



### 104,107 Syrian refugees received food assistance.

#### Modalities of food distribution:

- **Food voucher (\$19):** in 7 camps (Domiz 1&2, Akre, Basirma, Qushtapa, Darashakran and Kawergosk).
- **Food parcel:** in 2 Camps (Gawilan and Arbat).

Due to ongoing military operations, WFP was unable to deliver food parcels to Al-Obaidi camp in Anbar governorate.

### JUNE HIGHLIGHTS:

WFP and its cooperating partners continued in-kind food and voucher distributions in all camps across the Kurdistan Region of Iraq, injecting almost US\$1.8 million into the local economy through its voucher programme.

Plans to transition the two remaining camps in the KR-I – Arbat and Gawilan – to voucher assistance continued in June, with the completion of a Request for Proposals for retailers. The selected retailers will build supermarkets in the two camps in order to provide beneficiaries with a wide range of food items which they can purchase with their WFP voucher.

In total, over 104,000 Syrian refugees received WFP food assistance in June, 90 percent of which were reached with vouchers valued at US\$19 per person. The voucher value was originally reduced in February from US\$28.20 and will remain at US\$19 per person in July due to continued funding constraints.

WFP and its cooperating partner, the REACH Initiative, completed data collection for the Food Security and Vulnerability Assessment of all camp-residing refugees in mid-June. Tent-to-tent surveys were administered in all nine Syrian refugee camps across the KRI. Results from the assessment will help WFP and UNHCR better understand the relationship between food security and vulnerabilities as part of the joint vulnerability targeting process.

For the third month this year, WFP was unable to deliver food commodities to Al Obaidi camp and distributions of individual food parcels did not take place. UNHCR continued its daily distribution of bread and monthly complementary food assistance of IQD 17,500 (US\$15) per person. In addition, as in May, another IQD 25,000 (US\$20) per refugee was provided given that WFP was unable to distribute food commodities.

### WFP individual food parcel:

**16.28 kg per person/month = 2100 kcal/person/day**

#### Food items and quantity of each food parcel:

Bulgur: 3 kg; Pasta: 4 kg; Lentils: 1.8 kg; Rice: 4 kg;  
Vegetable Oil: 0.91 kg; Sugar: 1.5 kg; Salt: 0.25 kg and  
Tomato Paste: 0.8 kg.

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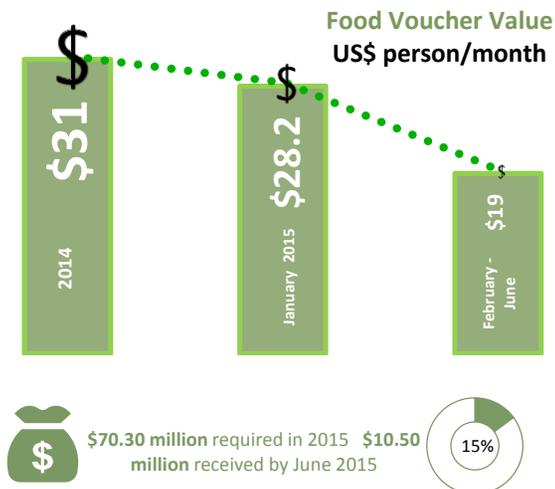


In-kind food distribution in Arbat camp, Sulaymaniyah. WFP/Neiaz Ibrahim

### NEEDS ANALYSIS:

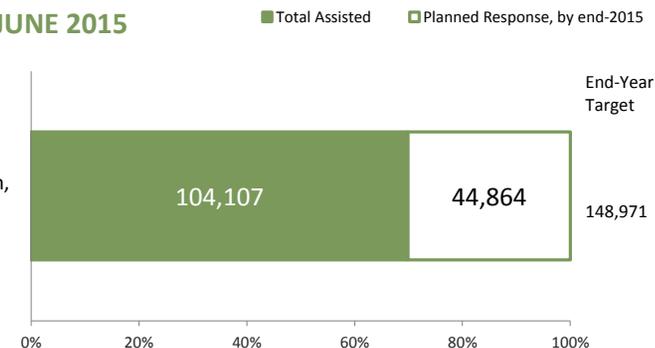
WFP budget requirements to assist Syrian refugees in Iraq in 2015 is US\$56.5 million.

WFP requires US\$11.4 million for the period June to August 2015.



### IRAQ RESPONSE INDICATORS: JUNE 2015

# of individuals who receive food assistance (cash, voucher or in-kind)



Planned response based on full funding of 3RP for an expected direct beneficiary population of 250,000 Syrian refugees and 1.5 million members of impacted local communities by end-2015. There are currently 249,726 Syrian refugees registered by UNHCR.

