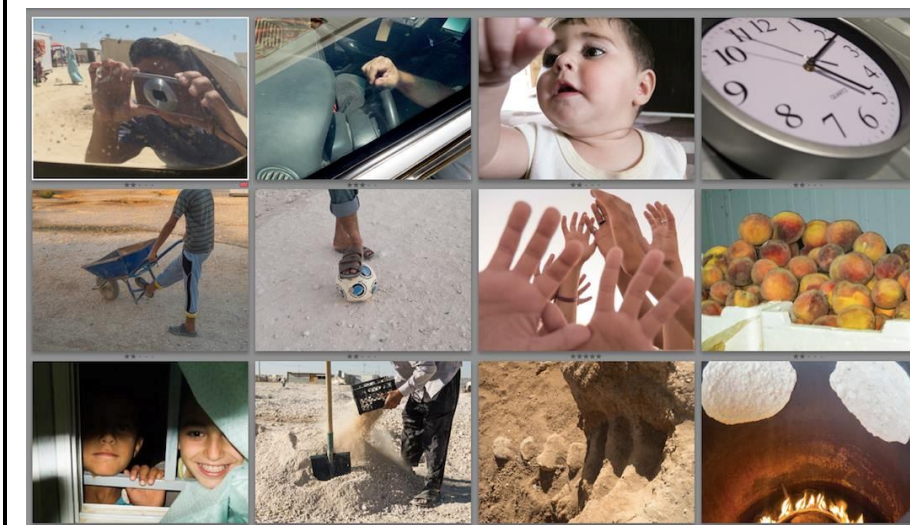
- **Family reunification to Zaatari approved:** 105 from Azraq, 4 from EJC, (26% women at risk; 23% single parents; 17% serious medical condition; 14% specific protection needs; 8% children at risk; 6% elderly at risk.).
- **163 new born babies were registered with UNHCR**, among them (41%) girls and (59%) boys.
- A total of **1,668 individuals spontaneously departed** to Syria including 36% living in Zaatari and 64% outside Zaatari. Dara is the main city where refugees departed to (89%), followed by Rural Damascus (3%), Quneitra and Damascus (1%).

Population of Zaatari camp (8 September): **79,496**

-50.9% Females and 49.1% Males

Population of Azraq camp (8 September): **13,043**

Photo of the month



Photos taken by 15-year-old Mohammad, one of 12 young people taking part in a photography workshop in Zaatari camp in August. The class was given a list of 75 things and challenged to photograph as many as possible.

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