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SHELTER CLUSTER

Coordinating Humanitarian Shelter and Settlements

NATIONAL SHELTER CLUSTER MEETING

16 October 2024

AGENDA

- Introductions
- General Update (Flash Appeal)
- Gaza Updates
- WB Updates
- IM Update
- Energy Assessment
- Technical Updates
- AOB

INTRODUCTIONS

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NEXT MEETINGS

National Shelter Cluster Meeting (Online)

Wednesday 30th October, 10:30 – 12:00

West Bank Shelter Cluster Meeting (Online)

Wednesday 23rd October, 10:00 – 11:30

Gaza Shelter Cluster meeting (In person)

Sunday 20th October, 10:30 – 12:00, JHC JHOC KY

FLASH APPEAL

- Deadline today

GAZA UPDATES

- Since the 6th of Oct. a broad military operation has been launched in the North with intensified activities across the entire area, forcing thousands of people to relocate, in the Gaza city and the North of Gaza, and few families crossed the check point to the Middle area.
- Four partners in the North have some items remaining, but not much. CRS – Blankets, Kitchen Sets, Tents and Tarps. IRW – clothes. UNRWA – tarps and tents all gone. AIOCP – site in Sheikh Radwan.
- In the South, Shelter partners were tracking the IDPs (from North) who come through the reception points. BLDA for the Middle area, and CRS/Bayader for Khanyounis and Rafah areas.

GAZA UPDATES

- A referral Protocol Between Protection AORs and the Shelter cluster is under preparation and will be shared with partners.
- Ongoing technical review of HF projects submitted under the 1st standard Allocation, \$4.5 M will be allocated to 5 projects.
- Shelter Cluster has requested partners to share any photos they have of people accessing energy - heating, lighting, cooking, charging. This is really helpful for our Energy specialist, Frank, to understand the energy context in Gaza.

WB UPDATES

1. **Introducing Sneha**, who will be supporting the cluster alongside Leandro for the next few months. At next week's West Bank cluster meeting, we will discuss the best ways for Sneha and Leandro to provide technical support to cluster members.
2. **Funding Gap for Camp Shelter Damage Repair**: The cluster and members are facing challenges in securing the necessary resources to cover the **USD 5 million** needed for camp damage repairs. Currently, only **USD 1 million** has been committed.
3. **Initial assessments** in Tulkarm have concluded that **2,000** HUs have been damaged, with **198** completely destroyed. The final list will be available within a week. In Jenin, the assessment is still ongoing, with current figures indicating **2,300** HUs damaged inside the camp and 500 HUs outside the camp, and **100** completely destroyed.
4. **There are no plans for the reconstruction** of the totally destroyed houses in both governorates, affecting nearly **300** households. The rental support is only for a duration of six months, and people will remain displaced until reconstruction is completed.

WB UPDATES

- 5. Funding Secured for Settler Violence Damage:** Partners have secured funding through the first standard allocation to address shelter damage caused by settler violence.
- 6. Finalizing Cash Shelter Response Guidelines:** The team is nearing completion of the cash shelter response guidelines. A final version will soon be circulated for partners' last input.
- 7. Improving Reporting and Response in Areas A and B:** Ongoing discussions at the ICCG aim to enhance the reporting and response system for shelter destruction and damage in Areas A and B.
- 8. PRCS:** From August 28 to the end of September, reached approximately 45,000 affected people with relief items, including blankets, mattresses, dignity kits, cleaning materials, and pillows.



