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# OVERVIEW OF FUNDING NEEDS

UNFPA REGIONAL SYRIA CRISIS RESPONSE

2022

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AS A WOMAN, I WAS SHOCKED BY HOW QUICKLY THINGS  
BECAME WORSE FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS AFTER MORE THAN  
TEN YEARS OF DISPLACEMENT, INJUSTICE, AND LOSS.

— MARAM, a Syrian refugee who accessed gender-  
based violence programming at a UNFPA-supported  
Safe Space





# THE SITUATION - 2022

A close-up portrait of a woman with dark hair, looking off to the side with a serious and contemplative expression. She is wearing a dark-colored top. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

Unprecedented humanitarian needs, the COVID-19 pandemic, a worsening economic crisis, and funding shortfalls converge to create life-threatening challenges for people in need throughout the region.

In March 2022, the Syria crisis entered its 12<sup>th</sup> year, marking another grim milestone for Syrians throughout the region. For women and girls, the cumulative impact has been catastrophic, undoing decades of progress on women's issues and bringing unprecedented risks that have fundamentally altered their realities.

Despite the continuing efforts of humanitarian actors, the situation in Syria remains dire, further complicated by a worsening economy, waves of hostilities and mass displacement, and the lingering aftermath of the COVID-19 pandemic. The crisis remains one of the world's most complex humanitarian and protection emergencies, with 14.6 million estimated in need of assistance, among them 7.2 million women and girls. This reflects a steep increase from the number of people in need reported in 2021 (13.4 million) and in 2020 (11.7 million). Throughout the region, the United Nations and partners have identified nearly 26.5 million people in need of assistance as a result of this crisis, including approximately 12 million refugees and host community members.

When the crisis passed the decade mark in 2021, the world was already a year into the COVID-19 pandemic, and an array of other humanitarian situations were emerging. Among the millions of Syrians who have spent the last 11 years surviving conflict, displacement, economic collapse, and mounting risks to their safety, many feel their calls for help have been increasingly drowned out.

### Women and girls pay the steepest price

The crisis has created a daunting array of challenges for women and girls, who are paying the steepest price of ongoing hostilities, economic collapse, climate-related challenges, among others. The lives of Syrian women and girls are marked by mutually reinforcing forms of gender-based violence and gender discrimination. Highly unequal gender practices, often exacerbated by discriminatory attitudes based on age, displacement status, disability, and/or marital status, create an environment in which women and girls are devalued, controlled, and blamed for the violence they face.

"Violence against women and girls has become so common after the crisis," explains Shaza, an adolescent girl from Qamishli. "Many women in my family are struggling and cannot find the right support. I see more women being beaten by men in their families, and sometimes in public."

Moreover, these risks are further compounded by the deteriorating economy and widespread poverty, lack and loss of livelihoods, destruction and loss of housing and property, protracted and multiple cycles of displacement, substandard living conditions (even for people in areas of relative stability), and shortage of natural

resources. This is further increasing reliance on negative coping mechanisms such as early and forced marriage and sexual exploitation and abuse.

Even more alarming are the reports by women and girls stating that the violence against them has become normalised as a result of years of instabilities. Harassment, intimate partner and family violence, child and forced marriage and subsequent pregnancies, and sexual violence and exploitation are consistently reported, while new trends, such as various forms of technology-facilitated violence, have also been observed in recent years.

