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ZAATARI REFUGEE CAMP

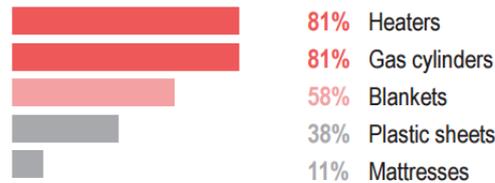
WINTER RESPONSE

NOVEMBER 2015 - FEBRUARY 2016

WINTER NEEDS & CHALLENGES

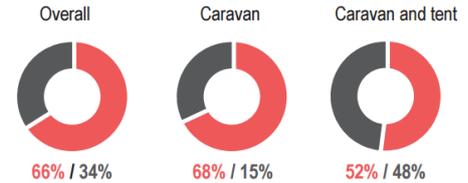
Primary non-food needs

Families reported their top three needs for winter:



Suitability of shelter for winter

Families reported suitability of their shelters for winter:



Not Suitable / Suitable

Adequacy of children's clothing

Families reported the condition of their children's clothing:



N.B. Children defined as persons between 0-17 years. There was no correlation between the number of children in the family and the rated level of adequacy.

Shelter flooding in winter 2014-2015

Families who reported shelter flooding last winter:



N.B. 70% of families whose shelter flooded in 2014-15 remained in their shelter; 19% stayed in a neighbour's shelter; 7% went to an NGO-provided emergency shelter.

WINTER RESPONSE

<p>Basic needs core relief items, cash</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cash voucher assistance for gas distribution 20 JD/child aged 0-17 years, cash assistance for assorted clothes 20 JD cash assistance for shelter maintenance In-kind assorted non-food item provision: blankets, warmers 	<p>Contingency plan for 100 individuals / 50 families</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accommodation space for displaced families 100 blankets/mattresses on standby Provision of gas heaters/bottles Provision of dry-meals Transportation to emergency centres provided Water supply to emergency shelters 	<p>Health 24-hour support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 ambulances on standby Fixed emergency medical team with ambulance to respond to emergencies on a 24-hour basis. Moroccan Hospital provides 24 hour health services An additional standby team can be activated
<p>Water, sanitation, roads & infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dewatering of flooded areas, potholes filled Culvert and water trench cleanings Digging trenches around refugee households Normal water distribution and sanitation procedures remain in place. 	<p>Mass information 24-hour support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily weather forecasts, inclement weather tips, emergency shelter locations, distribution schedules Safety training with the Jordanian Civil Defense and UNHCR's implementing partners. UNHCR's hotline operates 24 hours a day, seven days a week. 	<p>Security 24-hour support</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Security measures guidance on safe gas connection & usage Security measure guidance on safe use of electricity and energy-saving 2 fire trucks on standby Text message alerts Special coordination focal point list

PARTNER SUPPORT THIS WINTER

UNHCR is working with its partners to ensure a streamlined, efficient response to frigid temperatures and damage caused by inclement weather. All organizations offer 24-hour support from respective staff.

UNHCR appreciates the support of its partners working on winterization in Zaatari camp: ACTED, IDECO, IRD, JEN, JHAS, Moroccan Hospital, NRC, OXFAM, REACH, Save the Children Jordan, UNICEF, WFP. UNHCR also appreciates the generous cooperation and support of the Jordanian SRAD and Civil Defense.

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