

Displacement Updates in North-West Syria

Some **2.8 million IDPs** are living in North-West Syria, bringing the total population close to 4.6 million.

According to H NAP, **10,481 IDPs were displaced in December**. The vast majority of the December IDPs have been displaced two times or more (84 percent). The primary driving force for displacement in December was the deterioration of the economic situation, closely followed by access to basic services and humanitarian assistance in the arrival location.

Out of the people displaced in December, 59 percent were displaced into IDP sites. The other 41 percent of IDPs arrived in non-camp settings such as communities.

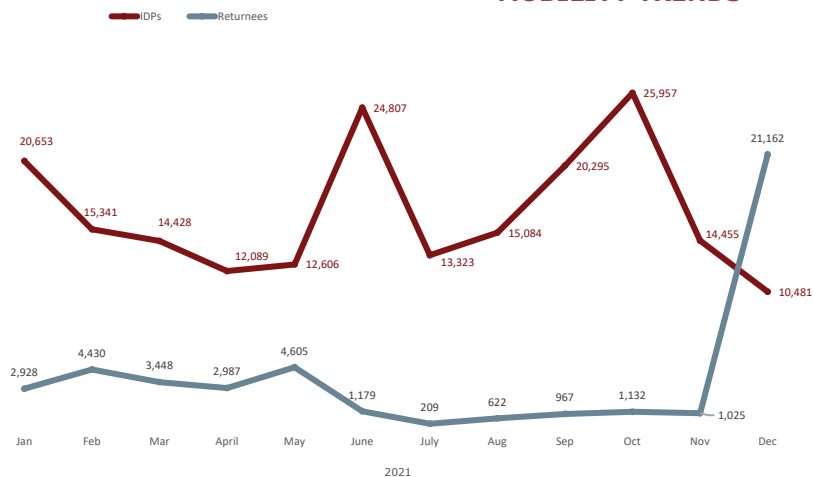
Response

SNFI Cluster members continue to actively respond to the needs of the newly displaced persons, as well as protracted IDPs in North-West Syria.

In December, more than 490,000 individuals received NFI assistance. The majority of the NFI assistance was related to the ongoing winter response, including distribution of fuel, stoves, NFI kits, blankets, as well as cash for winter. Of those reached with NFI assistance in December 2021, approximately 53 percent were female, and 47 percent were male.

Shelter needs over 146,000 people were responded to in December 2021, including the provision of emergency shelter, rehabilitation of infrastructure and shelter rehabilitation and transitional shelters. Of those reached with shelter assistance in December 2021, approximately 50 percent were female, and 50 percent were male.

MOBILITY TRENDS



Graph: Number of IDPs in NWS and returnees from within Syria for the past 12 months, as reported by H NAP in December 2021.

