

Shelter Cluster Meeting Gaza Escalation

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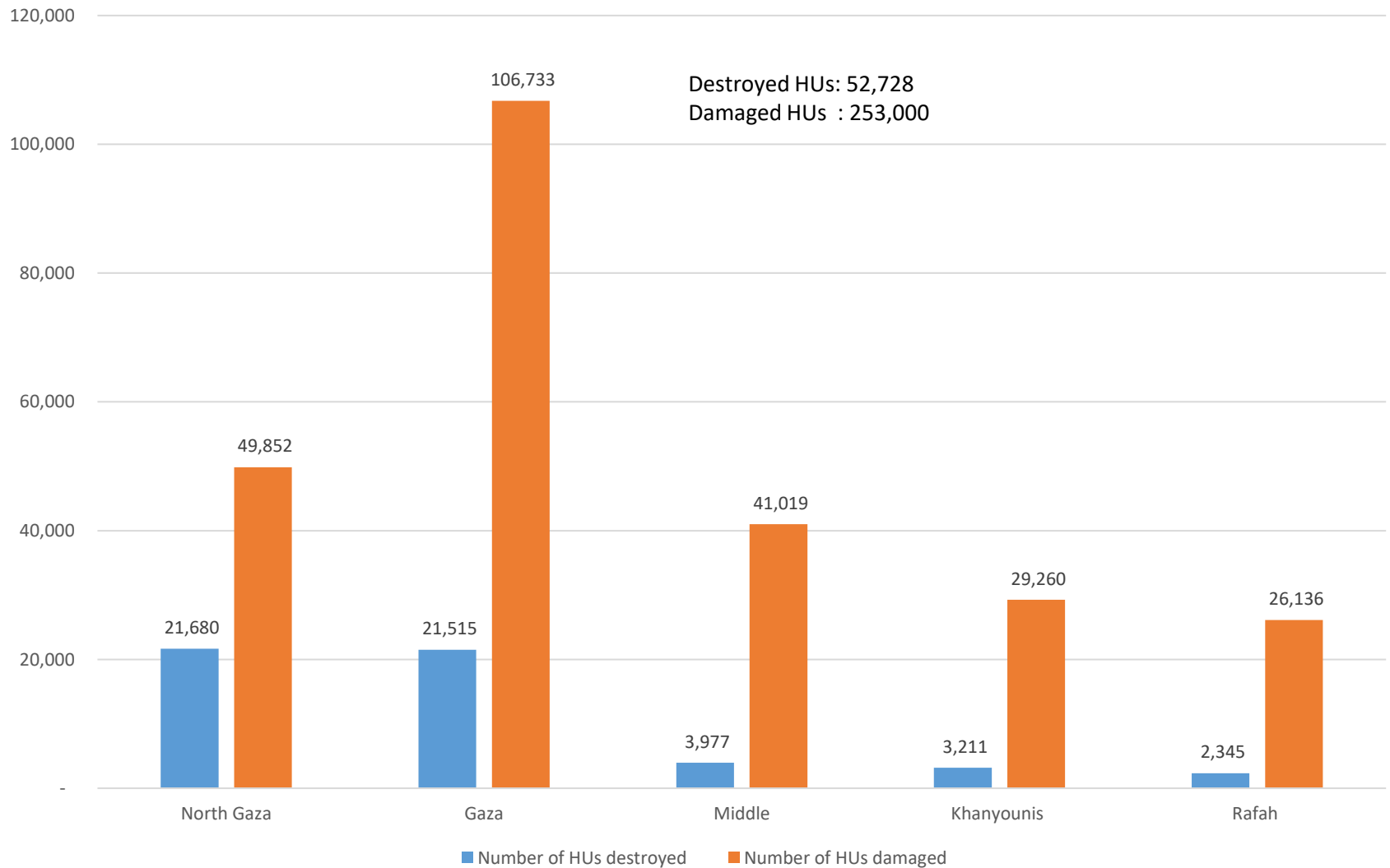
Meeting Agenda

