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Mid-year Activity Report 2019

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With the beginning of 2019, the suffering of displaced Syrians continues as 251,168 displaced people were living in 231 camps. In May, a new wave of displacement started to arrive to Northern Syria after intensive shelling and clashes in Idlib and north Hama, an estimated number of 202,689 new displaced people.

This report shows the response of WIFAK Humanitarian Association to the deteriorated situation of displaced people in Northern Syria and the refugees in Arsal camp in Lebanon according to the different clusters (FSL – NFI – Protection – Nutrition – Education – WASH)

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Protection Cluster:

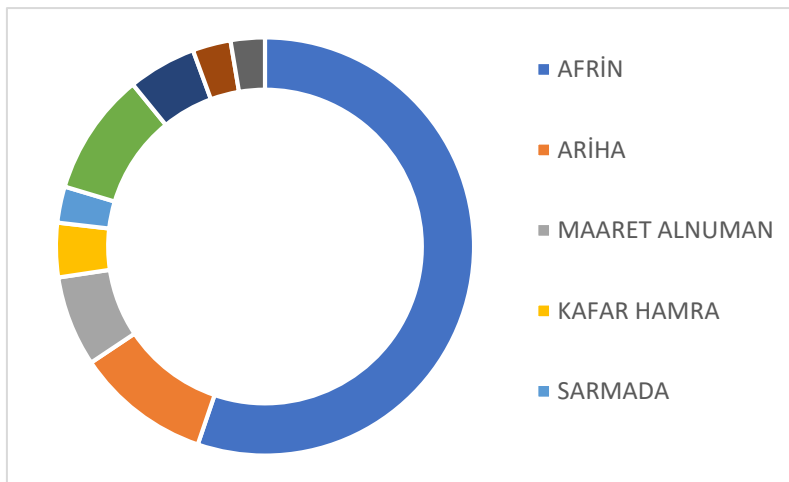
During the first half of 2019, WIFAK managed to provide help for those in need through 4 programs in this cluster in 9 governorates. The assistance was oriented to orphans, widows, special need people and those who need urgent surgical operations. And it was provided either as cash or material in-kind assistance.

1- Orphan Sponsorship program:

The cash assistance program for orphans continues on a monthly basis, (47.5 per cent female) and it was as the following:

No	Month	Sponsorship	Orphans
01	January	622	574
02	February	622	574
03	March	621	556
04	April	631	550
05	May	631	566

○ Sponsorships distribution diagram in northern Syria:

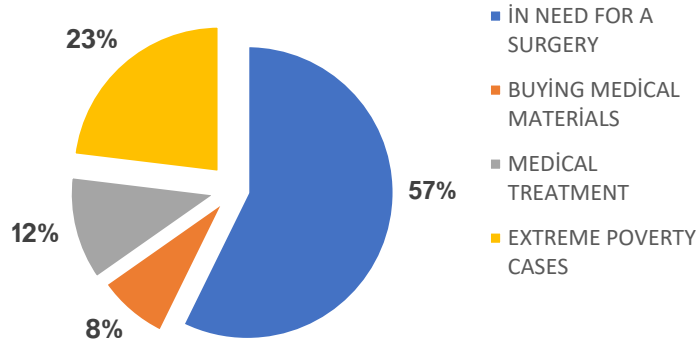


2- Instant Aid program:

The purpose of this program is to help those who have problems that can't wait and need to be solved immediately, such as surgical operations, extreme poverty and educational help.

Beneficiaries
34 people benefited from this program with more than 140 aid, (each equals 100\$).

○ Assistance paid according to type:



3- Cash Assistance program (Zakat al-Fitr – Eid gifts):

No	Type	Beneficiaries
01	Cash assistance (100 – 200 TL)	779

This assistance was oriented to children, orphan's families and widows during Eid holidays.



4- Psychological support program:

This program is supervised by a specialized psychological support team, through this program our team provides activities and support sessions for orphans and disabled children. The activities vary according to the previous sessions' evaluation and the surveys of the families.

The team provides 4 – 5 sessions a month, 20 child benefits from each session.

Some photos of our activities:



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❖ Food Security and Livelihoods cluster:

Despite that most of the charity organizations are working in this cluster, the need is still very big, especially in the refugee camps which started to receive huge numbers of displaced people coming from northern Hama and southern Idlib.

While trying to find solutions to this problem through development and giving work opportunities to refugees, WIFAK keeps aiding those in need.

A summary of our projects:

No	Project	Aid type	Amount	Beneficiaries	Area
1	Food baskets for people in need	28 KG food basket	1000	5000	Idlib countryside – Afrin – AlBab
2	Instant food aid	22.5 KG food basket	170	850	Hritan refugee camp
3	Food baskets for people in need	18.5 KG food basket	800	4000	Soran
4	Canned food basket	11 KG basket	200	1000	Idlib countryside
5	A meal for fasting family	puff pastry – rice and chicken	7381	23703	Northern Syria – Arsal camps
6	Raw chicken	1.8 KG	7760	23280	Afrin – Azez – AlBab – Idlib countryside
7	Food gathering for 500 fasting people	Food gathering	4	1600	AlBab – Idlib countryside
8	Distribution of food purchase coupons	coupon	200	800	People in need in Istanbul
9	Distribution of meat for disabled and sick people	1 KG	100	300	AlBab
10	Distribution of meat	1 KG	100	300	AlBab
11	Distribution of meat	1 KG	500	1500	Idlib countryside
Total number of beneficiaries				71033	Beneficiary



Some photos of our project



❖ Shelter and NFIs cluster:

Because of the big numbers of displaced people coming from all over Syria and their bad living situations, with the need to repair and replace more than 15000 tents according to Assistance Coordination Unite, WIFAK has responded to those calls and participated in helping people in camps by many projects to solve those problems .



