



# JORDAN REFUGEE RESPONSE - Key events in Zaatari camp: November 2014



## Sector highlights from October

### WASH:

- Distribution of **3,800M<sup>3</sup> of water** is on-going every day (06:00-18:00)
- De-sludging of **1,700M<sup>3</sup> of wastewater** is on-going everyday
- Collection of **750M<sup>3</sup> of solid waste** is on-going everyday
- Drilling is complete at **borehole number 3** to a depth of 500 metres; construction of the borehole is on-going by Mercy Corps and UNICEF.
- ACTED are in the process of **disinfecting public water tanks**.
- Installation of the on-site trickling system and MBR **wastewater treatment units** is on-going by the airstrip at the edge of district 12.
- UNHCR and IRD will work in partnership to implement an interim wastewater management project in the camp. This project is a **temporary solution** until the installation of the planned wastewater collection network.
- UNICEF propose to install storage tanks to capture discharged turbid water at borehole 2 and reuse the water for irrigation, cleaning, construction etc.

### PROTECTION:

- UNHCR Protection now has a **24/7 hotline for refugees**: 0791420242.
- The UNHCR general hotline number is: 06 400 8000.
- In coordination with the Mafrqa Civil Registry **1,773 babies have been registered** since July 2013.

### NON-FOOD ITEMS (NFIs):

- The following items were distributed in October: **WASH kits, soap, sanitary napkins and diapers**.
- The following items will be distributed in November: **clothing (hats, gloves, jumpers, socks, and scarfs), heaters, blankets, soap, and sanitary napkins**.

### HEALTH:

- All health facilities are **operational with no outbreaks of disease** reported.
- A **headlice campaign** was launched in Zaatari's 3 schools and is ongoing; 5,000 combs and shampoos have been distributed.

### EDUCATION:

- In October there were **15,495 students** attending Zaatari's 3 schools (8,157 girls and 7,338 boys).
- There were **18,225 registered students** between the ages 5-11, and 11,274 registered between the ages 12-17.
- There are **280 Syrian assistant teachers** in the camp.
- A total of 1,800 children are enrolled in informal/remedial education.
- A total of **164 disabled children** are enrolled in school.
- **Teacher training sessions** have been organised by UNICEF in coordination with the Ministry of Education.
- UNICEF are installing a **new annex and 2 new prefabs at school 1** which will open 8 new classrooms in efforts to increase capacity of the schools and reduce over-crowding.
- The opening of the Kuwaiti school is still under negotiation.

### FOOD:

- **E-voucher** roll-out is on-going and scheduled to finish in mid-November. E-vouchers have been distributed to **1,600 households** so far.
- The second distribution cycle of October reached **70,606 beneficiaries**.
- Daily bread distribution (**17.3 MT**) is on-going covering 72,083 beneficiaries.
- WFP continues to **distribute welcoming meals for new arrivals** in RAS through IOM, and in Zaatari through NRC for special cases.
- The **school feeding programme** is on-going in Zaatari's 3 schools. The highest number of distributions in both shifts during the reporting period was **15,390 date bars**. From the 2 November WFP will distribute A28/A29 rice-wheat bisuits instead of date bars.

## Sector meetings in November



**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: Hovig Etyemezian, etyemezi@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: Shorouq Fakhouri, sfakhouri@unicef.org

## Summary of Zaatari registration activities

### Registration statistics from 1-7 November 2014

- **Transfers to Zaatari camp: 651 individuals were transferred to Zaatari camp**, 12 individual transferred from RBS, and 4 individuals transferred from Azraq camp. Individuals were re-interviewed and issued new Mol cards, red ration cards, registration papers, and health booklets. 635 individuals were transferred from urban (215 individuals were registered in Irbid, and 420 individuals were registered in Amman).
- **Registration of new births: 66 new born babies** were registered with UNHCR, among them (59%) girls and (41%) boys.
- **Bailouts:** a total of **157 individuals from Zaatari were bailed-out** to Mafrqa (43%), Irbid (24%) and Amman (16%).
- **Spontaneous departures:** a total of **439 individuals spontaneously departed** to Syria including (23%) residing in Zaatari, and (77%) outside of Zaatari. For Zaatari residents, Dara'a is the main city of return (92%) followed by Aleppo and Damascus. Main reasons for departure were to join family members in Syria (53%), and lack of employment/income-generating opportunities in the camp.

### Population of Zaatari camp (10 November):

**81,289** (50.5% Females and 49.5% Males)

### Population of Azraq camp (11 November):

**11,540** (51% Females and 49% Males)

## Photo of the month



**Drilling of borehole number 3 in district 7 by Mercy Corps and UNICEF.**  
Photo credit: UNHCR Site Planning