



Basic Assistance Sector

16 March, 2015

Minutes of the meeting

1. Presentation of the Lebanon Crisis Response Plan, chapter of the Basic Assistance Sector
Annex 1: Power Point Presentation
2. Presentation of participant organizations

Relief International (RI)

Multipurpose/Unconditional Cash Assistance Programme
West Bekaa: Ghazeh, Marej, Hocuch Harimi and Jeb Janen
Target Household Profiling: 2,000 households
Target cash assistance: 500 severely vulnerable households

OXFAM GB

Winterization Programme (cash-based intervention)
North and West Bekaa
Target cash assistance: 923 households
Assistance provided: 733 households
OXFAM also distributed hygiene vouchers and blankets in North Bekaa

Handicap International (HI)

- a. Multipurpose/Unconditional Cash Assistance Programme (DFID)
Bekaa
Target cash assistance: 750 households
Assistance provided: 230 households are receiving USD \$180 on a monthly basis
Duration of the programme: 6 months (until December 2015)
- b. Household Profiling (ECHO)
Target Household Profiling: 600

The United Nations Children's Fund / United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF)

Winterization Programme
Bekaa
Target in-kind assistance: 72,854 households
Assistance provided: 67,079 households
Winter kit: clothes and shoes for Syrian children
Winter vouchers: clothes and shoes for Lebanese and Syrian children

Ministry of Social Affairs (MoSA)

Winterization Programme
Bekaa
Target and number of beneficiaries: to be confirmed
Winter kit: blankets, fuel and winter clothes
In coordination with: Poverty Programme

Action Contre la Faim (ACF)

- a. Winterization Programme (UNICEF Implementing Partner)
 - 86 informal settlements in West Bekaa and Zahle districts (8 villages)
 - Target in-kind assistance: 388 households
- b. Emergency response during Zeina storm
 - Zahle district (specifically Reyak and Nasryeh)
 - Target in-kind-assistance: 293 households
 - Winter kit: blankets, mattresses, plastic sheets, bed sheets and fuel

International Organization for Migration (IOM)

Winterization Programme

Bekaa

Target: 180 Lebanese returnees

Cash assistance: USD \$50 for stove and USD \$100 per month

Duration: 5 months

Islamic Relief

Winterization Programme

Informal settlements in Central and West Bekaa

Target in-kind assistance: 10,000 households (90 % Syrians and 10% vulnerable Lebanese)

Assistance provided: 5,000 families

Winter kit: blankets, quilts, winter clothes, plastic sheets, mattresses and heaters

Duration: until the end of June 2015

Additional 10,000 households could receive food parcels and hygiene kits during the second semester of 2015

United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)

- a. Winterization Programme
 - Bekaa
 - Target cash assistance USD **\$80**: 35,604 households
 - Assistance provided USD **\$80**: 30,049 households
 - Target cash assistance USD **\$100**: 15,360 households
 - Assistance provided USD **\$100**: 13,073 households
 - Target cash assistance USD **\$175**: 6,061
 - Assistance provided USD **\$175**: 5,292 households
 - Target in-kind assistance (**fuel vouchers**): 30,779 households
 - Assistance provided (**fuel vouchers**): 25,073 households
 - Target in-kind assistance (**blankets and quilts**): 94,239 households
 - Assistance provided (**blankets and quilts**): 70,229 households
 - Duration: November 2014 - March 2015
- b. Multipurpose/Unconditional Cash Assistance Programme
 - Bekaa
 - Target cash assistance: 3,389 households
 - Assistance provided: 3,248 households

Action points

- Share detailed inputs of winter assistance to compile Bekaa's report on Winterization
- Fill out the tracking sheet on Household Visits
- Review ToRs of the Basic Assistance Sector Working Group in Beirut and provide inputs to establish ToRs for the Working Group in Bekaa