General Context

In Al Hudaydah hub, the Government of Yemen backed by the SLC (Saudi Led Coalition) Forces launched an attack to capture Red sea port city of Hudaydah on 13th June. This resulted in significant displacement in adjacent coastal districts of Ad Durayhimi, Al Marawi'ah, Zabid among others with the displacement of over 20,000 IDP families in Al Hudaydah Governorate over the month.

In Ibb hub, In Taizz, continued fighting in Al Hudaydah forced 1,492 families to flee their homes and settle in the southern districts. It was reported that military groups have mounted checkpoints leading to southern Taizz and are not allowing IDPs particularly from Al Hudaydah to pass through. Many families reported that they cannot afford the cost of transport out of Al Hudaydah as well as being concerned that their homes and shops may be looted or occupied.

In Sana'a hub, clashes in Al Hudaydah coastal areas and Al Bayda also resulted in the displacement to Amran, Dhamar, Sana'a and Amanat Al Asimah. Further the humanitarian situation of the affected population in Marib governorate and the residents of Alkhaniq IDP hosting site in Sana'a governorate significantly deteriorated due to the continuation of armed clashes in nearby areas, access issues, increased waves of displacements and low presence of humanitarian actors.

In Sa'adah hub, new waves of displacement continued to be generated from the front line districts in Sa'adah and Al Jawf, resulting in further increased vulnerability of the affected population as the coping mechanisms of the families are continually eroded.

In Aden and Al Mukala hubs, The ongoing fighting in Al Hudaydah and Taizz frontlines led to large displacements mainly from areas such Hays, Al Khawkhah, At Tuhayat, Ad Durayhimi, Zabid and Bayt Al Faqiah districts in Al Hudaydah governorate and Mawza and Al Wazi'iyah districts in south Taizz to the southern governorates. This is in addition to new influx of displacement from Al Bayda governorate frontlines into areas in Nati' district located between Al Bayda and Bayhan district in Shabwah Governorate.

Recent Situational Developments

The National Shelter/NFI/CCCM Cluster organized two meetings: a general monthly meeting held on 10th of June to present the Cluster strategy for the HPF 2018 (Humanitarian Pooled Fund) First and Reserve allocations and the Shelter Solutions methodology; an ad-hoc meeting held on 4th of June to discuss collaborative partnerships for the Pooled Fund Allocations as part of the Shelter/NFI/CCCM Cluster strategy to improve capacity of Cluster Partners while also improving the reach of the Cluster. An agreement was concluded between the Shelter/NFI/CCCM Cluster, IOM (International Organization for Migration) and the UK's DFID (Department For International Development) for the provision and transport of in-kind assistance of 2,500 NFI kits and 3,000 Family tents to be airlifted through Aden and transported by IOM to priority Governorates for distribution to newly displaced families.

SNCC (Sub-National Cluster Coordinator) in Al Hudaydah hub; the Sub-National Cluster organized their monthly meeting on the 10th of June to discuss the new displacements figures and immediate response to the needs of affected population. To provide an emergency response to the newly displaced families, Transit Sites were established to enable the provision of RRM (Rapid Response Mechanism) kits including Dignity kits, Sanitary kits and dry food rations. Afterwards families were targeted with cash assistance NFI and shelter support.

KEY FIGURES

SHELTER CLUSTER

Total population in need

5.4 million Total population with acute needs

YEMEN

CCCM CLUSTER

2.6 million

Cluster targeted population

3 million

Population assisted (Jan-June)

426,021



PEOPLE ASSISTEED MONTHLY TREND



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National Cluster Co-Chair: Name: Stefano PES Email: <u>co-chair.yemen@sheltercluster.org</u> Phone No.: (+967) 734000385 **SNCC in Ibb hub;** YWU (Yemen Women Union) completed the verification of 601 families in Ibb and 772 families in north Taizz.

SNCC in south Taizz; the Sub-National Cluster held their monthly meeting on the 27th of June to discuss the new displacements and gaps in the response as well as the priorities of the Shelter/NFI/CCCM Cluster for the first HPF 2018 standard allocation. It was agreed that the humanitarian partners including NRC, CARE International, SCI (Save the Children) and others, will conduct assessments and verification for the newly displaced families in Al Ma'afer, Ash Shamayatayn, Al Mawasit, Al Misrakh, Al Mudhaffar, Salh and Al Qahirah districts with 1,492 families verified during the period. The Local authorities reported that there were 2,738 IDP families who fled Al Hudaydah and settled in these districts in south Taizz and verification will continue.

SNCC in Sana'a hub; the Sub-National Cluster monthly meeting was organized on 28th of June to discuss the coordination of response to 12,000 IDP families reported, by the authorities, the identification of a Sub-National Cluster Co-Coordinator, and discuss the priority activities and locations for the HPF 2018 First standard allocation. SNCC provided support for the establishment of the coordination and service provision process and structure in the transit site in Sana'a receiving new IDP families from Al Hudaydah.

These families were displaced from the conflict affected areas in Al Hudaydah.

SNCC in Sa'adah hub; the Sub-National Cluster held their monthly meeting on the 11th of June to discuss the situation of the displaced population affected by the recent flooding in Al Jawf along with the response provided and gaps identified. Additionally Partners were provided with updates on the first HFP reserve and standard allocations for 2018.

