Population movement
As of 8 October, 8,998 refugees and migrants have been registered as rescued/intercepted at sea by the Libyan Coast Guard (LCG) and disembarked in Libya. UNHCR and its partner, the International Rescue Committee (IRC), continue to be present at the disembarkation points to provide urgent medical assistance and core relief items (CRIs) before individuals are transferred to detention centres by the Libyan authorities.

UNHCR response
On 8 October, UNHCR as part of its quick-impact project (QIPs) implementation provided three equipped ambulances to Hay el Andalus municipality, Tajoura municipality, and the Ministry of Health’s emergency unit in Tripoli. UNHCR also supported active isolation centres for coronavirus (COVID-19) patients in the city of Zawiya (45 km west of Tripoli) where there are acute needs in terms of protective and sanitary equipment. UNHCR distributed some 127 hygiene kits as well as sanitary cloth, in coordination with local authorities of Zawiya. These initiatives come within the framework of UNHCR’s support for the health sector in Libya during the COVID-19 crisis. QIPs are small, rapidly implemented projects intended to help create conditions for peaceful coexistence between those displaced and host communities, and to strengthen the resilience of these communities. So far this year, UNHCR implemented 31 QIPs targeting the educational and health sectors.

Cash assistance continues to be provided to help persons of concern living in the urban community. Last week, partner CESVI provided cash assistance to a total of 356 refugees and asylum-seekers living in the urban community in Tripoli (144 families). This included regular cash assistance to 262 individuals (96 families) and emergency cash assistance to 94 individuals (48 families). As of 8 October, a total of 2,862 refugees and asylum-seekers were provided with cash grants.

Distribution of CRIs from both the Community Day Centre at Gurji and the Serraj registration office is ongoing. During the reporting period, CESVI supplied a total of 360 individuals from the urban community with hygiene kits, as well as soap bars, solar lamps, mattresses, blankets and clothes: 58 families (205 individuals) received CRIs at the CDC, while 155 people were similarly provided for at Serraj. In 2020, UNHCR has distributed some 50,800 CRIs across Libya.

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**Key Figures**
- **932,286** people of concern
- **46,329** registered refugees & asylum-seekers
- **392,241*** internally displaced persons
- **493,716*** IDP returnees

**UNHCR Coordinated Sectors**
- **Protection Sector**
- **Shelter & NFI Sector**
- **Cash Working Group**
- **Migrants and Refugees Platform** (Co-led by UNHCR, IOM & IRC)

**Key Achievements**
- **4,581** medical consultations (Disembarkation: 431 - Detention: 1,175 - Urban: 2,975)
- **50,797** IDPs and refugees received non-food items (IDPs: 33,748 - Refugees: 17,049)
- **890** individuals received rescue kits at disembarkation points
- **4,609** IDPs and refugees received cash assistance (IDPs: 1,747 - Refugees: 2,862)
- **9,610** IDPs and refugees received food assistance (IDPs: 3,787 - Refugees: 5,823)
- **31** Quick Impact Projects implemented
- **6,740** individuals registered (48 in detention)
- **202** monitoring visits to detention centres
- **231** detained refugees/asylum-seekers released
- **1,713** refugees departed via Gathering and Departure Facility since 2018
- **221** individuals resettled from Libya in 2020
- **5,724** individuals departed from Libya since 2017

**UNHCR Funding Requirements**

USD 84.1 million required in 2020

- **66%** Funded
- **34%** Gap

* IOM-DTM

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**Legend**
- UNHCR liaison office
- UNHCR field office
- Refugees Location
- Disembarkation point
- Detention centre
- IDPs
- IDP returnees
- National capital
- Mantika capital
- Mantika
- International border

**Sources:** UNHCR, IOM-DTM, OCHA

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UNHCR donated large quantities of medicines and medical supplies to various public health facilities towards the end of 2019 and at the beginning of 2020, which might be used by the authorities concerned in support of the ongoing COVID-19 response.

**Legend**
- National capital
- Mantika capital
- Mantika
- International boundary

**Completed:**
- Ambulances – 9
- Blankets – 12,265
- Generators – 11
- Hospital tent – 14
- Hygiene kits – 17,177
- Face masks – 2,500
- Mattresses – 3,088
- Medical beds – 5
- Prefabricated container – 8
- Protective gloves – 2,500
- Sanitary cloth – 95 rolls
- Wet-wipe packages – 4,818
- Soap bars – 25,831
- Tents – 3
- Hand sanitizers – 3,501

**Planned:**
- Blankets – 2,000
- Body bags – 1,000
- Face masks – 7,500
- Hand sanitizers – 6,500
- Hospital tents – 2
- Hygiene kits – 36,500
- Mattresses – 2,000
- Prefabricated container – 2
- Protective gloves – 7,500
- Sanitary cloth – 5 rolls
- Soap bars – 14,000
- Ventilators – 6

* - Detention Centres

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