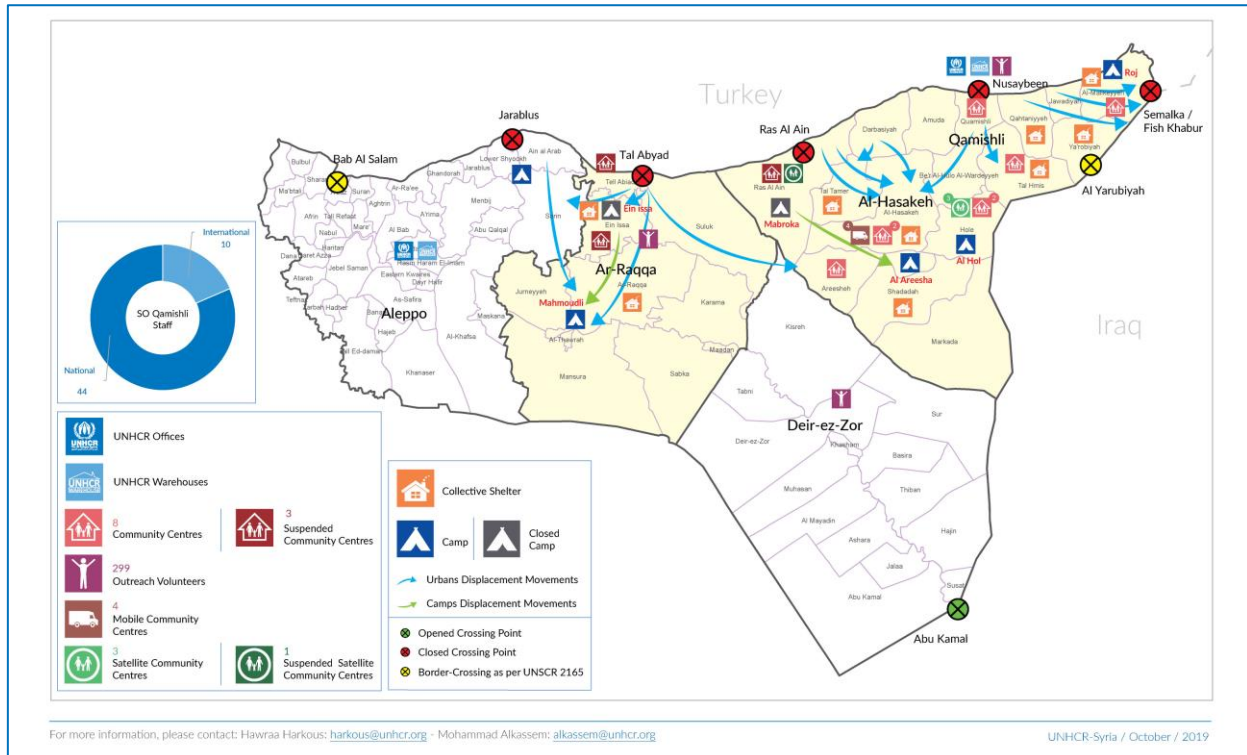


UNHCR SYRIA SITUATION REPORT FOR THE NORTH EAST SYRIA HUMANITARIAN EMERGENCY

As of 21 October 2019

- Four days into the ‘pause’ in fighting, hostilities continue to be reported with sporadic clashes taking place in Tal Abyad.
- As of 21 Oct, more than 152,000¹ people have been displaced from Hassakeh (96,088), Raqqa (39,463) and Aleppo governorates (16,640), including between camps. 80, 000 of the displaced are children.
- 43,000 people have returned to their places of origin – 18,000 to Al Hassakeh (8,500 to Qamishli & 9,500 to Al Malikeyyeh sub-districts) and 25,000 to Ar-Raqqa (18,000 to Tal Abyad and 7,000 to Suluk sub-districts)
- Overall, 56 collective shelters (55 in Al Hassakeh and 1 in Ar-Raqqa governorates) are now accommodating 10,860 people (2,243 families). Assessments in collective shelters are currently ongoing across multiple sectors.

¹ According to OCHA



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Emergency response update



Protection concerns and response

- **UNHCR's protection partners began the comprehensive protection needs assessment in collective shelter in Hassakeh governorate. On 21 Oct, six collective shelters were assessed in Mabada (3), Tal Hamis (1), and Hassakeh (2). UNHCR is following up with its partners and providing on-spot guidance and support.**
- In Mabada, UNHCR protection partner conducted recreational activities for children at a collective shelter; PSS and SGBV awareness sessions and case management in four collective shelters; and two community led initiatives in Shahid Ayoub and Al Mohditha collective shelters where communal kitchens were provided.
- In Raqqa, advocacy for unimpeded access and solutions is ongoing for the 27 unaccompanied children in an interim center managed by local authorities.
- Protection partners continue to advocate for the return of confiscated personal identification documentation and freedom of movement out of camps to locations of choice. This includes the 58 families in Mahmoudli (displaced from Ein Issa Camp) wanting to leave.