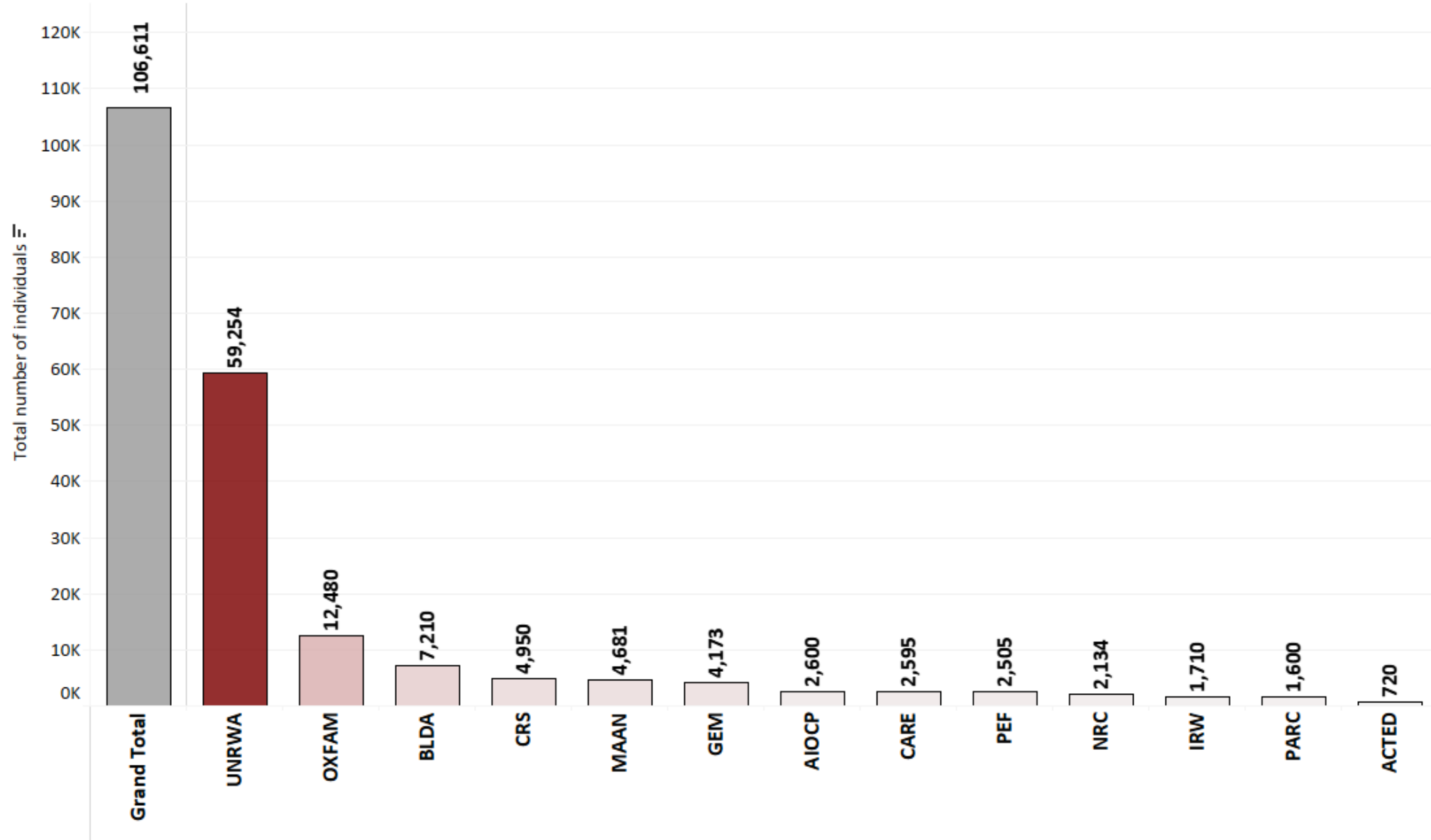
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IM UPDATE

IM Updates- 5Ws Analysis (Sep-Oct)2024

Organization Name and Number of Individuals Assisted



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Governorates and Number of Individuals Assisted

Activity (group) 1	North Gaza	Gaza	Middle Area	Khan Yunis	Grand Total
Provision of Bedding set	12,918	2,270	5,984	6,187	27,359
Provision of Clothes	6,141	895			7,036
Provision of Kitchen Set	2,208				2,208
Provision of Sealing Off materials	13,745	22,419	14,726	7,145	58,035
Provision of Searchlight				2,505	2,505
Provision of Tents(do not meets SC standards)			873	3,300	4,173
Provision of Tents(meets SC standards)	562	2,600	2,134		5,296
Grand Total	35,574	28,184	23,717	19,136	106,611

IM Updates- Stock Analysis 2024

Stock availability in which Governorates

	North Gaza	Gaza	Middle Area	Khan Yunis	Grand Total
Blankets	383	2,960	50		3,393
Cloths		5,643	1,215		6,858
Kitchen kit		370			370
Mats	16	2			18
Mattresses	123	15			138
Sealing Off materials	2,754	2,419		397	5,570
Tents		1,560	335	285	2,180

IM Updates- Pipeline Analysis 2024

<u>Items in Pipeline and Proposed Border of Entry</u>							
Items (group)	Unit (group)	Egypt	Israel	Jordan	TBC	via. Cyprus	Grand Total
Blankets	Pieces	15,290		633,418	900,000		1,548,708
Kitchen kit	Kit & Set	2,114		4,000	100,000		106,114
Mats	Pieces	41,751		7,150			48,901
Mattresses	Pieces	66,931		51,450	900,000		1,018,381
Sealing Off materials	Pieces	14,400		46,680	235,000		296,080
Tents	Pieces	44,767	1,000	9,580	40,100	5,400	100,847

UNOSAT Gaza Comprehensive Damage Assessment Dashboard

This dashboard presents a preliminary satellite-based assessment of damage to structures in the Gaza Strip, comparing imagery from **6 September 2024** with multiple dates from 2023 and 2024.

