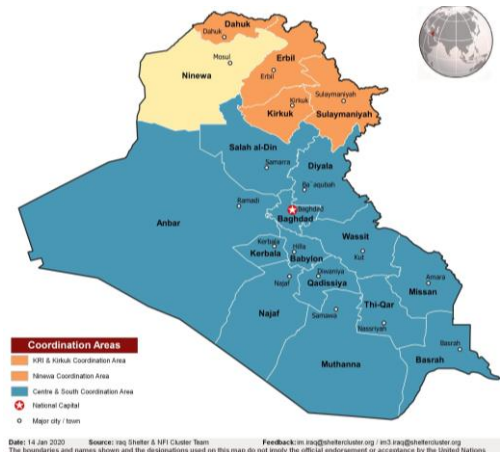
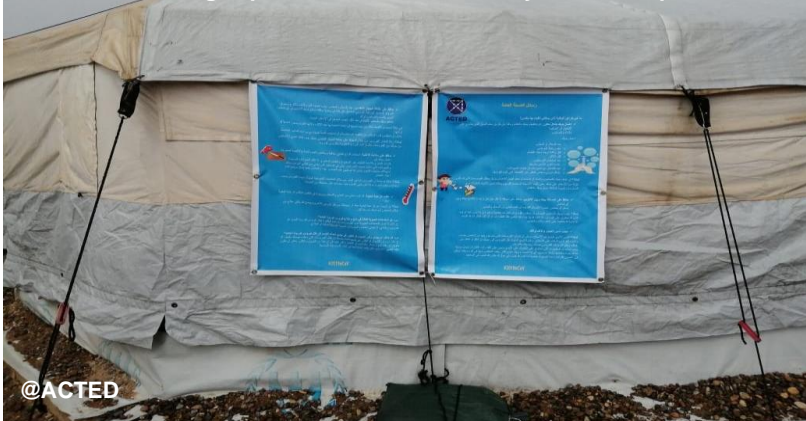


COVID-19 messages posted on a tent in Salamyah IDP camp, Ninewa



## NEEDS ANALYSIS

As per the IOM-led DTM report, **1.41 million IDPs** and **4.6 million Returnees** have been identified across the country, from Jan 2014 to Feb 2020

The number of IDPs continues to decrease (from 2.6 million as of Dec 2017 to 1.41 million as of Apr 2020); while the numbers of returnees has increased (from 3.2 million, end of Dec.2017 to 4.6 million, end of Apr.2020).

- **24%** of those IDPs are **in camps**, while **68%** are currently in **private settings** (in rented accommodation or with host families); **8%** remain in **critical shelter** arrangements (unfinished/abandoned building; school/religious buildings and informal settlements).
- **95%** of the returnees are in their **habitual residence**, **2%** in **Private Settings** while **3%** live in **critical shelter arrangement** such as informal settlements, unfinished and abandoned buildings, schools, religious structures.

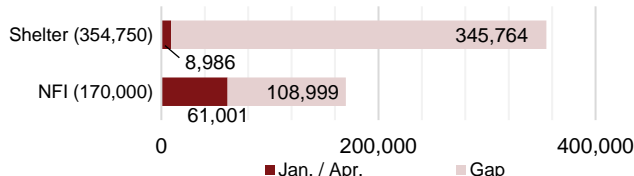
## CURRENT CLUSTER INTERVENTIONS (1<sup>st</sup> Jan. – 30<sup>th</sup> Apr. 2020)

- Out of the overall SNFI Cluster target of 524,750 individuals, **49,895 (36%)** have been assisted with **NFI kits**; **8,986 (3%)** have benefited from **shelter interventions**:
  - **36,376** people living in camps and informal settlements have been reached with NFI kits; **3,862 people** have been provided with emergency shelter interventions.
  - **6,646** returnees have been reached with NFI kits; **1,706 people** were assisted with either emergency repairs of War Damaged Shelter (WDS) or provided with Sealing-off Kits.
  - Jointly with the Iraq Health Cluster, the Shelter Cluster has finalised a guidance note on the set up and management of quarantine and isolation areas in IDP camps - available on the Iraq Shelter Cluster webpage.

## GAPS / Constraints and Key Critical Issues

- During the reporting period only 22 percent of the Shelter Cluster target was reached. Movement restrictions to curb the C-19 epidemic have kept the status quo in camps, characterized by crowded conditions and exposure to harsh weather conditions including flood risks.
- Many IDPs and returnees lost their livelihood, worsening their socio-economic vulnerability and hampering affordability of NFIs and rents. Fear of eviction has increased eight times among IDPs compared to November 2019. This may likely worsen living conditions as families move into substandard shelter to decrease rental expenses, or to squat in UAB.
- IDPs moving between governorates before the measures have been denied entry. Due to insufficient quarantine capacity, they settled in informal sites close to checkpoints, in sub-standard shelter conditions.

## COVERAGE AGAINST TARGETS (Individuals)



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## KEY DATES

The outbreak of violence between Iraqi security forces and armed groups in January 2014 triggered ten significant waves of displacement: pre-June 2014, June-July 2014, August 2014, post September 2014, post April 2015, post March 2016, post 17 Oct. 2016, July 2017, January 2019 and January 2020.