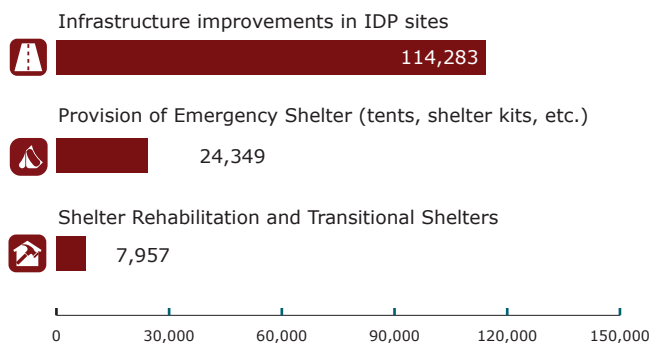
Shelter Response



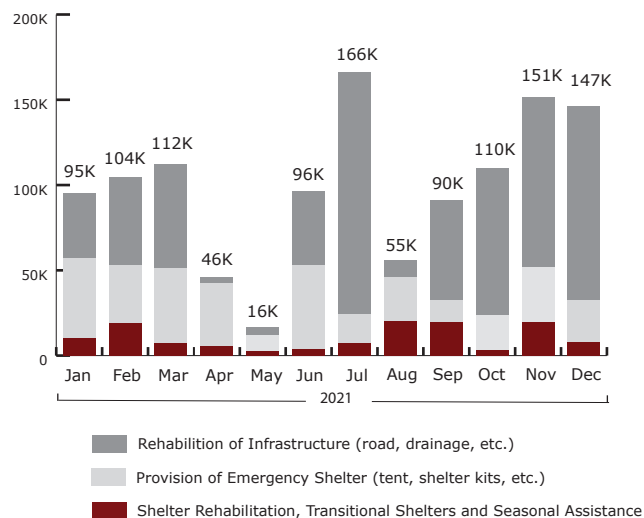
146,589 people reached in December

In total in 2021, 1,096,041 people were reached with shelter assistance. This includes 349,744 individuals reached with emergency shelter, 86,079 with shelter rehabilitation and transitional shelters, and 616,713 individuals with infrastructure improvements in IDP sites.

People reached in December by sub-activity



People reached by activity in 2021



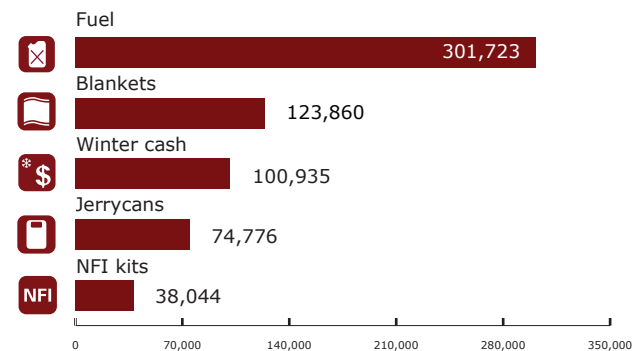
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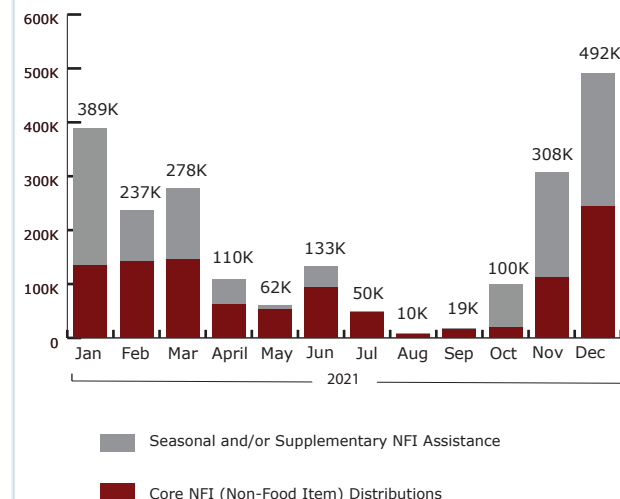
491,764 people reached in December

In total in 2021, 2,201,223 people were reached with NFI assistance. This includes 1,903,402 individuals reached with core NFI distributions, and 1,107,821 individuals reached with supplementary and seasonal NFI assistance.

People reached in December by NFI item



People reached by activity in 2021



Emergency Response Highlights as of December

In December, many IDP sites in North-West Syria were affected by flood and wind incidents, causing tents to be damaged and destroyed. The emergency response was activated quickly even though only a few organizations have available stock. Due to the limited stock of tents, the response was mainly concentrated to target destroyed tents. The cluster is reaching out to donors and stakeholders, focusing mainly on **awareness raising of low emergency stocks levels**.

The flood affected sites were also targeted with cash and NFI response, especially plastic sheets were distributed to respond to the first urgent needs. Reported needs are likely linked to the general situation in these IDP sites, including the age of the shelters and the lack of services.