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An IDP family who have recently displaced from Al Hudaydah is being assessed by YRCS team in Amran. Photo: YRCS

SNCC in Aden hub; the Sub-National Cluster held their monthly

meeting on the 6th of June to present the Cluster strategy for the HPF 2018 First standard and Reserve allocations. SNCC attended interagency mission to Socotra from 29 May to 4 June to assess the needs of population affected by Mekunu topical cyclone. It was reported that Al Hudaydah authorities in coordination with the authorities in Lahj as well as the High Relief Committee and the Ash Shawkani Foundation for Charity planned to establish camps for IDPs arriving from Al Hudaydah. At the time of reporting, two sites have been established in Al Rebat area (Lahj) and Al Khawkhah district (Al Hudyadah). In Al Rebat site, where some 220 families are currently being hosted. The site in Al Khawkhah was established with support from UAE (United Arab Emirates) and other Gulf-donor countries and there is a plan to host up to 1,500 IDP families. Sub-National Cluster Partners conducted needs assessments and the results confirmed the need for both NFIs and shelter assistance through cash assistance as well as emergency employment and livelihoods support.

Response Overview

Assistance delivered and impact:

Al Hudaydah hub: UNHCR through JAAHD (Jeel Albena Association for Humanitarian Development) completed the distribution of NFIs to 4,772 Internally displaced families and EESKs (Enhanced Emergency Shelter Kits) to 1,476 families in different districts in Al Hudaydah governorate during the reporting period. ACF (Action contra La Faim) assisted 140 families with NFIs in Al Hudaydah governorate. These assistance were provided to most vulnerable families who displaced without any personal belongings ensuring that they could live with their families with some dignity in temporary shelters that offers a secure and healthy living environment.



IDP children feeling happy with the NFIs provided to their family in Al Hudaydah City. Photo: JAAHD/ Hesham Al Akhali

Ibb hub: NFIs distributions completed by UNHCR through YWU for two families in Ibb and north Taizz, BCFHD (Bena Charity for Humanitarian Development) through CHR (Coalition For Humanitarian Relief) assisted 400 families in Ash Shamayatayn district. The families assisted by BCFHD were displaced from Al Wazi'iyah, Salh, Jabal Habashy and Sabir Al Mawadim districts for over a year and they are currently living in IDP Hosting Sites. Cash for rental subsidies were provided by ACTED to 76 IDP families in Al Dhihar, Al Mashannah and Dhi As Sufal districts (Ibb) and 17 IDP families in At Ta'iziyah district (Taizz). UNHCR through INTERSOS assisted 69 families in Ash Shamayatayn. Cash for shelter including rental subsidy provided the families with the option of staying longer in preferred shelter option protecting them from the indignity of being evicted with their families.

Sana'a hub: PIDA (Peace, justice and development ambassadors) and UNHCR through ADRA and YRCS (Yemen Red Crescent Society) completed the distribution of NFIs to 536 families s in Amran and Amanat Al Asimah governorates. ACCESS Foundation for Development and AOBWC (Al-Aman Organization for Blind Women Care) provided cash for rental subsidies to 125 families in Amanat AlAsimah. Marafea Al Yemen distributed EEKs to 55 families in Bani Al Harith district (Amanat AlAsimah). The assistance reinforced the families coping strategies by ensuring access to basic household and shelter needs.

Sa'adah hub: in response to the needs that resulted from the heavy rains and floods in AI Jawf, UNHCR through YARD (Yemen AI Khair for Relief and Development) distributed EESKs to 133 IDP families in AI Saleel Camp, AI Maton district and EESKs to 33 families who were affected by the floods in AI Matammah distrct. UNHCR through YARD provided 3 IDP families with both NFIs and EESKs in Sa'adah City. UNHCR through YDF (Yemen Development Foundation) completed the distribution of essential NFIs to 1,000 families in Ghamr district of Sa'ada in response to waves of displacement arriving on a daily basis due to the continued ground clashes and artillery shelling. Cash for rental subsidies were provided by UNHCR to 2,038 vulnerable families in Sa'ada City and Razih districts (Sa'adah) and 6 most vulnerable families in AI Maslub, AI Humaydat and AI Matammah districts (AIJawf). The distributions and cash grants ensured that the families have sufficient individual, general household, and shelter support means to ensure their health, dignity, safety and well-being.

Aden and Al Mukala hubs: NFIs distributions were completed by UNHCR through HYAC (Al Heikmah Al Yemaniah Association Charity) to 500 families and affected by Mekkunu Cyclone in Socotra and through NMO assisted 223 IDP families in Al Had district (Lahj), 450 families in Hays district and 451 families in Al Khawkhah district (Al Hudaydah), Al Tawasul Foundation for Development assisted 190 families in Socotra and 103 families in Dar Sad district (Aden).



Mekkunu cyclone affected population receiving NFIs kits provided by UNHCR in Socotra. Photo: UNHCR/Esam Alduais & HYAC/Majdi AlQublani

These distributions provided the families with the essential lifesaving assistance to alleviate their suffering and enabled them to access essential NFIs. EESKs were distributed by IOM to 500 families affected by Mekkunu Cyclone in Socotra and NRC assisted 230 IDP and host community families in AI Qabbaytah district (Lahj). The distributions targeted the most vulnerable newly displaced families. Cash for rental subsides provided by UNHCR through INTERSOS to 143 IDP families and 4 host community families in Dar Sad, Ash Shaikh Outhman, AI Mansura, Craiter, Khur Maksar, Attawahi, AI Mualla and AI Buraiqeh districts (Aden) also 105 IDP families and one host community family assisted in Tuban, AI Hawtah, AI Qabbaytah and AI Maqatirah (Lahj). Additionally, SHS assisted 153 IDP families and 47 host community families in Ataq district (Shabwah). The cash grants provided hope to displaced families who are facing eviction after falling behind with accumulated rent. AI Tawasul Foundation provided rehabilitation grants for 47 IDP families whose houses were damaged in Al Mualla district and 9 families in Khur Maksar district (Aden) also Estijabah Network assisted 236 families in Tuban district (Lahj). This assistance allowed these families to rehabilitate parts of their own houses and restart their lives in some dignity.