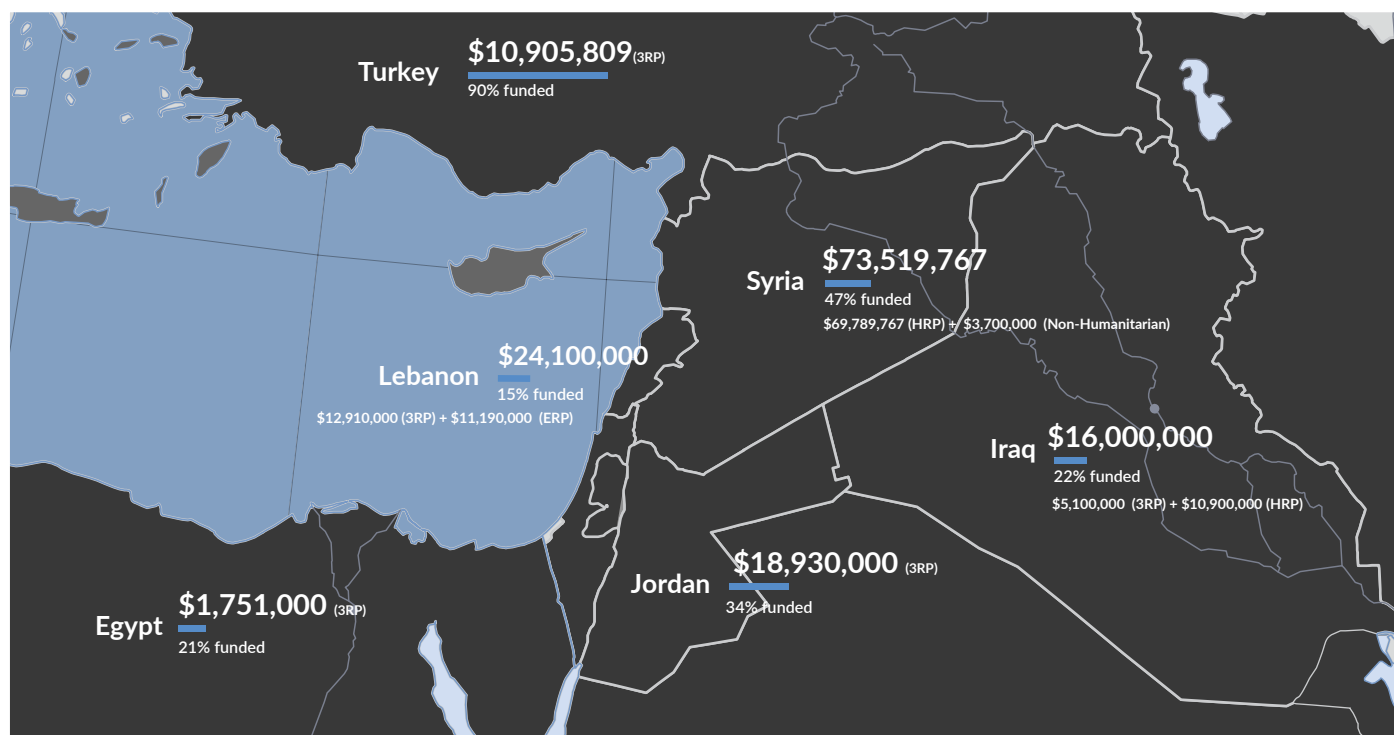
And yet, despite the enormous challenges levelled against them, Syrians throughout the region refuse to give up. People of different ages and backgrounds, including women and girls who have survived gender-based violence, continue to demonstrate remarkable resilience and determination. Many rise above their challenges and traumas to provide better prospects and opportunities for their children and loved ones, while others defy circumstances to become artists, activists, innovators, and influential voices in their communities.

### UNFPA continues to show up

UNFPA and humanitarian actors will continue to advocate for the rights and well-being of women and girls impacted by this crisis. In 2021, as part of its regional response to the crisis, UNFPA delivered SRH services to more than 1.1 million people, while more than 600,000 were reached with services designed to prevent and respond to gender-based violence, including 200,000 adolescent girls. More than 150,000 women were provided with cash assistance, and more than 5,000 LGBTQI+ individuals were served.

In 2022, UNFPA is appealing for a total of USD 145.2 million to fund its regional Syria crisis response, which spans the Whole of Syria, Turkey, Lebanon, Jordan, Iraq, and Egypt.

**This document provides an overview of all appeals relevant to the countries impacted by the regional Syria crisis, including the Regional Refugee and Resilience Plan (3RP), the Syria Humanitarian Response Plan (HRP), the Iraq Humanitarian Response Plan (HRP), and the Lebanon Emergency Response Plan (ERP).**



All figures as of April 15, 2022

### SYRIA CRISIS-SPECIFIC APPEALS

Includes Whole of Syria Humanitarian Response Plan (HRP) and Regional Refugee Response Plan (3RP)

**\$119,416,576**

45% funded

### OVERALL HUMANITARIAN APPEALS

Includes Syria crisis appeal, Iraq HRP, and the Lebanon Emergency Response Plan

**\$145,206,576**

40% funded



## COUNTRY OVERVIEW

# REGIONAL SYRIA RESPONSE

Delivering lifesaving sexual and reproductive health and gender-based violence services to communities in need inside Syria and throughout the region.