In response to the flood and wind incidents in December, **SNFI Cluster members distributed around 1,500 tents and 750 NFI kits, reaching approximately 250 registered sites.**

SCHF Second Standard Allocation 2021

The SNFI Cluster collaborated with the OCHA/SCHF team to set the priorities for the second standard allocation that was launched in November. The SNFI Cluster contributed to drafting the allocation paper, emphasizing integration with the ERL cluster to enhance the resilience inside and outside of IDP sites.

SNFI Cluster priorities:

- Better dignified shelters with associated infrastructure;
- Replacement of old torn tents with dignified shelters in planned camps and piloting of innovative shelter approaches;
- Cash for winter support.

Submitted Proposals: 21 Submissions (SNFI: 7, Inter-cluster: 14)

Total appeal: \$ 22,889,425 (SNFI: \$ 8,643,076, Inter-cluster: \$ 14,246,349)

SNFI Cluster envelope: \$ 8.6M

The final figures will be shared in January after the proposals/projects are finalized.



Winter response distribution. Photo: Global Communities



Improvement of living conditions in IDP sites. Photo: Watan.

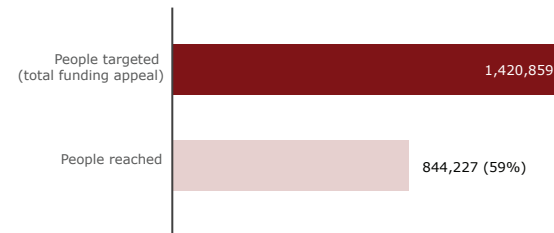
Winter Response 2021/2022

35 partners reported and shared winter plans with the SNFI Cluster.

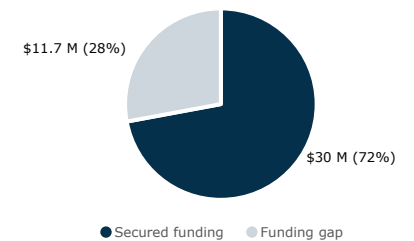
The total funding appeal for this season's winter response is \$ 41.7 million. Out of this, only 72% (\$ 30 million) is secured funding, leaving a gap of \$ 11.7 million.

As a consequence, **around 470,000 individuals** out of the total 1.66 million individuals reached people with winter support last year **will not be supported during this winter due to the limited available resources and funding.**

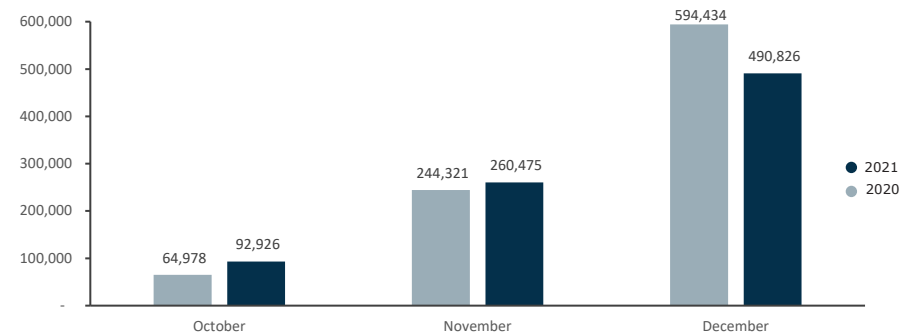
People targeted vs people reached



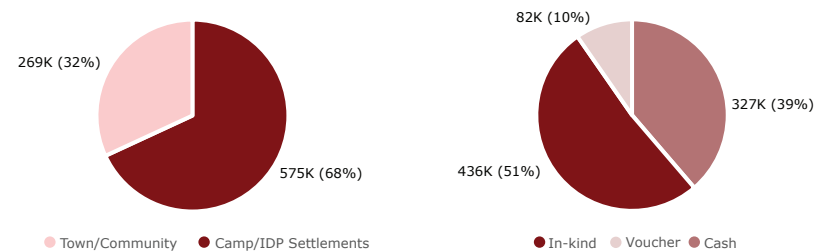
Secured funding vs funding gap



People reached with winter response by month, 2020 vs 2021



People reached by modality and location type



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