TOTAL AFFECTED STRUCTURES

 **163,778**

Possible, moderate, severe damage or destroyed

[6 September 2024]

Destroyed

 **52,564**

Individual buildings

Severely damaged

 **18,913**

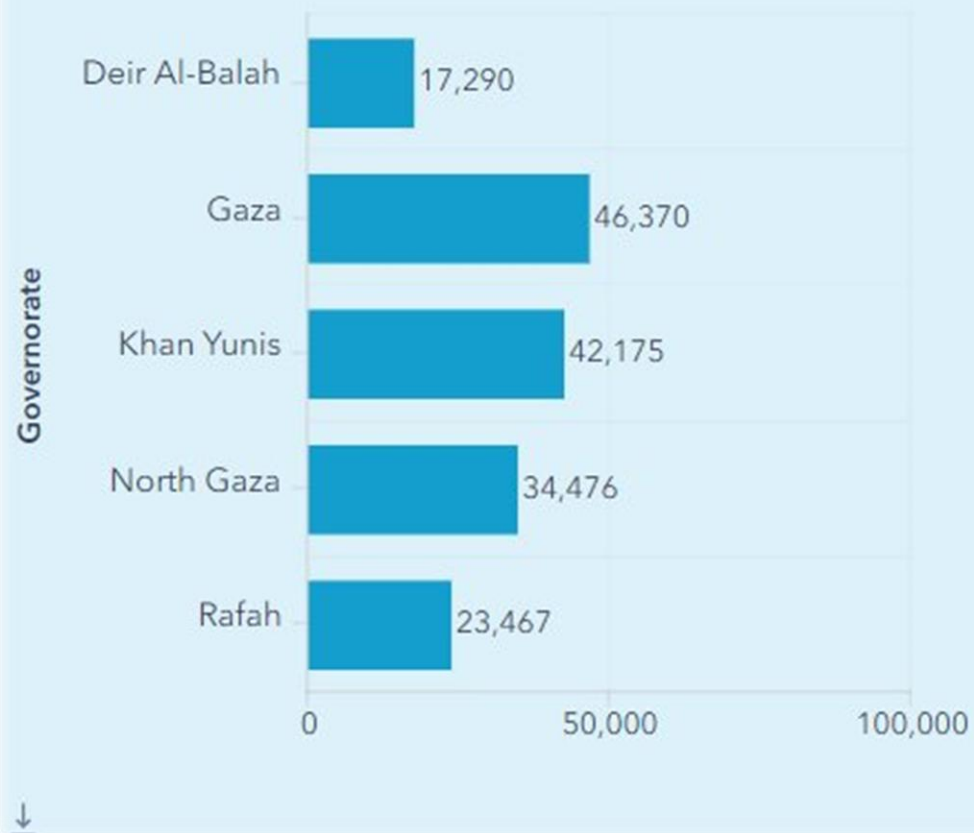
Individual buildings

Moderately damaged

 **56,710**

Individual buildings

Damage count by Governorate [6 September 2024]