## 2022 TOTAL FUNDING NEEDS

	REFUGEE/ HUMANITARIAN	OTHER	TOTAL
<b>SRH</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$34,530,515	\$6,908,494	\$41,439,009
<b>GBV</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$34,473,902	\$10,200,365	\$44,674,267
<b>SUPPLIES / COMMODITIES</b>	\$23,371,300	\$6,000	\$23,377,300
<b>OTHER</b>	\$9,194,000	\$732,000	\$9,926,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$101,569,717</b>	<b>\$17,846,859</b>	<b>\$119,416,576</b>

PERCENTAGE FUNDED  45%

## 2021 ACHIEVEMENTS

AS OF DECEMBER 2021

**105**

WOMEN AND GIRLS'  
SAFE SPACES

**1,158,214**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
SRH SERVICES

**636,894**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
GBV SERVICES

**74,912**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
YOUTH SERVICES

**205,723**

ADOLESCENT GIRLS  
REACHED

**156,134**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
CASH & VOUCHER  
ASSISTANCE





# WHOLE OF SYRIA RESPONSE

UNFPA continues to deliver lifesaving services and support to Syrians in need, including through cross-border operations from Turkey.

## 2021 ACHIEVEMENTS

AS OF DECEMBER 2021

**53**

WOMEN AND GIRLS' SAFE SPACES

**966,656**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH SRH SERVICES

**510,642**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH GBV SERVICES

**49,834**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH YOUTH SERVICES

**174,511**

ADOLESCENT GIRLS REACHED

**154,861**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH CASH & VOUCHER ASSISTANCE

## 2022 STRATEGY

UNFPA in Syria, operating through both its Syria and Turkey Cross-Border offices, continues working to increase the availability of and access to sexual and reproductive health (SRH) services throughout Syria, in addition to providing comprehensive GBV prevention and response services to people in need. Integration of reproductive health and gender-based violence services continues to be expanded through service delivery points and mobile outreach teams, as do efforts to improve the quality of gender-based violence prevention and response activities at women and girls' safe spaces.

UNFPA Syria is prioritising the further integration and expansion of the network of integrated SRH and GBV mobile teams to reach the most vulnerable women and girls in rural areas, camps, and collective shelters as more areas become accessible. A new sub-office is being established in Qamishli to strengthen the overall programme as well as implementation, coordination, and referral pathways. UNFPA Syria will continue to support the UNFPA-World Food Programme cash and voucher assistance joint project to provide support to pregnant and lactating women to purchase food and hygiene items. The menstrual hygiene management project is also being scaled up in 2022 through supported facilities and particularly targeting communities affected by the drought in the north-east. Efforts are being made to enhance linkages with early recovery and resilience initiatives, including investment in youth empowerment and livelihood opportunities for women and young people. The first pilot project in Syria to address social norms and practices to prevent intimate partner violence is being rolled-out in select communities in Aleppo in 2022.

UNFPA Turkey Cross-Border continues to strengthen the integration of quality SRH and GBV services in north-western Syria while continuing to safely provide these essential services in the context of COVID-19. UNFPA also continues to prioritise social inclusion by targeting services and removing barriers for persons with disabilities, older persons and adolescent girls, vulnerable groups, and minor ethnic groups to ensure they have access to services, including in hard-to-reach areas, new displacement camps, and widow camps. UNFPA will continue promoting a protective environment for women and girls through positive community engagement aiming at challenging harmful behaviours and social norms. In addition to supporting localisation by engaging additional local NGOs, particularly women-led organisations, UNFPA is working with partners to ensure they have the relevant technical skills and capacity to lead the response as part of contingency planning, including through partnerships with some international partners. UNFPA Turkey Cross-Border is also promoting resilience throughout the north-west by continuing cash and voucher assistance through individual protection assistance and cash assistance to support case management. Additionally, UNFPA is piloting income-generating activities for women and girls through supported Safe Spaces, which will continue and be scaled-up in 2022.