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No	Project	Beneficiaries	Area
1	Preparing 5 floor building to receive displaced people from the refugee camps	350	AlBab
2	Building small flats for displaced people	80	Idlib countryside – Killi
3	Distributing blankets and sleeping sponges	2500	Idlib countryside
4	winter clothing campaign	1050	Arsal camp (Lebanon)
5	winter coat for children	1700	AlBab – Azez – Afrin
6	winter clothing for children	300	Arsal camp (Lebanon)
7	Replacing tents with small rooms	100	Azez (AlBil camp)
8	Summer clothing campaign	400	AlBab
9	Distributing clothing coupons for poor families	100	poor families in Istanbul
Beneficiaries of Shelter and NFIs cluster		6480	Beneficiary



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Photos from Shelter and NFIs cluster



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❖ Health and Nutrition cluster:

In this cluster, WIFAK has provided good care for malnourished children and lactating women by regular check-ups and providing complementary food according to children cases and milk for mothers to help them breast-feed, in addition to providing educational lectures for them about the importance of breast feeding to their children.

We have a special clinic in Al-Shifaa hospital in Afrin which receives many cases from other organizations making surveillances and referrals.

No.	Title	Amount
01	Aid provided by the clinic	600 case/month
02	SAM cases being treated	135 case
03	Twins cases	120 on average
04	Disabled cases	33 on average / month
05	Complementary food baskets	2982 basket

Photos of our program



[Click](#) to watch some of the cases being treated by the clinic



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❖ Human Development cluster:

By focusing on specific projects within this cluster, the Foundation seeks to eliminate the large need for food security projects, which require large budgets and are temporary solutions. Meanwhile, Human Development Projects are working to transform society into a producer that is sufficient for itself and contributes to boost the economy of the region, especially in the high unemployment rate in the Northern areas of Syria, which reached to nearly 60%. And WIFAK Humanitarian Association projects in Human Development are as follows:

○ Work opportunity project:

The project contains two types, one of them is based on refunded loans, the other is based on donations.

The project started in late 2018 and continues to this day. Its results are as follows:

No	Profession	Area	Number of Loans	Beneficiaries
1	Men's Barbering	AlBab	1	3
2	Women's Barbering		1	3
3	Turning Metal		2	3
4	Cleaning Supplies Shop		1	1
5	Wardrobe Making and Thermal Painting		1	3
6	Fixing Car Tires		1	2
7	Gas Selling and Refilling		1	1
8	Seed Trading		1	1
9	Furniture Trading		1	7
10	Furniture Upholstery	Saraqib	1	2
11	Furniture Upholstery	Afrin	1	2
12	Selling Home Electrical Necessities	Killi	1	2
13	Selling Kids Toys and Biscuits	Mare' City	1	1
Total Number of Beneficiaries				32



There are two people with special needs in the benefitted people.

Notes about the project:

- 1- The project had good results and WIFAK looks forward for launching more projects.
- 2- Loan projects encourage people to work better than donations do and continuously has larger beneficiaries number (according to our experience).
- 3- Choosing stable jobs and making sure that the beneficiary fits the loan criteria makes the project's success almost certain.

Pictures from the work opportunity project



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❖ WASH cluster

Providing water for refugees camps in northern Syria is one of our top priorities, the average consumption person/day is 15-20 L, as a response for this need, WIFAK started a project to fill the needs of 5 different refugees centers in AlBab city.

674, 300Liters	Amount of distributed water
Other works within the project	
1- Mounting 3 containers of 2000letres capacity.	
2- Digging a well in a residential accommodation complex.	
3- Installing a water pump for a well in one of the refugee's buildings.	



❖ Education cluster:

One of the clusters that has a major weakness especially in the camp due to lack of parental awareness and child labor in addition to lack of qualified educational staff, where the rates of school drop-outs reached more than 65% according to many statistical reports from the Assistance Coordination Unit. What follows are projects from Wifak in the education cluster:

NO	Project	Beneficiaries	Area
1	Repairing and tiling AlBul school	209	AlBul Camp
2	Providing school supplies		AlBul Camp
3	Supporting Rwad AlSham Middle School with equipment (projector – monitor)	100	AlBab
4	Preparation of 5 tents as schools	80	Maara Countryside Camp
Total Number of Beneficiaries		389	Students



❖ **WIFAK events in the first half of the year:**

- 1- Visiting the Governors of Gaziantep, Kilis, and Hatay, to display The Association's projects and take official working permissions.
- 2- Several visits by The Association's management to North Syria to observe the projects' workflow.
- 3- Showing the year report and the financial statements of 2018 to the General Authority of The Association.
- 4- Participating in the first Arab Forum and displaying the projects to the audience.
- 5- Arranging "Classifications of Organizations and Relationship with Donors" course for staff development.
- 6- Renewing membership in the Orphan Care Association.
- 7- Visiting the Kuwaiti consulate and obtaining accreditation in Kuwait.
- 8- Obtaining The Association's accreditation within Kuwait.

The total number of beneficiaries from Wifak Humanitarian Association's projects in the first half of 2019 is

80,490 Beneficiary

Scattered on 46 projects

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