New Shelter Cluster – Palestine Mailing List

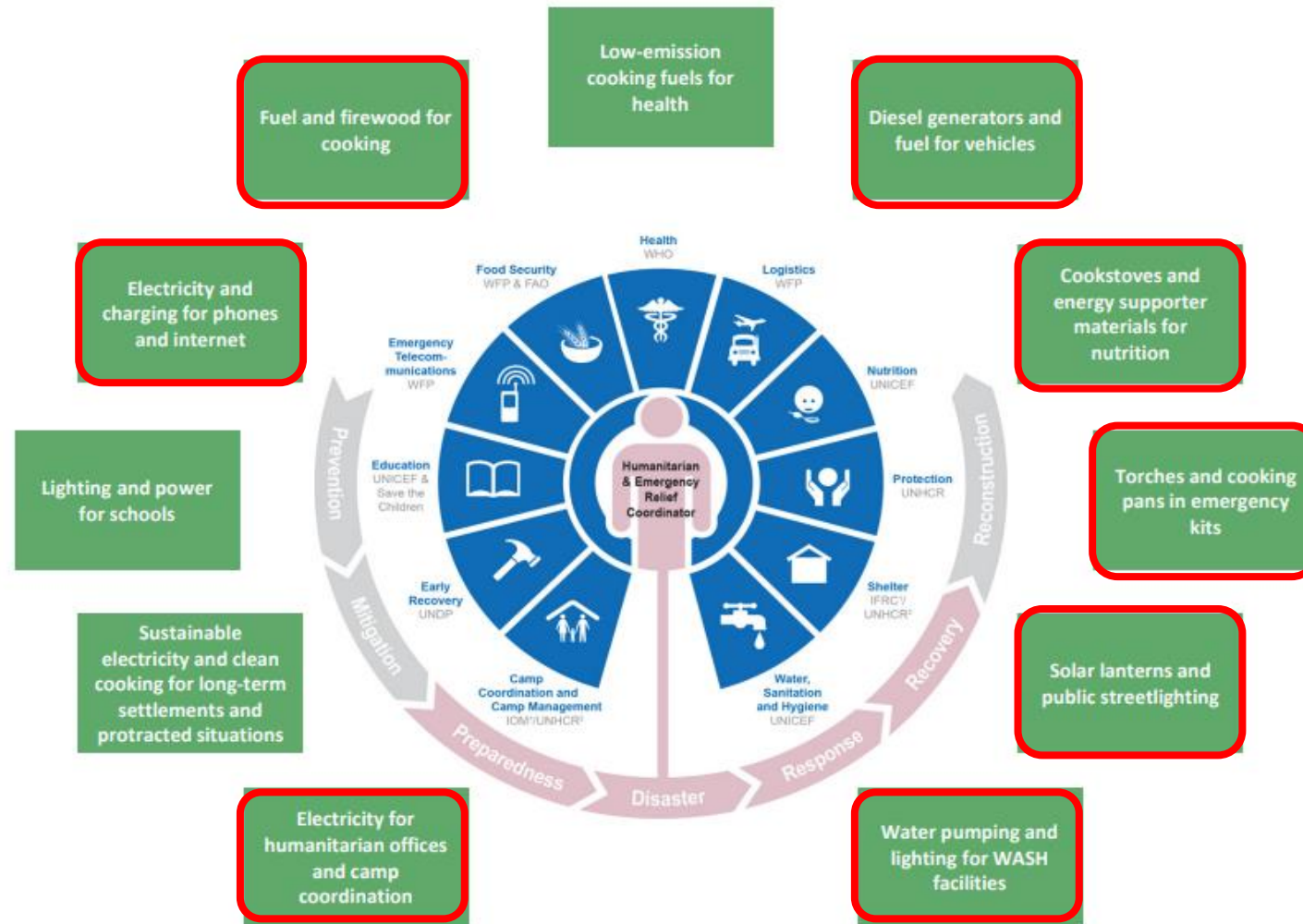


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Energy Assessment

Energy in humanitarian operations



Categories of Energy Users

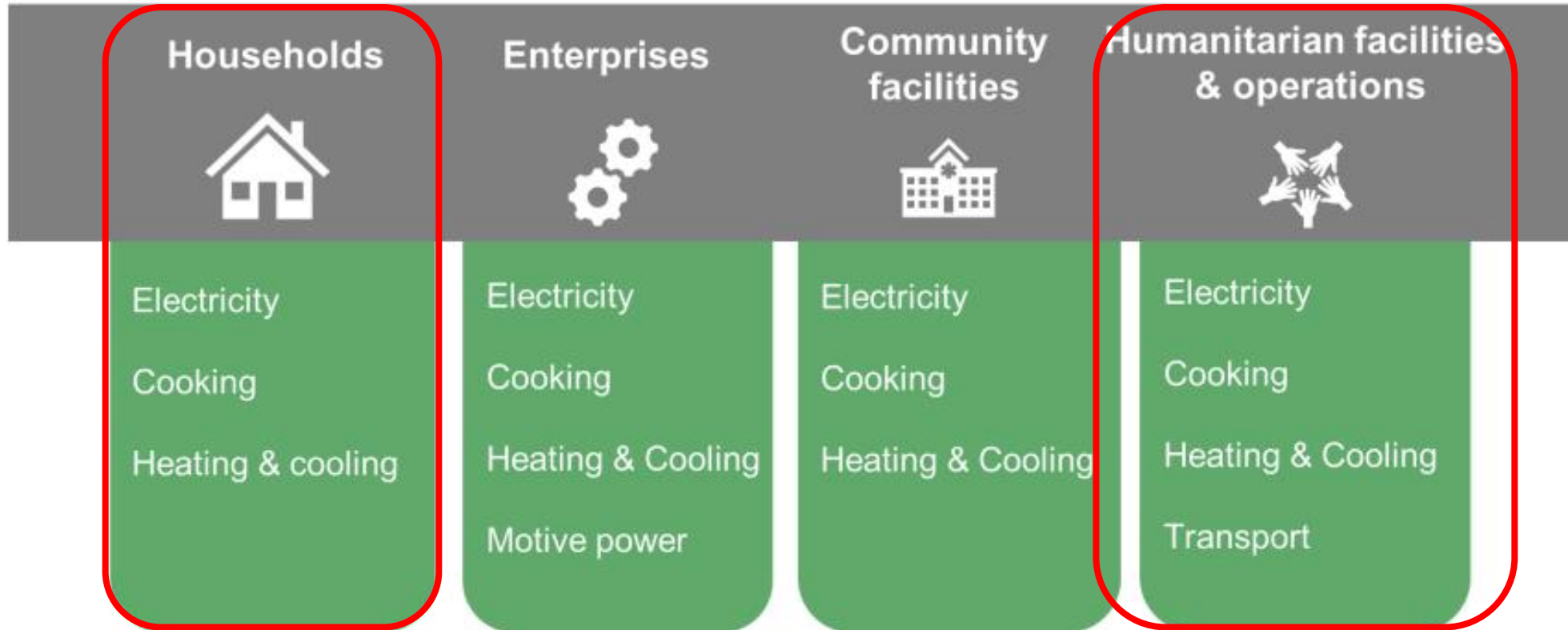


Figure 1. The core categories of energy users and their energy needs in settings of displacement: (from left to right) energy for households, enterprises, community facilities, and humanitarian facilities and operations.

Assessment Step

Expected insights & outputs

1. Key-Informant Interviews

Objective Key-Informant interviews: Better understanding EiE & Energy in households in humanitarian contexts. What is needed most by SC partners for their operation and for the affected population according to their perspective? **Sample Size:** 20-30 Interviews á 45 mins.

2. KoBo Questionnaire to Humanitarian Partners & Affected Population

Objective KoBo Humanitarian Partners: Describe the need for Energy in the Humanitarian response. Focus on household energy. **Sample Size:** 70 Interviews for 90% Confidence Interval 10 % margin for 130 organizations

Objective KoBo Affected population: Qualitative & quantitative description of the role of energy in households. What is most urgently needed? **Sample Size:** 100 samples, 90% confidence interval with a 10% error margin for a population of 1,3 million.

3. Focus Group Discussions



Objective: Validation of findings, solutions and reflection on way forward.
Sample size: Up to 5 focus group discussions

I kindly ask for your collaboration


Questionnaire for humanitarian partners

