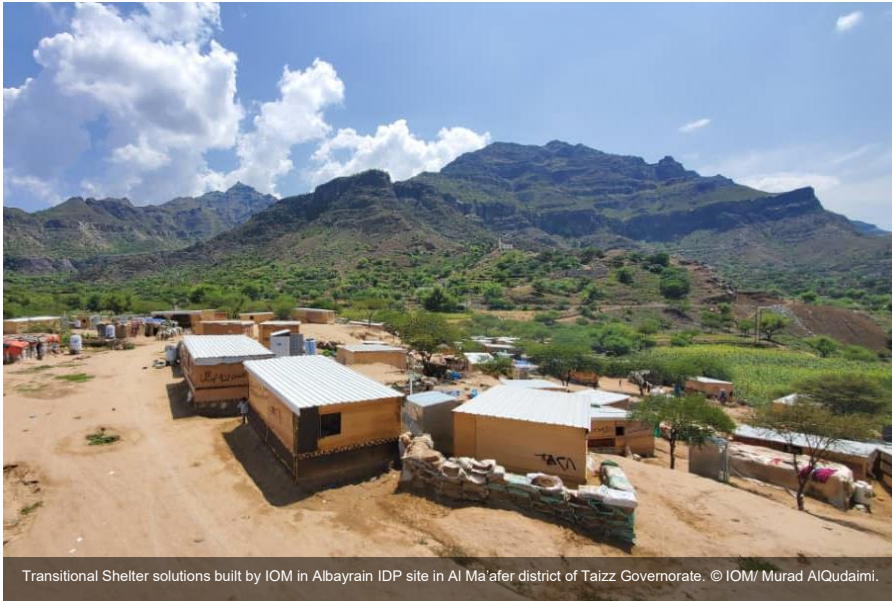


Republic of Yemen

September 2020



Transitional Shelter solutions built by IOM in Albayrain IDP site in Al Ma'afar district of Taizz Governorate. © IOM/ Murad AlQudaimi.

NEEDS ANALYSIS

- The **rainy season has been very intense** this year and resulted in heavy rainfall and floods that principally affected lower-elevation areas of Yemen. Until September 2020, an estimated 62,508 families have been affected across the country.
- The fast-approaching winter season is expected to be harsh for more than **half a million vulnerable people with acute needs, exposed to low-temperatures**, and unable to prepare adequately for the season.

RESPONSE

- Despite the current operational constraints, Shelter Cluster assisted nearly 0.35 million IDPs, returnees, and vulnerable host community members during the third quarter of 2020.
- In response to needs resulted from the rainy season, Shelter Cluster reached 25,653 families with 17,245 NFIs and 14,655 Emergency Shelter Kits, which represent 41% of reported needs up to the end of September. Needs assessments are still ongoing.
- Shelter Cluster developed and released the [Winterization Recommendations](#) with a total requirement of **US\$14.3m to address acute needs**. The assistance includes a) Distribution of Personal insulation (winter clothing and blankets); b) Heating devices/fuel; c) Shelter insulation.
- In-line with the setting up of a common pipeline and the optimization of sourcing shelter materials and Non-Food Items (NFI) for Yemen, Shelter Cluster developed a replenishment plan that aims to an optimal level of goods in-country based on a consolidation of needs. Items have been disaggregated in international procurement (coming mainly from Global stockpile) and national procurement.
- In partnership with REACH-Impact Initiatives, Shelter Cluster conducted a though analysis and mapping to classify each sectoral activity according to their relevancy to three lenses organized according to key thematic a) Districts impacted by violence b) Climate & natural disasters c) Long-term solutions. The results will inform the strategic planning and ensure a relevant response for each type of crisis more flexibly and efficiently. A dedicated document soon to be published

GAPS / CHALLENGES

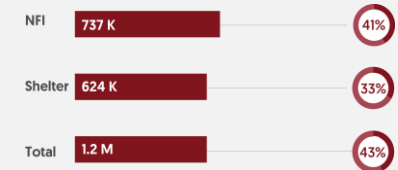
- **Extremely low funding coupled by alarmingly low stock levels of Shelter and Non-Food Items depleted by extreme floods of July and august** implying negative consequences and delays on the response to urgent needs.
- **Fuel shortages** continue to negatively impact the transportation of goods and commodities prices in the local markets.

KEY DATES

Insurgency in Yemen - 2004–2014
Establishment of Sector - August 2009
Sector Merged – February 2010
Activation of Cluster – March 2010
Latest insurgency - March 2015
No-camp policy adopted - June 2015
Alternative to Camps Policy – Sep 2018
CCCM Activated as a standalone – Jul 2019

KEY FIGURES (Individuals) Extended HRP 2020

7.27 Million People in Need
5.1 Million People Acute in Need
3.0 Million Target 2020
1,285,609 Assisted as @ Sep 2020



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[Shelter Cluster Coordination Structure](#)

KEY DOCUMENTS

- [Cluster Dashboard](#)
- [Shelter Cluster Strategy 2019-2020](#)

KEY LINKS

- Country page on [ShelterCluster.Org](#)
- Cluster page on [HumanitarianResponse.org](#)
- Sector page on [ReliefWeb](#)

FUNDING (USD) (Source: SC Fund Mapping, Extended HRP 2020)

