The war against Ukraine has entered its third month and continues to exacerbate a massive humanitarian crisis and prompt further displacement.

Since the start of the war, UNHCR has been continuing to expand the scale of programmes and their reach, with the aim of delivering assistance and services as close as possible to the place where people are sheltering or have been displaced. **UNHCR operates as part of the inter-agency emergency response** and is leading **three clusters** - Protection, Shelter and NFIs (non-food items), and CCCM (Camp Coordination and Camp Management).

The **overall goal of UNHCR’s operational delivery** is to provide immediate relief to those fleeing military hostilities, while laying the groundwork for sustainable and durable solutions, working closely in coordination with state and local authorities, community-based actors and partners.

In mid-April, UNHCR signed Memoranda of Understanding with three key Ministries, which help to ensure alignment between UNHCR’s activities and social programmes, and that our response is effectively reinforcing and complementing national systems.

Key areas of response include:

- **Protection**: Providing integrated protection advice and services, including psychosocial support and legal aid, at border crossing points, online and in locations where people have fled.
- **Cash Assistance**: Rolling out a large-scale multi-purpose cash assistance programme in eleven oblasts to support displaced people to meet their immediate basic needs with expansion to further oblasts and enrolment of referrals from the Ministry of Social Policy forthcoming.
- **Essential Items**: Delivering essential items such as bedding and hygiene kits, food and shelter materials to individuals and households, including in hard-to-reach areas with humanitarian convoys.
- **Shelter & CCCM**: Supporting local authorities in IDP-receiving locations to expand the capacity of reception and collective centres with essential items and refurbishments, while also planning diverse housing solutions for medium and long-term stay and site coordination to ensure IDPs’ safe access to services.
KEY RESPONSE IN NUMBERS as of 9 May

**DELIVERED WITH PARTNERS**
(Since 24 February)

- **275,850** individuals enrolled to receive **cash assistance** and **157,716** individuals received their first payments. **+20%**

- **148,524** people received targeted protection assistance and information at border points, transit, and reception centres and through hotlines. **+19%**

- **402,905** people received essential items, winter clothes, shelter materials and food assistance. **+10%**

- **64,954** people have received assistance through humanitarian convoys delivered to hard-hit areas. **+22%**

- **37,858** sleeping places created/improved in a total of **154** reception & collective centres. **+7%**

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*Increase from previous week

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**Emergency Response Targets by end of August**

- **UNHCR response aims to reach**
  - **4.3M people**
  - **1.2 million people** to receive targeted protection assistance and information.
  - **1.5 million people** to be supported with essential and non-food items.
  - **1.08 million people** to receive Multi-purpose Cash Assistance.
  - **140K people** to receive shelter support, including through refurbishments of 40 reception & collective centres.
  - **400K people** in collective sites to be supported by CCCM services.

*The targets are subject to the receipt of the funding requirements detailed below.

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**On 5 May, UNHCR launched enrolment for the cash assistance programme in Zaporizhzhia where internally displaced people, including evacuees from Mariupol are currently staying.**

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**FUNDING UPDATE | 2022**

(UKRAINE as of 5 May 2022)

- **41% funded**

- **$559.3 million**

  UNHCR financial requirements 2021

  Given the immense needs and the expanded scale and scope of the humanitarian response, UNHCR is urgently seeking **$536.8 million** to deliver assistance inside Ukraine in the revised **Supplementary Appeal**. (Excludes funding requirements for UNHCR’s asylum and statelessness programmes.)

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