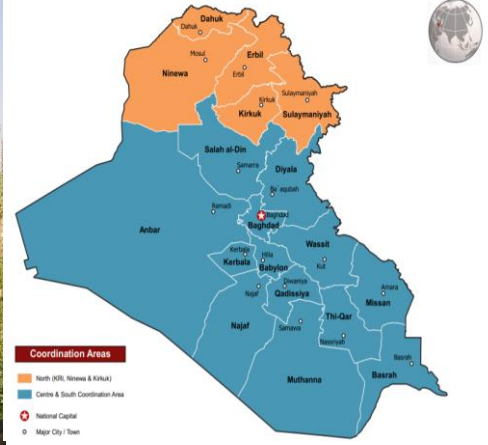


Shelter needs in new returnee area in Latifyah district in Baghdad – July, 2021



Credit: Shelter Cluster Iraq

NEEDS ANALYSIS

As per the IOM-led DTM report, **1.19 million IDPs** and **4.88 million Returnees** have been identified across the country, from Jan 2014 to Aug 2021.

The number of IDPs continues to decrease (from 2.6 million as of Dec 2017 to 1.19 million as of Aug. 2021); while the numbers of returnees has increased (from 3.2 million, end of Dec.2017 to 4.88 million, end of Aug.2021).

- **15%** of those IDPs are **in camps**, while **76%** are currently **in private settings** (in rented accommodation or with host families); **9%** remain **in critical shelter** arrangements (unfinished/abandoned building; school/religious buildings and informal settlements).
- **95%** of the returnees are in their **habitual residence**, **1%** in **private settings** while **4%** live in **critical shelter arrangement** such as informal settlements, unfinished and abandoned buildings, schools, religious structures.

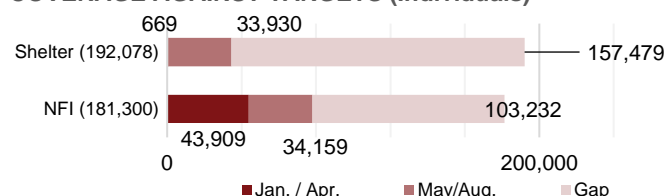
CURRENT CLUSTER INTERVENTIONS (1st Jan. – 31st Aug. 2021)

- Out of the overall SNFI Cluster target of 373,377 individuals, **78,068 (41%)** have been assisted with **NFI kits**; **34,599 (19%)** have benefited from **shelter interventions**:
 - **12,921** people living in camps and informal settlements have been reached with NFI kits; **257 people** have been provided with emergency shelter interventions.
 - **55,187** people living out of camps have been reached with NFI kits; **24,299 people** have been provided with emergency shelter interventions.
 - **8,960** returnees have been reached with NFI kits; **10,043 people** were assisted with critical shelter upgrades, Sealing-off Kits or rental subsidies.

GAPS / Constraints and Key Critical Issues

- Shelter Cluster Iraq has managed to secure pooled funding for close to USD 6 million for shelter and NFI projects. Five partners are targeting 9,000 vulnerable families with Critical Shelter Upgrades (CSU), Sealing Off Kits (SOK), rental subsidies and NFI distributions across six governorates.
- Shelter Cluster has reopened the Shelter Upgrades in camp file and started collaboration with the Government authorities in Dohuk.
- Shelter Cluster planning a refreshing trainings session on Activity Info and Socio-Economic Vulnerability Tool for assessment to international and national organizations in August 2021.
- Partners are facing access issues and impediments to implementing activities for vulnerable families with suspected affiliation from security actors. Coordination with OCHA in country is ongoing to resolve those.
- Funding limitation continues to greatly hamper partners' response /implementation of identified activities.

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](#)
- [SNFI COVID-19 Response Publication Index](#)

KEY LINKS

- [Iraq SNFI Cluster Page on the Global Cluster Website](#)
- [War damage shelter repairs Dashboard](#)
- [Iraq: 2021 Humanitarian Response Plan - Summary](#)
- [Country page on Relief Web](#)

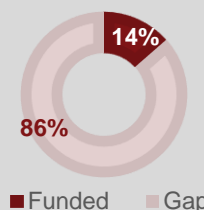
KEY FIGURES

12 Partners
Operational Presence

0.93 M / 0.38 M
People in need / targeted

FUNDING PROGRESS – 2021 HRP

Shelter Cluster has received below funding through the HRP funding mechanism for Jan-Aug 2021.



HRP Total funding required:

\$38.9 M

HRP Total funded:

\$5.2 M

Strategic Objectives Three: VULNERABLE IDPS IN CAMPS, ACUTELY VULNERABLE OUT-OF-CAMP IDPS AND RETURNEES ARE SUPPORTED TO ESTABLISH LIVES IN SAFETY AND DIGNITY

3.1: Vulnerable IDPs in camps, out-of-camp IDPs and returnees in acute need are supported to achieve a secure and safe physical living environment to live in safety and dignity at both family and community level, where minimum standards for camp/settlement structures and services are attained or maintained.