Cluster activation date: January 2014

## KEY DOCUMENTS

- [Technical Support and Design Guidance – NFI](#)
- [Technical Support and Design Guidance – Shelter](#)
- [Information Management Products & Related Datasets](#)
- [Assessments Datasets and Reports](#)
- [Meetings Minutes and Related Presentations](#)

## KEY LINKS

- [Iraq SNFI Cluster Page on the Global Cluster Website](#)
- [War damage shelter repairs Dashboard](#)
- [2019 Inter-cluster dashboard on HRP Monitoring](#)
- [Country page on Relief Web](#)

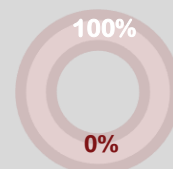
## KEY FIGURES

**15** Partners  
Operational Presence

**2.4 M / 0.52 M**  
People in need / targeted

## FUNDING PROGRESS – 2020 HRP

Shelter Cluster has not received any sector-specific funding through the HRP funding mechanism for Jan-Apr 2020.



■ Funded ■ Gap

HRP Total funding required:

**\$43.2 M**

HRP Total funded:

**\$0 M**

**Strategic Objectives One:** Safeguard physical and mental well-being of 1.65 million conflict-affected people with acute needs by providing services to meet basic needs.

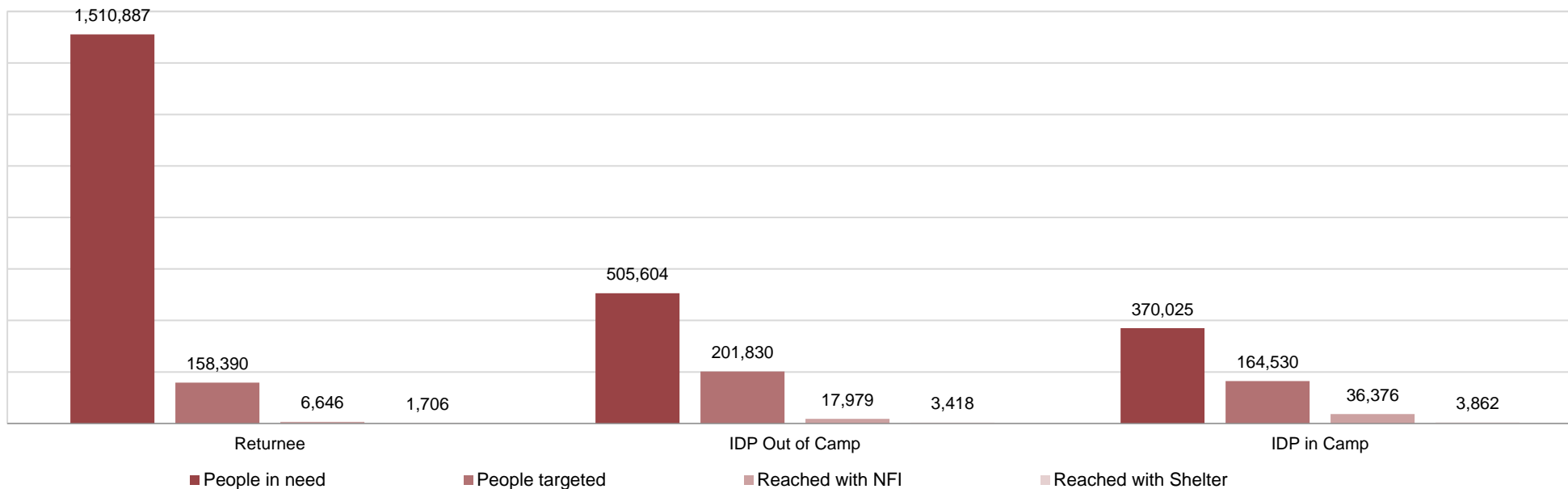
Beneficiary type	Activity	Target (Indv.)	Achievements (Indv.)	%
IDPs in camp	Non-Food Item (NFI) Kit Distribution	45,000	36,376	80%
	Shelter Upgrades in Camps	119,530	3,862	3%
IDPs out of camp	Non-Food Item (NFI) Kit Distribution	92,000	17,979	20%
	Critical Shelter Upgrades Sealing-Off Kit (SOK) Distribution Rental Subsidies	109,830	3,418	3%
Returnees	Critical Shelter Upgrades Sealing-Off Kit (SOK) Distribution	104,390		0%
	Non-Food Item (NFI) Kit Distribution	33,000	6,646	20%


**Strategic Objectives Two:** Address critical problems related to living standards by expanding access to basic services for 1.54 million conflict-affected people with acute needs.

Beneficiary type	Activity	Target (Indv.)	Achievements (Indv.)	%
Returnees	Low-Cost Transitional Shelter (Including RHUs, traditionally constructed, etc.)	6,000	83	1%
	War-Damaged Shelter Repairs (Category 2 & 3)	15,000	1,623	11%

## Cluster overall achievements

People in need, targeted and reached per beneficiary groups



Cluster	Coordinator Co-Facilitator	Government Counterpart	Organizations	Location(s) of interventions
	UNHCR IOM, ACTED	Ministry of Migration and Displacement (MoMD); BRHA and JCC in KRI	16 Partners have reported in Activity info. This includes 15 partners reporting on HRP achievements. 3 partners have also reported Non-HRP achievements	4 partners operating in KR-I, 15 partners operating in Centre & South

Iraq Shelter and NFI Cluster Online Dashboard can be found here (2020): <https://www.sheltercluster.org/iraq/iraq-shelter-and-nfi-cluster-online-dashboard>