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On the first of July, UNRWA launched summer learning activities in 38 clubs located in schools in Damascus, Rif Damascus, Aleppo, Homs, Hama and Lattakia reaching 11,265 students (6,133 female, and 5,132 male).

The intervention creates a safe environment for children to develop their competencies and skills, participate in recreational activities, and receive much needed psychosocial support to address symptoms of stress and anxiety, resulting from years of conflict and exposure to violence, displacement, and destruction.

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In July, 77,894 Palestine refugees received emergency cash assistance through the second round of distribution in 2019. UNRWA launched a targeted approach to cash assistance for the first time on 19 May 2019, prioritizing the needs of most vulnerable categories of Palestine refugees by providing them with higher cash amounts (USD 14 per person per month as opposed to USD 9 per person per month for remaining eligible caseload).

77,894 individuals received cash assistance in July

The first round of food assistance was completed on 25 July and the second round was launched on 23 July 2019. A total of 6,620 most vulnerable Palestine refugees received food baskets in July, while 557 non-food items were distributed to Palestine refugees, most of whom are returnees from within Syria or neighboring countries.

6,620 food baskets

UNRWA conducted a health education campaign focusing on promoting psychological health for 41 nurses in Damascus.

557 non-food items (NFIs)

PROTECTION:

UNRWA conducted a review of all Family Support Offices (FSO) in Syria in July, acknowledging the critical support they provide to Palestine refugees through case management, psychosocial and legal support. In July, 440 persons were provided with legal support they provide to Palestine refugees through the six FSOS located in Damascus, Dera’a, Aleppo, Homs, Hama and Latakia.

440 Palestine refugees benefitted from legal assistance

LIVELIHOODS:

In July, results of the national 9th grade exams were announced and the pass rate at UNRWA schools reached 85.03 %, greatly surpassing the national pass rate average of 67.38%. In anticipation of the new academic year, UNRWA distributed new furniture and equipment (PCs for computer labs, science lab chairs, tables, projectors and cabinets) to the newly rehabilitated schools in Damascus and Rif Damascus (Mezzeh, Jaramana, Dummar, Sheineh and Qabtissi).

993 microfinance loans

40% female

1,000 students completed on-the-job training

HEALTH:

A total of 65,668 health consultations were provided to Palestine refugee patients through 22 UNRWA health facilities across Syria while refugee students completed the on-job training at Damascus Training Centre (DTC).

993 youth

5,852 baby and adult diapers

WATER, SANITATION AND HYGIENE (WASH):

UNRWA provided vulnerable Palestine refugees with 5,867 items of WASH assistance including baby diapers, adult diapers, kitchen kits, hygiene kits and Jerry cans. UNRWA also ensured timely garbage collection in all camps.

38,310 female consultations

85.03 % success rate of UNRWA ninth-graders the academic year 2018-2019

NFI

persons receiving cash assistance

persons receiving food assistance

persons receiving NFI & WASH assistance

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$220,796,638

95% of Palestine refugees are in need of resettlement

UNRWA sources of funding

Perspective:

USD 220,796,638 TOTAL FUNDING REQUIREMENTS

11.4% received

Palestine refugees identified as extremely vulnerable

Palestine refugees are in need of resettlement

60% of refugees displayed at least once

Palestine refugees in need of assistance

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