6th of October City is one of the main urban settlements hosting refugees in Egypt (around 40,000 registered refugees by end of October 2017), including numerous Syrian business people and workers, and has become a major economic hub and social meeting point. UNHCR and the 6th of October City Administration have jointly initiated the process of upgrading the physical infrastructure of a business area and of developing socio-economic support schemes with the people working there.

UNHCR started to facilitate better access of refugee women and men to liable employers in the domestic sector, in cooperation with an employment company. For many foreign women in Egypt, including refugees and asylum-seekers, the domestic work sector presents one of the main employment opportunities. UNHCR seeks to ensure safe conditions for refugees and asylum-seekers, that take into account their specific protection needs.

**3RP 2017 Funding Status**

- **378,407** Refugees & Local Community Members Sectoral Target by end of 2017
- **113,000** Syrian Refugees expected by end-2017
- Appeal $131 million, received $22.6 million, 17% funded
- Sector Appeal: $38 million, 63%, Refugee
- Responding Partners: 3 partners reporting for the month, 60%

**Sectoral Indicators Progress**

- 7,155 affected households (MHH/FHH) assessed
- 947 individuals access to self-employment
- 91 individuals access to wage employment
- 1,431 persons provided by trainings for livelihood purposes
- 11,596 households receiving unconditional, sector-specific or emergency cash assistance

**Note:** These dashboards reflect the achievements of the 3RP partners including UN agencies, and NGOs involved in the 3RP response in Egypt. Progress and target may change in line with the data revisions. All data on this dashboard is current as at 31 October 2017.