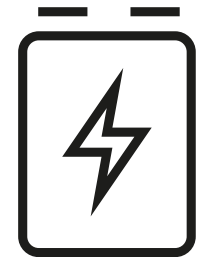
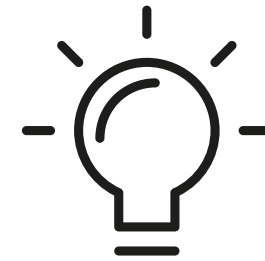
- Online questionnaire that takes about 20-30 minutes.
Anonymous participation.
- Early **next week** we will share the link.
- **Please fill it out** or send it to the technical people that are interested in energy.

Your experience from Gaza

- Pictures, Videos, Stories..
- TikToks, Instagramm, Facebook
- **ANY content** that shows the use of fuels, electricity, solar power, heating, cooking or lighting...
- PLEASE share
-> frank.helbig@nrc.no or WA  

Why should I participate & what's in it for me?

- ALL of the **results and the findings** are shared with you and can be used. They will inform the ShelterClusters response inshallah.
- I offer a final presentation plus two **60 minute session for Q&A** with respects to energy in humanitarian operations early December.
- Further technical support or linking you to energy experts until end of the year.
- The **FIRST 5 respondents** will receive Swiss handmade chocolate. 





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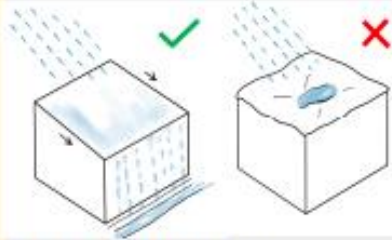
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Technical updates

Protect your shelters from rain and flooding

Use bags filled with sand to stop water entering into the shelter.

Water always finds a way out.
Try to direct it instead of blocking it.



Pull roof sheeting tight.
Provide a slope to the roof. Avoid sagging fabric. If it is loose it can tear and collect water.



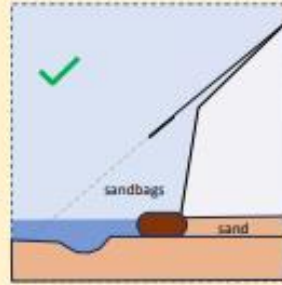
If the plastic sheet does not have eyelets, insert a stone to prevent the knot from slipping.