## 2022 FUNDING NEEDS

	HRP	OTHER	TOTAL
<b>SRH</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$21,625,070	-	\$21,625,070
<b>GBV</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$17,517,397	\$30,000	\$17,547,397
<b>SUPPLIES / COMMODITIES</b>	\$22,251,300	-	\$22,251,300
<b>OTHER</b>	\$8,396,000	-	\$8,396,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$69,789,767</b>	<b>\$30,000</b>	<b>\$69,819,767</b>

PERCENTAGE FUNDED  **49%**

TEN YEARS IS A LONG TIME, ESPECIALLY IN A REFUGEE CRISIS. THINGS HAVE DEFINITELY CHANGED FOR SYRIANS WHO ARE STILL LOST IN THE CRISIS. THERE IS TOO MUCH SUFFERING AND INJUSTICE.

– YARA, a Syrian refugee who accessed gender-based violence programming at a UNFPA-supported Safe Space





## PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHT

# CASH & VOUCHER ASSISTANCE CONTINUES TO ALLEVIATE FINANCIAL STRESS

In 2016, UNFPA joined donors, other UN agencies, and NGOs in its commitment to scale up high quality, well-coordinated cash and voucher assistance (CVA) that maximises results for women, girls, and youth during crises, leaving no one behind.

UNFPA is a member of Grand Bargain Workstream on increasing the use and coordination of cash-based programming, as well as related sub-groups on cash, gender and social protection. In September 2020, UNFPA became a member of the Cash Learning Partnership (CaLP), the central strategic, policy and practice network for CVA linking donors, UN agencies and NGOs, academia, and the private sector. UNFPA and other agencies have developed tools to guide humanitarian actors when designing, implementing, and monitoring CVA to ensure meeting current needs without exacerbating the risks of gender-based violence (GBV). However, gaps remain in terms of experience and evidence with regards to the provision of CVA as part of protection and health programmes and the incorporation of GBV and protection risk mitigation in CVA programming.

UNFPA, with its mandate for GBV and sexual and reproductive health and rights (SRHR) programming in emergencies and as the global lead of the GBV Area of Responsibility (AoR), is uniquely positioned to address these gaps. UNFPA's Humanitarian Office and regional and country offices have already launched a number of programmes and initiatives to strengthen CVA programming and coordination for protection and SRHR outcomes.

A number of studies have shown that cash transfers as part of comprehensive SRHR and gender/GBV programming can contribute to improved access to services, lifesaving emergency obstetric care, and lifesaving safe housing, as well as an increased sense of empowerment and potentially reduced violence for women and young people in a crisis context. UNFPA is currently building the evidence base and disseminating the learning on these themes. In the Arab Region, UNFPA has sought to integrate cash and vouchers into holistic and integrated GBV prevention and response and SRHR programming.

## In the Whole of Syria

The World Food Programme (WFP) and UNFPA have joined forces to support the dietary diversity and health of pregnant and lactating women from vulnerable, food insecure households. This is being achieved through the provision of fresh and nutritious food, hygiene items, nutrition and health awareness, and SRH services. CVA is a core tool for UNFPA's operational delivery, offering women the flexibility required to effectively prioritise their most urgent needs while also promoting the well-being, safety, and dignity of women and girls. Women are now able to choose from a range of nutritious food items and various hygiene products, including sanitary napkins, diapers, soap, shampoo, and various detergents. At the same time, the programme aims to promote the uptake of integrated SRH services and reproductive health rights through awareness and referrals to health centres. Referral pathways to UNFPA-supported facilities are also defined for women and girls when GBV services as required.

In 2021, the UNFPA Syria Country Office reached more than 150,000 people with CVA, with an estimated investment value of USD 5.5 million. In 2022, UNFPA Syria is continuing to partner with WFP on a CVA strategy that is holistically integrated with GBV and SRHR priorities. To keep providing this vital assistance to pregnant and lactating women, an investment of USD 7.7 million is needed over the course of 2022.