Beneficiary type	Activity	Target (Indv.)	Achievements (Indv.)	%
IDPs in camp	Non-Food Item (NFI) Kit Distribution (In-kind or Service Delivery)	49,500	9,041	18.26
	In-camp shelter maintenance (In-kind or Service Delivery)	23,760	257	1.08
IDPs out of camp	Non-Food Item (NFI) Kit Distribution (Cash or Voucher)	10,099	12,382	122.61
	Non-Food Item (NFI) Kit Distribution (In-kind or Service Delivery)	29,910	43,805	146.46
	Sealing-Off Kit (SOK) Distribution (In-kind or Service Delivery)	20,314	13,279	65.37
	Sealing-Off Kit (SOK) Distribution (Cash or Voucher)	5,003		0.00
	Critical Shelter Upgrades (In-kind or Service Delivery)	18,558	7,341	39.56
	Critical Shelter Upgrades (Cash or Voucher)	4,611	2,385	51.72
	Cash for Rent (Cash or Voucher)	2,392	1,294	54.10
Returnees	Non-Food Item (NFI) Kit Distribution (Cash or Voucher)	22,855		0.00
	Non-Food Item (NFI) Kit Distribution (In-kind or Service Delivery)	68,437	8,960	13.09
	Sealing-Off Kit (SOK) Distribution (In-kind or Service Delivery)	38,417	4,591	11.95
	Sealing-Off Kit (SOK) Distribution (Cash or Voucher)	9,583		0.00
	Critical Shelter Upgrades (In-kind or Service Delivery)	38,431	1,684	4.38
	Critical Shelter Upgrades (Cash or Voucher)	11,583	2,846	24.57
	Cash for Rent (Cash or Voucher)	7,187	360	5.01
	Provision of RHU (In-kind or Service Delivery)	12,000	550	4.58

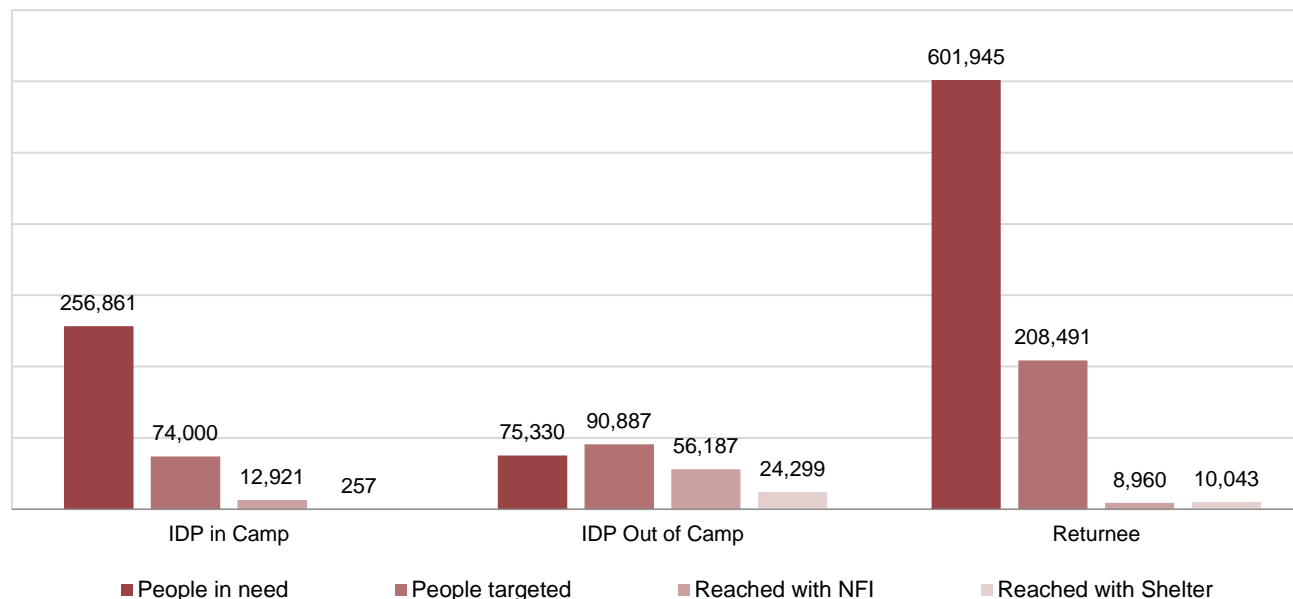
Strategic Objectives 2: VULNERABLE IDPS IN CAMPS, ACUTELY VULNERABLE OUT-OF-CAMP IDPS AND RETURNEES ARE SUPPORTED TO ACCESS ESSENTIAL SERVICES.


2.2: Vulnerable IDPs in camps, out-of-camp IDPs and returnees in acute need have access to appropriate health, sanitation, hygiene and related information, supplies and services related to COVID-19 prevention and treatment.

Beneficiary type	Activity	Target (Indv.)	Achievements (Indv.)	%
IDPs in camp	Provision of Non-Food Item (NFI) in Q&I areas	500	3,880	776.00
	Provision/replacement of tents in Q&I areas	240		0.00

Cluster overall achievements

People in need, targeted and reached per beneficiary groups



Cluster	Coordinator Co-Facilitator	Government Counterpart	Organizations	Location(s) of interventions
 S-NFI CLUSTER	UNHCR IOM	Ministry of Migration and Displacement (MoMD), DMCR and JCC in KRI	17 Partners have reported in Activity info. This includes 12 partners reporting on HRP 2021 achievements, 8 partners have also reported HRP 2020 achievements, and 6 partners have also reported Non-HRP achievements	7 partners operating in KR-I, 16 partners operating in Centre & South

Iraq Shelter and NFI Cluster Online Dashboard can be found here (2021): <https://www.sheltercluster.org/iraq/iraq-shelter-and-nfi-cluster-online-dashboard>