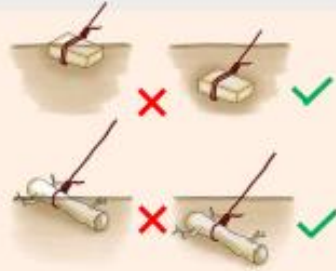
Line up sandbags along the shelter walls to protect the shelter from water influx



Do not leave distance between the sandbags and the shelter walls



You can fill the inside of your shelter with soil or sand to raise its level above that of the water.



Anchor the tent or tarpaulin firmly to the ground.
Use materials within your reach to make it more resistant to the force of the wind.

احم ملاوك من الأمطار والفيضانات

استخدم أكياسنا مملوءة بالرمل لمنع دخول الماء إلى المأوى.
الماء دائماً يجد طريقه للخروج.
حاول توجيهه بدلاً من منعه.



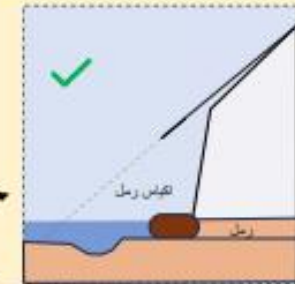
اسحب تغطيات السقف بإحكام.
وفر الحدازا / ميلان للسقف.
تجنب رفرفة السقف. إذا رفرف السقف مع الرياح، فقد يؤدي إلى تجمع الماء على السقف.



قم بترتيب أكياس الرمل على طول أطراف المأوى لحماية المأوى من تنفق الماء.



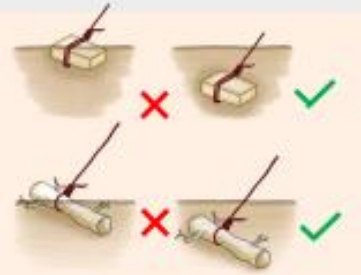
لا تترك مسافة بين أكياس الرمل وجدران المأوى.



يمكنك رفع مستوى المأوى من الداخل بإضافة الرمل أو التربة لرفع مستواه فوق مستوى الماء.

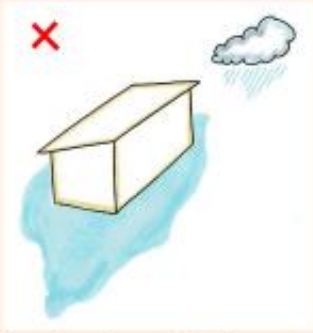


إذا لم تكن هناك فتحات مخصصة لربط قطع البلاستيك، أدخل حجراً واربط عليها لمنع العقدة من الانزلاق.



ثبت الخيمة أو المشمع بإحكام على الأرض.
استخدم المواد المتاحة لديك لجعلها أكثر مقاومة لقوة الرياح.

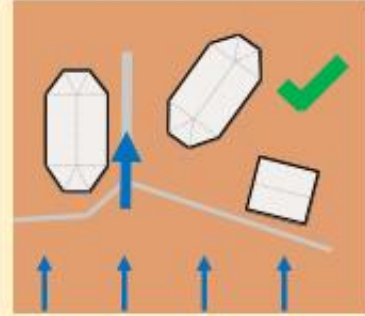
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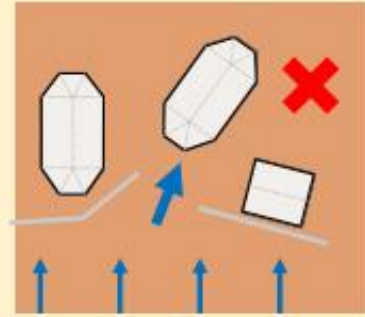
Identify and avoid flood-prone areas. Dig drains around your shelter to reduce likelihood of flooding



Keep drainage clean to avoid blockages and overflow



Drainage → Water flow



Drainage must have continuity and a safe outlet without transferring the risk of flooding to other people.



Evaluate how your drainage and barriers affects surrounding shelters.

Plan together with your neighbours the best way to evacuate water

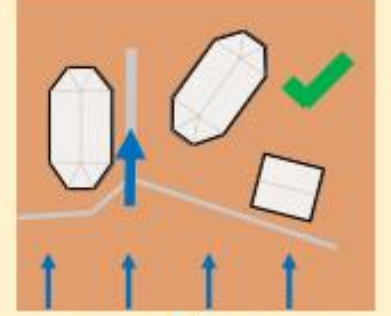
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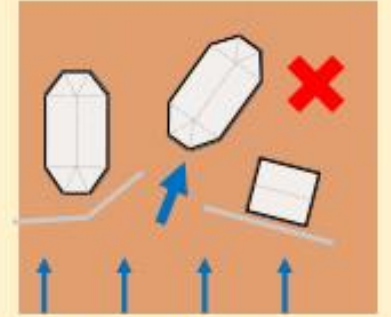
حدد وتجنب المناطق المعرضة للفيضانات. احفر مجرى تصريف للماء حول ملجأك لتقليل احتمال الفيضانات.