Meanwhile, operations in north-western Syria, managed cross-border from Turkey, focused on three priority interventions during 2021: income generating assistance, case funds in the framework of GBV case management, and individual protection assistance. UNFPA's partners continue to use cash assistance in adherence with the guidelines developed and endorsed by the GBV Sub-Cluster in June 2019. Cash assistance is given to a survivor based on the needs of the survivor in the context of their case management and safety plan. Such needs can cover food, clothing, winterisation, medicines, transport, and shelter.





In line with the endorsed guidance, it is mandatory that partners conduct a detailed assessment of risks associated with the use of cash in GBV case management in addition to a mitigation plan of any identified risks. When cash is deemed inappropriate, assistance is provided either in-kind or through payment of services such as transport. The risks are monitored throughout the case management process to ensure that the support has not created harm to the survivor. Post-distribution monitoring (PDM) is conducted by partners in accordance with the PDM tool for cash assistance for GBV survivors.

In 2021, close to 4,500 individuals received some form of CVA support in north-western Syria. UNFPA estimates the needs in 2022 to reach USD 2 million in order to ensure service sustainability, optimise coverage, and scale up income generating activities.

#### **In Lebanon**

UNFPA Lebanon is piloting cash and voucher assistance through its GBV programme, with interventions focused on emergency cash assistance (ECA), recurrent cash assistance (RCA), and cash for transportation (CFT).

Implemented in partnership with six local and international organisations, the assistance is integrated within GBV case management and aims to support survivors who are experiencing immediate and serious GBV risks and to mitigate the risk of intimate partner violence and sexual harassment, exploitation, or abuse. In addition, cash for transport is also provided to facilitate access to care for survivors and women at risk of GBV.

#### **In Jordan**

In 2021, UNFPA Jordan launched a CVA intervention in East Amman, Madaba, and Karak, where cash assistance is integrated into GBV case management services for survivors and women at risk of GBV. The aim of the intervention is for GBV survivors to have the financial assistance necessary to access urgent medical / legal services and accommodations required to avoid imminent risks of violence.

Regular post-distribution monitoring shows a preliminary positive impact, where 82 percent of survivors who received cash assistance saw an improvement in family relationship and ability to respond to needs. The post distribution monitoring is part of the mixed-method evaluation conducted in partnership with the Johns Hopkins Centre for Humanitarian Health.

In 2022, UNFPA Jordan continues to roll out the CVA intervention, broadening the reach to other locations and partners across Jordan. A total investment of USD 360,000 is required in this regard, of which USD 110,000 has been secured.

#### **In Egypt**

UNFPA Egypt will continue to partner with UNHCR, building on the 2020 pilot cash assistance programme that provides both emergency and interim cash assistance to people who are at risk or survivors of GBV. UNFPA is focusing on strengthening the response to GBV and promoting survivor recovery through the provision of emergency and/or safety and recovery assistance packages as part of a holistic case plan. Depending on the individual needs and case plan of each survivor, emergency cash assistance can help to ensure the immediate health, safety, and security of survivors.

In addition, the safety and recovery assistance package will be rolled out in 2022 to promote the ongoing safety and recovery process for survivors and help women and girls transition towards self-reliance, complemented by referrals to livelihoods programming. Both types of cash assistance are being provided to survivors according to their individual GBV response case plan and will be offered in combination with ongoing specialised GBV case management by a partner agency.

Persons facing heightened risk of GBV may also be provided with this assistance as a preventative measure. UNFPA estimates the needs in 2022 to reach USD 400,000 to expand reach into more governorates with significant target population densities.



# EGYPT COUNTRY OFFICE

UNFPA Egypt continues to provide assistance to Syrian refugees in the country, focusing on issues related to gender-based violence.

## 2022 STRATEGY

In 2022 and beyond, UNFPA Egypt and its partners continue to build on existing good practices and national initiatives to combat various forms of gender-based violence through interventions with a two-fold focus: to enhance the quality and efficiency of multi-sectoral specialised GBV services in the medical, legal, and social sectors as per the Essential Services Package, and to invest in raising public awareness, especially among vulnerable communities, on the existing services and how to access them. These interventions are building on UNFPA's tested and successful initiatives in the field of combatting GBV, namely through the support of Safe Women Clinics, currently adopted by the National Council for Women as a national approach to enhance medical response addressing violence against women.