- 4Ws update and dashboard.
- Housing damage and destruction overview
- Transitional Shelter Solutions TWG update
- UN-Habitat presentation, Prefab collective centers site planning
- West Bank update.
- Partners update
- AoB

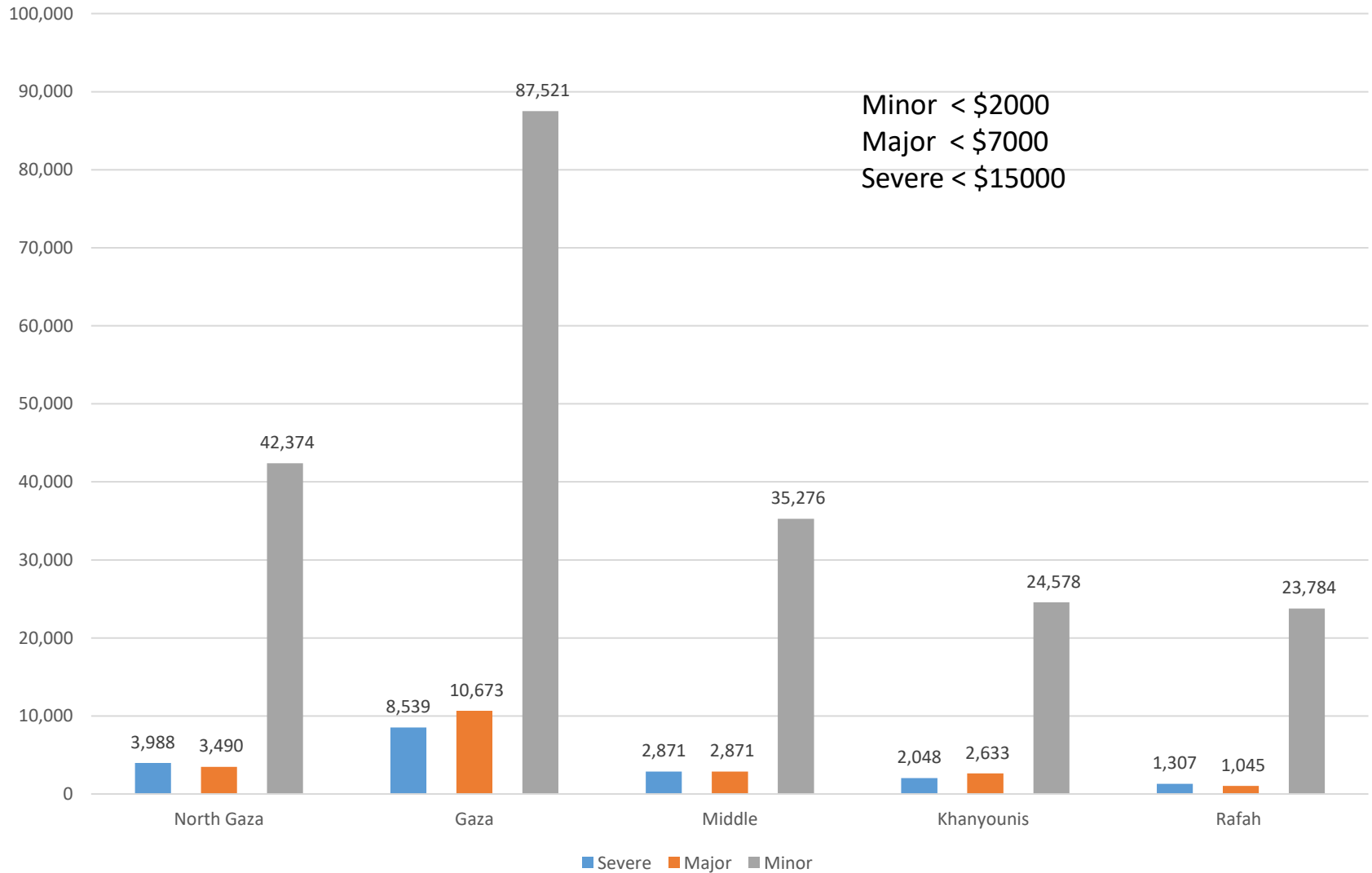
4Ws update and dashboard

- <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/11C2EqyhvRFmYbvotMYssKgcrHdElK3mICnpVH-GA46Y/edit#gid=738947833>
- 4Ws is the main source for weekly flash update, Dashboard and tracking the response gaps