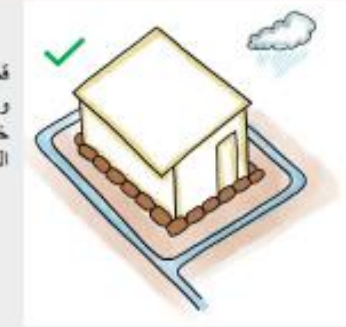
حافظ على مسار تصريف المياه نظيفاً لتجنب الانسدادات وفيضانات المياه.



التصريف → اتجاه تنفق المياه

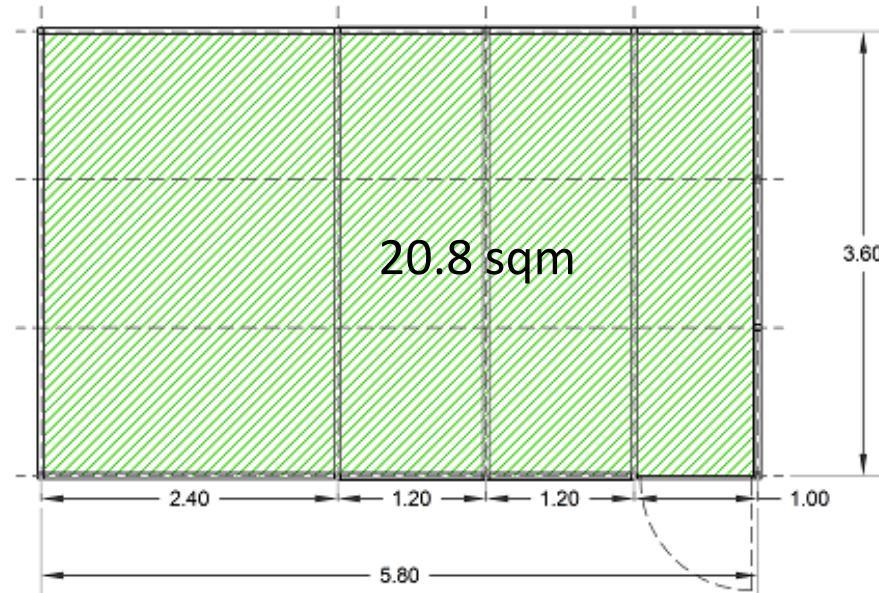
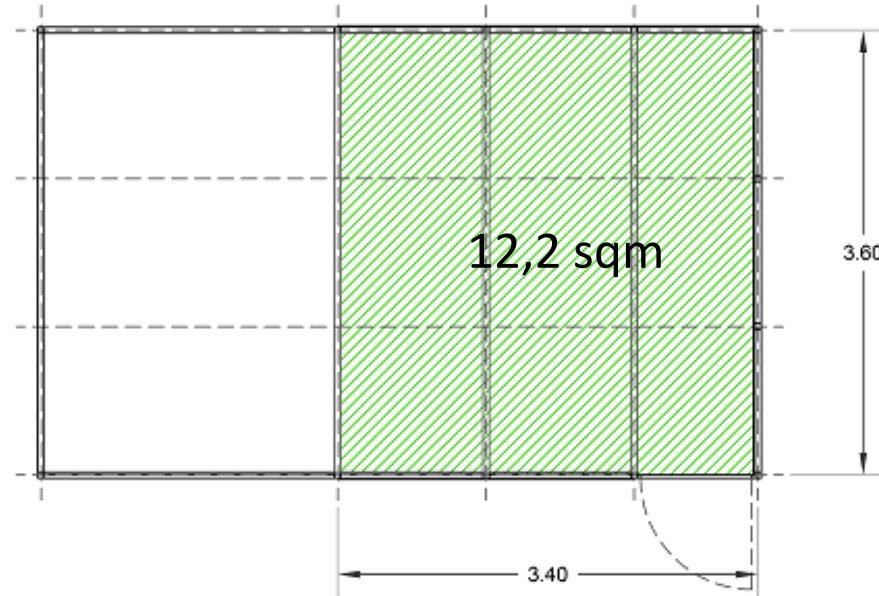
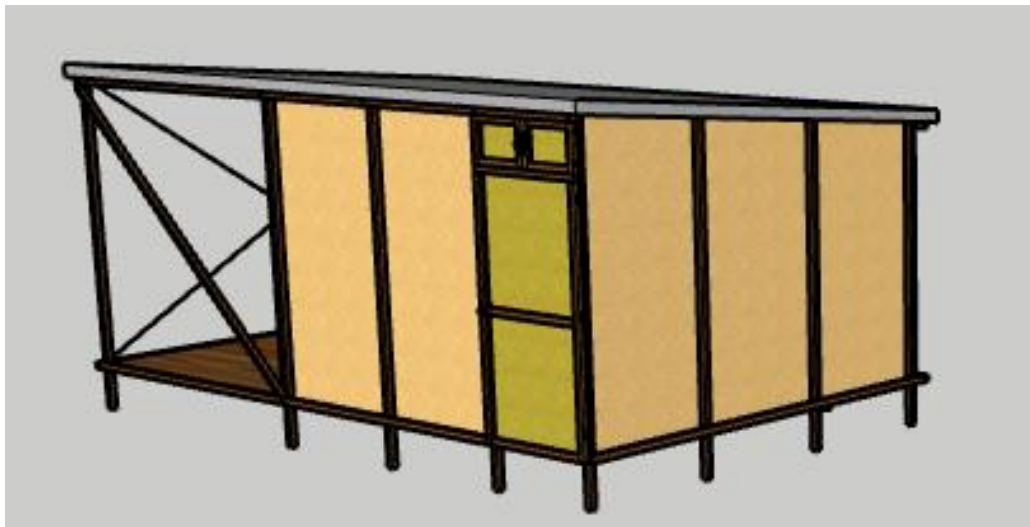
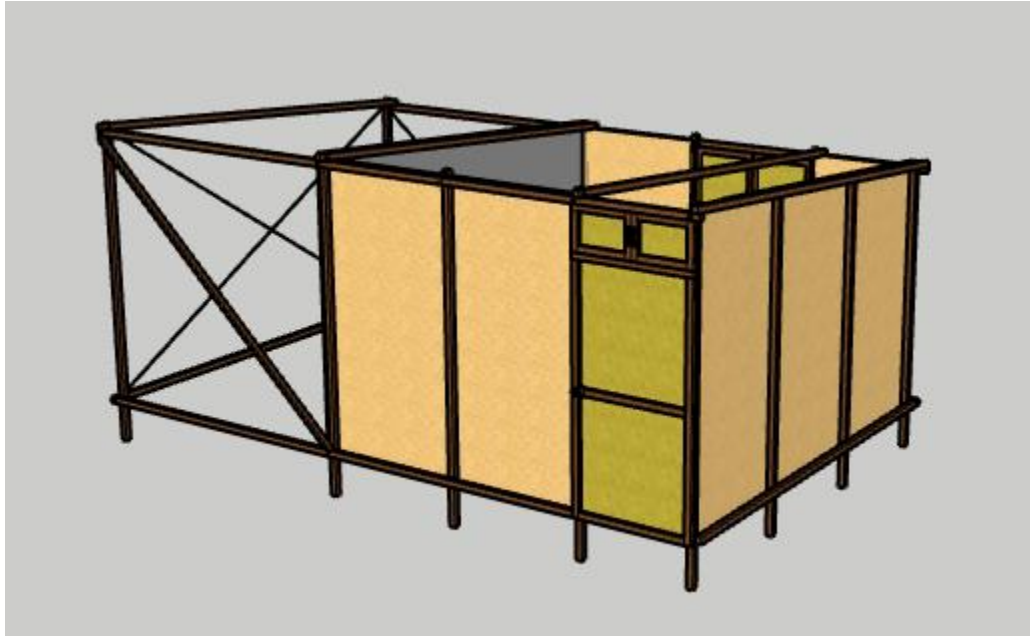


يجب أن يكون لتصريف المياه استمرارية ومخرج آمن دون نقل خطر الفيضانات إلى الآخرين



قم بتقييم كيفية تأثير مجرى تصريف المياه والجواز على المأوى المحيطة بك. خطط مع جيرانك لأفضل طريقة لتصريف المياه.

Emergency Shelter Kit



- Key components:
- Timber
 - Tarpaulin
 - OSB
 - Ropes & Nails
 - ...
 - ...

TSA Technical Working Group

Module 1

Emergency Shelter Assistance

- Context
- Emergency HLP
- Tents & Makeshift shelters
 - Description of the assistance
 - Project participants
 - Distribution guidance
 - Technical quality
 - Kits



This module has been developed by the Transitional Shelter Assistance Technical Working Group under the chairing of CRS and NRC with the collaboration of XOOO and the Shelter Cluster Palestine

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