UNHCR's protection team holding a FGD for women in Fawaz Joli collective shelter in Hassakeh city. The shelter is hosting 49 households/201 individuals that have fled the hostilities in Ras Al Ain.



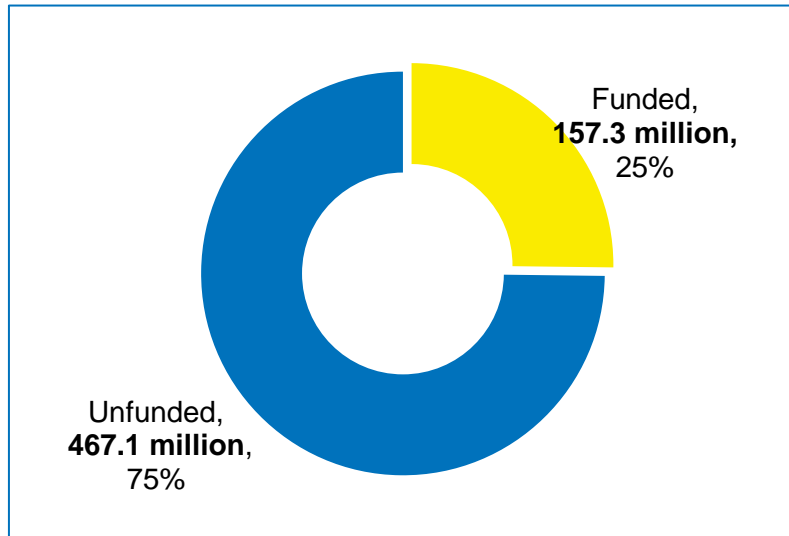
NFI and shelter response

- UNHCR NFI distributions are ongoing in urban areas and collective shelters to IDPs and host community in Hassakeh, Mabada Qamishli. **To date, an estimated 5,068 HH or 26,106 individuals have received UNHCR NFI assistance. It is estimated that UNHCR has reached 22% of those displaced in 79 locations Hassakeh, Malikeyeh and Qamishli.**
- Winter assistance is ongoing in Al Hol camp, so far 2,800 HH out of an estimate of 19,000 HHs have been reached. Winter assistance has already reached 38 collective shelters in Hassakeh, Tal Tamer, and Mabada.
- Between 9 and 19 October 2019, an estimated 770 HHs have been reached with tents in Areesha camp. These are new arrivals or families that were relocated to camps; additional dispatches will be signed off by the Governor to be released.
- 21 collective shelters in Hassakeh, which host over 3,500 individuals have been assessed for shelter repairs including installation of water tanks, water network repairs, basic maintenance. Contractors started in seven locations; and partners have committed to repairing the others. The four collective shelters that were assessed for improvement in Tal Tamer were put stopped as families headed to Hassakeh due to the security concerns. An additional nine shelters are under assessment in Hassakeh.
- NFIs are in stock or *en route* to Qamishli sufficient to cover nearly 17,000 HHs or estimated 85,000 individuals.

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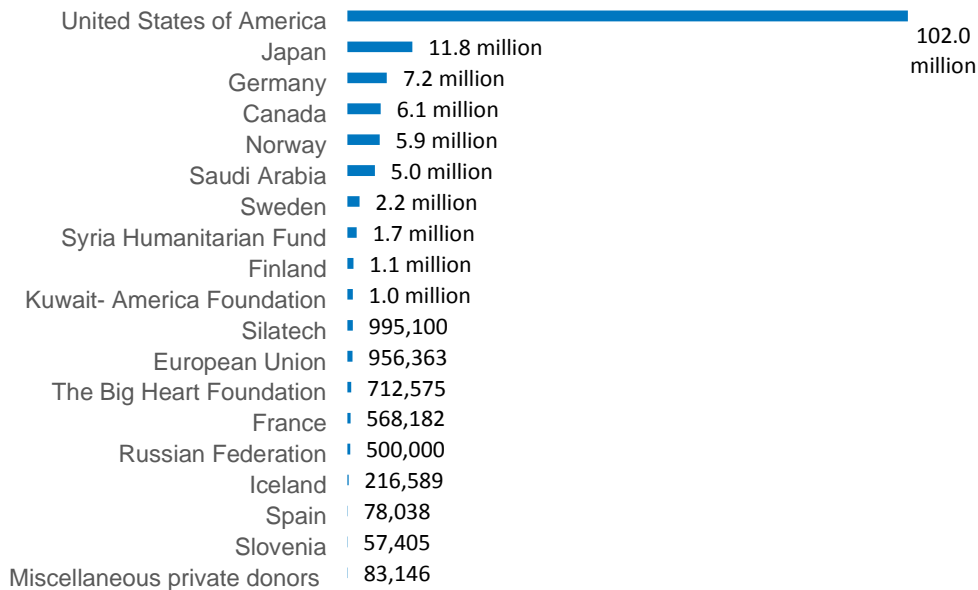
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