

Meeting Notes: Malatya Shelter Sector Meeting - 3rd April 2023

@Movenpic Malatya Hotel & Microsoft Teams

Participants: UNFPA, UNHCR, IOM, OCHA, IMECE, Solidarity platform, Malatya Şam, TSS, Shelter Sector

Action Point

1. Partners to share field observation with Shelter cluster, when possible with photos, and identified shelter related needs.
2. Shelter Sector focal point to keep the shelter need tracker updated
3. Partners to continue to seek options for summer assistance.
4. Shelter Sector to share so far compiled information of government plans supporting housing repair/rebuilding homes in terms of land and housing rights.
5. Shelter Sector to check with AFAD in Malatya if containers will be delivered to rural neighborhoods, to individual land or not.
6. Malatya Şam to share location of their programme (25 villages in Dogansehir and 5 in Akcadag.)
7. All partners: once committed or completed, update shelter program locations and quantities with Shelter Sector

Update from Shelter Sector

- **Malatya Hub Page**
<https://sheltercluster.org/turkiye-earthquake-2023/pages/malatya-hub>
- **Activity Info:** Next deadline: **21st April**
- **Shelter Needs Tracker** (Spreadsheet)
<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1xnDAS7hUNokJyicXEBghFaqcs-2ib7Rk/edit?usp=sharing&oid=116145571911674719893&rtpof=true&sd=true>
- **Malatya Site Locations and Shelter Needs Tracker** (Google Map)
<https://www.google.com/maps/d/u/2/edit?mid=1Hsk3bGDIRgaE8LXQlx1X8cz47YaH7r0&usp=sharing>

Container city Update:

- In Malatya, total 56 container cities are planned, of these, 14 are completed (25%).
- Total 21,296 containers will be established, with 8,963 already established (42%)
- In Kahramanmaraş and Adiyaman, government is starting to send containers to individual land in rural neighbourhoods (villages). This is expected to need extraordinary logistical effort, while if success, will change the situation dramatically.

As of 5th April

	No. of Container city planned	No. of Container city Completed	Total # of containers to be built	Total # of containers completed
Yesilyurt	27	5	13,514	4,612
Battalgazi	8	2	5,024	2,816
Dogansehir	11	4	1,793	1,034
Akcadag	9	3	765	333
Darende	1	-	200	168
Total	56	14	21,296	8,963

=25%

=42%

Shelter Priority for Malatya

In Malatya, there are limited number of shelter sector partners are working, while needs are in every districts. Below priority geographical area are agreed for Shelter assistance.

- Priority #1: **Remote districts:** Doğanşehir, Akçadağ (South)
- Priority #2: **Urban districts:** Yesilyurt, Battalgazi
- Priority #3: **Rural neighbourhood** in: Yazihan, Hekimhan, Akçadağ (north), Darende, Arapgir, Arguvan

Further, rural neighbourhoods in south-west part of Doganşehir are not well attentioned. Inter-agency assessment mission would be desired. According to IMECE, situation in those locations (such as,) are quite worse, with most of dwellings are heavily damaged, and people are staying in tents (not camps, but in many case they are small number of cluster of tents) in front of damaged houses with limited resources.

Partner Update

UNHCR

- UNHCR visited 8 formal settlements by today, verifying needs on the ground.
- AFAD will bring 1,500 pallets. (for information)
- Will start implementation with partner organization (Asam) from next week. Detail of project to be updated.

Malatya Şam

- Working in Doganşehir and Akcadag districts, including 25 neighborhoods (villages) in Doganşehir, and 5 villages in Akcadag. Location to be shared with shelter sector to avoid assessment overlapping.
- 35 families in Melek Baba needs tents, this will be covered by coming project.

IOM

- Will distribute 2,500 pallets end of this week, to cover standing needs.
- 2 WHs in doganşehir are found with full of food items and Hygiene kits. Concerning that overlapping requests are received from authorities.

IMECE

- Visited Arapgir and Arguvan last week, identified significant population increase in these district. Needs could be much larger than initially anticipated.
- Darende: further north of Darende is a concern, not observed.
- Regarding to the raised concern by Serdar (IOM), those WH is covering a huge geographical area, it may only because they could not distribute at pace. There may be in serious shortage of capacity in WHs in Dogansehir, both man power and equipment (there are only hand-operated folklifts), They might not be able to handle the quantity stored.

UNFPA

- Visited 3 locations in Dogansehir – Erkenek, Kurucaova, Oren. Report to be shared with OCHA.

Solidarity Platform

- Currently working in south Akcadag.
- To start bringing containers, approx 100 for Malatya, location and numbers to be update.

TWiG Recommendations

- Regular TWiG – Friday 16:00, in Gaziantep IFRC office and online
- Guidelines for Shading kit will be uploaded to website shortly.
- Partners are encouraged to ask questions in your field visit, about preference of shading option. Feedback to Shelter Sector is appreciated.

AOB

- Next meeting will be on **17 April, 17:00, at Movenpic Hotel Malatya** and online