Additionally, the Safe Spaces model in offering comprehensive humanitarian response that includes social inclusion, livelihood opportunities, and GBV case management services will continue to be supported. The most recent national endeavour, the "One-Stop Shop Management Centre," is the third national initiative to be supported by UNFPA Egypt in 2022, aiming to provide women and girls at risk and/or exposed to violence with access to all needed reporting, protection, and referral services under one roof, as per the Prime Minister's decree issued in April 2021.

UNFPA's vision is to ensure accessibility and equal access to specialised public services for all GBV survivors regardless of their identification documents (undocumented migrants, refugees, displaced people), cultural backgrounds (Egyptians and non-Egyptians), and sex (men and women). These efforts include advocacy with government partners, high-level policy discussions, and public awareness campaigns on social inclusion and combatting GBV towards all.

## 2022 FUNDING NEEDS

	3RP	OTHER	TOTAL
<b>SRH</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$400,000	\$125,000	\$525,000
<b>GBV</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$900,000	\$250,000	\$1,150,000
<b>SUPPLIES / COMMODITIES</b>	\$70,000	\$6,000	\$76,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,370,000</b>	<b>\$381,000</b>	<b>\$1,751,000</b>

PERCENTAGE FUNDED  21%

## 2021 ACHIEVEMENTS

AS OF DECEMBER 2021

**10**

WOMEN AND GIRLS'  
SAFE SPACES

**2,018**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
SRH SERVICES

**11,907**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
GBV SERVICES

**3,264**

PEOPLE PROVIDED WITH  
GBV CASE MANAGEMENT

**5,901**

ADOLESCENT GIRLS  
REACHED

**4,099**

REACHED WITH GBV  
AWARENESS





## COUNTRY OVERVIEW

## IRAQ COUNTRY OFFICE

UNFPA Iraq continues to provide essential support to more than 245,000 Syrians currently taking refuge in various locations around the country.

## 2022 STRATEGY

UNFPA Iraq continues the transition from humanitarian to development responses, providing essential, lifesaving multi-sector gender-based violence prevention and response activities and sexual and reproductive health services to host communities, internally displaced persons, refugees, and returnees.

Long-term recovery services will be offered to GBV survivors. In 2022, UNFPA is prioritising livelihoods and cash and voucher assistance interventions for vulnerable populations. Women's shelters and centres are being improved and expanded, while mental health and psychosocial support to GBV survivors and others in need will continue to be offered, with additional training and services being made available throughout Iraq through capacity building efforts. The GBV Information Management System is also being nationalised in 2022.

UNFPA Iraq is also supporting SRH facilities at the community level and in returnee areas, providing an integrated SRH package to internally displaced people, returnees, refugees, and host communities. As part of this effort, UNFPA is working to generate demand for family planning by increasing awareness of methods, commodity availability, and commodity security. Continued capacity building and advocacy for essential SRH services is also being provided.

## 2022 FUNDING NEEDS

	3RP	HRP	TOTAL
<b>SRH</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$800,000	\$800,000	\$1,600,000
<b>GBV</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$2,500,000	\$1,000,000	\$3,500,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,300,000</b>	<b>\$1,800,000</b>	<b>\$5,100,000</b>

PERCENTAGE FUNDED  22%

## 2021 ACHIEVEMENTS

AS OF DECEMBER 2021

**4**

WOMEN AND GIRLS'  
SAFE SPACES

**6,652**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
SRH SERVICES

**2,148**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
GBV SERVICES

**2,116**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
YOUTH SERVICES

**1,754**

ADOLESCENT GIRLS  
REACHED

**2,597**

PEOPLE WITH  
DISABILITIES REACHED





## COUNTRY OVERVIEW

# JORDAN COUNTRY OFFICE

With 1.3 million Syrians nationwide, UNFPA Jordan continues to provide essential services to refugee and host communities.

