DECEMBER HIGHLIGHTS:

In Sulaymaniyah there were two events; Sport and Friendship was a social-cohesion event aimed at IDP, Refugee and HC children who participated in a football match and a running competition.

The other was Together for Peace was a social-cohesion event for IDP, Refugee and HC adults. It took place in Dawa Restaurant on 18/DEC/2015, and included a concert of multi-cultural traditional music, and a theatre play.

Assistance For Syrian Refugees by providing shops rehabilitation services and their host community had been implemented in Qushtapa - Erbil.

NEEDS ANALYSIS:

While continued humanitarian relief is needed for the most vulnerable refugees, IOM is also strongly emphasizing the need for enhancing beneficiaries’ self-reliance, by providing them with income generation activities and training to increase their employability.

Increased needs for Social Cohesion Livelihoods programs in Kirkuk in main while there is a lack of Livelihoods actors.

IRAQ RESPONSE INDICATORS: DECEMBER 2015

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<th>Total Assisted</th>
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<td>378 Individuals accessing wage employment opportunities</td>
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<td>11 Community support projects implemented</td>
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<td>4,324 Individuals trained and/or provided with marketable skills and services</td>
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End-Year Target

- Total Assisted: 20,000
- Planned Response: 150
- Target: 10,000

Planned response based on full funding of 3RP for an expected direct beneficiary population of 250,000 Syrian refugees and 1.5 million members of impacted local communities by end-2015. There are currently 245,134 Syrian refugees registered by UNHCR (39% in camps and 61% out of camps).