



Figure 1 - Structural repair in Donetsk NGCA @Andrea Parisi

TECHNICAL NOTES - In May, the Cluster has organised a one-day workshop, to agree among shelter partners on three typical situations faced by shelter agencies in their daily activities: houses that have already been repaired but require further shelter assistance; acceptable percentages of failure in shelter assistance; assistance to households who do not own the house in which they live. The first two situations are now regulated by two Technical Notes that will soon be available on the Shelter Cluster website. The third topic has been referred to the HLP (House, Land and Property) technical working group who's expected to issue soon a guidance note.

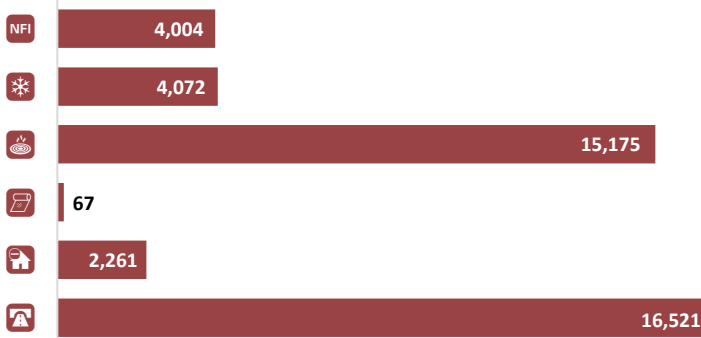
INTER-AGENCY RAPID ASSESSMENT - In June the Shelter Cluster and its field focal points attended a training on how to conduct rapid assessments in case of emergencies. The training, organised by OCHA, had the purpose of testing the IARA procedures and the multi-sectoral questionnaire developed with the contributions from all Clusters.

MEETING WITH CIVIL PROTECTION - In June, the Shelter Cluster met the Donetsk oblast's Department of Civil Protection, to discuss areas of common interest, like the collection of address-level information on damages to residential buildings and the response capacity to emergency events, particularly in terms of emergency house repairs. The meeting, facilitated by Acted and Reach, was attended also by a representative of the Ministry of Temporary Occupied Territories, the other state stakeholder in matters related to damages to civilian infrastructure.

NEWLY DAMAGED HOUSES - In the first six months of the year, 520 inhabited houses have been reported damaged in events related to the conflict. 429 of the 520 houses (82%) are located in Donetsk oblast and 91 (18%) in Luhansk oblast. The majority of the damages (372 houses, equal to 72% of the total) occurred in NGC areas, with GC areas suffering at a lesser extent (148 houses, equal to 28% of the total). June, with 70 new damages, marked an inversion in the escalating trend of the previous months, that started with 21 houses damaged in January and reached the peak in May, with 186 houses.

The 520 (verified) new damages of the first half of 2018 are roughly 6 times less than the (estimated) 3.150 damages in the correspondent period of 2017.

Activity progress (January – June 2018)



🏠 - NFI;
 ❄️ - cash assistance for winterization;
 🔥 - solid fuel;
 📄 - acute emergency repairs;
 🏠 - light repairs & medium repairs;
 🏢 - Communal infrastructure basic repairs;

KEY DATES

Since the beginning of the year, 13 subnational cluster meetings have been held, 6 each in Sloviansk and Severodonetsk (covering northern Donetsk and northern Luhansk oblasts) and one in Mariinka (covering the southern Donetsk oblast). In the same period the Cluster held also two national-level co-ordination meetings in Kiev, and one technical workshop. At subnational level, the Cluster held also numerous bilateral meetings with all the major shelter actors.

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KEY DOCUMENTS

Shelter/NFI Cluster strategy [ENG](#)

Monetization in the Shelter and NFI Sector in Ukraine [ENG](#) [UKR](#)

Shelter Cluster Annual Report 2017 [ENG](#)

Recommendations on Winterization 2017-2018 [ENG](#) [RUS](#)

Guidance on structural repairs and reconstruction [ENG](#) [UKR](#)

Technical Essay on Housing Situation in Ukraine [ENG](#)

Common cash PDM core questions [ENG](#) [RUS](#) [UKR](#)

Evaluation of the Shelter and NFI Cluster in Ukraine [ENG](#) [UKR](#)

KEY LINKS

[3W online submission form](#)

[Warehouses for contingency Inter-Cluster update form](#)

[Who is doing what where and when interactive dashboard](#)

[Housing, Land and Property TWIG](#)

[Permanent Shelter Solutions and linkage to integration](#)

Jan-Jun at a glance

NFI

4,004 HHs
received NFIs

600,000
Total people
in need



16,521 HHs
received
communal
infrastructure basic
repairs

200,000
Cluster target
population



2,261 HHs
received light and
medium repairs

23
Cluster
partners

Source: HRP Ukraine 2018, 3W reports from partners. Cumulated figures for 2018
Note: number of Cluster partners is calculated quarterly based on 3W reports which indicates number of humanitarian actors reporting to Cluster and operating in Ukraine in a particular quarter