Damage and Destruction Figures Estimate Update Dec 7th



Scale of Damage



Housing stock damage

Governorate	Number of HUs destroyed	Number of HUs damaged	Total	Housing Stock	% of damage
North Gaza	21,680	49,852	71,532	81,255	88%
Gaza	21,515	106,733	128,248	151,240	85%
Middle	3,977	41,019	44,996	67,740	66%
Khanyounis	3,211	29,260	32,471	92,916	35%
Rafah	2,345	26,136	28,481	45,885	62%
Total	52,728	253,000	305,728	439,036	70%

Housing stock data source: MoPWH (Ministry of Public Works and Housing)

Transitional Shelter Solutions TWG update

- The first meeting was conducted on Wednesday, Dec 6th to discuss the group ToR and guidelines outline.
- Eight members + cluster
- It is expected to have the initial guidelines version early next year.
- Initially seven proposed modules as outlined in the next slide

Proposed Modules:

- Module 1: Damage Repair
 1. minor damage
 2. major damage
 3. sever damage
- Module 2: Rental subsidy
- Module 3: Finishing off un-finished housing units.
- Module 4: Refurbishment and upgrade of commercial facilities
- Module 5: Prefabricated insulated units
 - Site planning, UN-Habitat
 - Technical specifications + Drawings
- Module 6: self-built shelters
- Module 7: tents

West Bank update

Since October 7th, Israeli settler violence has led to the forcible transfer of an additional 1,157 Palestinians, including 582 children in the West Bank, who were obliged to flee their communities due to ongoing attacks. Displaced households (HH) have relocated to safer places but are lacking access to essential items, including dignified shelters.

Action Against Hunger (AAH) will target seven communities with:

- Residential tents (in kind)
- Animal tents (cash)
- Mobile latrine (in kind)
- PE tanks (in kind)

WeWorld: in the assessment phase in two communities.

ACTED: Emergency Multi-Purpose Cash (1 to 3 installments of 1640 NIS)

UN-Habitat presentation, Prefab collective centers site planning

- UN-Habitats has started the site planning for the prefab collective centers in coloration with the MoPWH.
- The process started with site selection and land suitability assessment based on specific criteria, including distance to urban areas, connectivity, distance to the border, land ownership, land use, topography, and flooding risks.
- The current limitation is the inability to conduct field assessments.
- Tentatively, 28 sites were identified and selected.
- One site initial analysis with an area of 117 dunums shows the capacity to host around 6000 IDPs.
- The site planning includes other facilities, commercial, recreational, and other public spaces.
- It is MoSD's responsibility to identify the beneficiaries of the prefab units in collective centers.

Partners update

- PRCS presented the total number of shipments and the distribution per organization and type of items.

No access to the north now to distribute NFIs.

Q to PRCS: Do you have the ability to deliver it to the organization warehouses, or does each organization get it at Rafah Cross Border? Each organization is responsible for taking the materials from PRCS warehouses.

- Charcoal and firwood are non-restricted items.
- PHC: published a position paper about the current escalation in Gaza, and they are looking to provide cash assistance for the IDPs

- Please fill in any gaps and keep updating your intended and completed activities in the online **4Ws**:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/11C2EqyhvRFmYbvotMYssKgcrHdElK3mICnpVH-GA46Y/edit#gid=1976900213>

Use the **Prioritization Sheet** to inform us when your items will be arriving in Egypt so we can advocate for their smooth entry

You are always welcome to contact the Cluster team to discuss your planned response

- Flash Appeal, Situation Report, NFI kit list and other documents can be found on the Cluster Website: <https://sheltercluster.org/response/palestine>

THANK YOU