## 2022 STRATEGY

In 2022, UNFPA Jordan continues to strengthen and expand the provision of essential, lifesaving, and high quality integrated sexual and reproductive health, gender-based violence, and youth prevention and response services for Syrian refugees and vulnerable communities, both within camp settings and in host communities.

UNFPA Jordan is investing in models of excellence for women-friendly health services. Additionally, UNFPA is developing an action plan for the newly endorsed National SRH Strategy and will promote the Essential Services Package and launch the national GBV response plan. Cash and voucher assistance for GBV survivors is being scaled up throughout the country to enable women and girls to meet emergency and basic needs. UNFPA also continues to work with youth in host communities and refugee camps to promote Comprehensive Sexuality Education, build a national coalition on adolescent and youth SRHR and strengthen the Youth, Peace, and Security Agenda. Efforts to enhance social inclusion for persons with disabilities and the LGBTQI+ community are also continuing throughout the year.

UNFPA Jordan is also supporting the 2022 Demographic Health Survey (DHS), which will provide key reference data for Jordan, including on maternal and child health and violence against women. This critical population survey data is used to inform priorities and programmes throughout the five-year cycle. The DHS is being expanded in scope to include refugees (both in camps and host communities) for the first time.

## 2022 FUNDING NEEDS

	3RP	OTHER	TOTAL
<b>SRH</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$7,155,000	\$1,395,000	\$8,550,000
<b>GBV</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$3,994,640	\$4,105,360	\$8,100,000
<b>SUPPLIES / COMMODITIES</b>	\$750,000	-	\$750,000
<b>OTHER</b>	\$798,000	\$732,000	\$1,530,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$12,697,640</b>	<b>\$6,232,360</b>	<b>\$18,930,000</b>

PERCENTAGE FUNDED  34%

## 2021 ACHIEVEMENTS

AS OF DECEMBER 2021

**19**

WOMEN AND GIRLS'  
SAFE SPACES

**112,538**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
SRH SERVICES

**60,399**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
GBV SERVICES

**10,925**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
YOUTH SERVICES

**15,109**

ADOLESCENT GIRLS  
REACHED

**1,328**

PEOPLE WITH  
DISABILITIES REACHED





# LEBANON COUNTRY OFFICE

Despite ongoing instabilities and a collapsing economy, UNFPA continues to provide lifesaving services to people in need throughout Lebanon.

## 2022 STRATEGY

Lebanon continues to respond to various compounding crises, including a collapsing economy, the lack of a functional government, mounting social tensions, fuel and power shortages, and a significant refugee population, all of which are taking place in the midst of an unrelenting pandemic.

In 2022, UNFPA Lebanon continues to respond to escalating needs by providing essential, lifesaving and life-sustaining SRH and GBV services throughout Lebanon to vulnerable host communities and Syrian refugees, and is mainstreaming mental healthcare across all interventions. SRH service delivery continues to be subsidised for the poorest and marginalised populations, and tele-health interventions will be expanded and targeted at those unable to access SRH services in person. UNFPA Lebanon is also working with partners to strengthen networking and community mobilisation through the midwifery workforce and social workers, specifically aiming to ensure safe deliveries for pregnant women, including those with COVID-19.

The nutritional needs of pregnant and lactating women is also a primary focus of interventions in 2022, improving the health and outcomes of both mothers and their newborns. Cash and voucher assistance programmes are also being expanded, focusing on menstrual hygiene management and GBV case management support. UNFPA is providing cash and voucher assistance both through GBV programmes and is piloting a voucher scheme to support access to menstrual hygiene items for the most vulnerable women and girls.

## 2022 FUNDING NEEDS

	3RP	ERP	TOTAL
<b>SRH</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$3,000,000	\$3,000,000	\$6,000,000
<b>GBV</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$3,700,000	\$3,210,000	\$6,910,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$6,700,000</b>	<b>\$6,210,000</b>	<b>\$12,910,000</b>

PERCENTAGE FUNDED  16%

## 2021 ACHIEVEMENTS

AS OF DECEMBER 2021

**15**

WOMEN AND GIRLS'  
SAFE SPACES

**30,022**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
SRH SERVICES

**9,666**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
GBV SERVICES

**1,945**

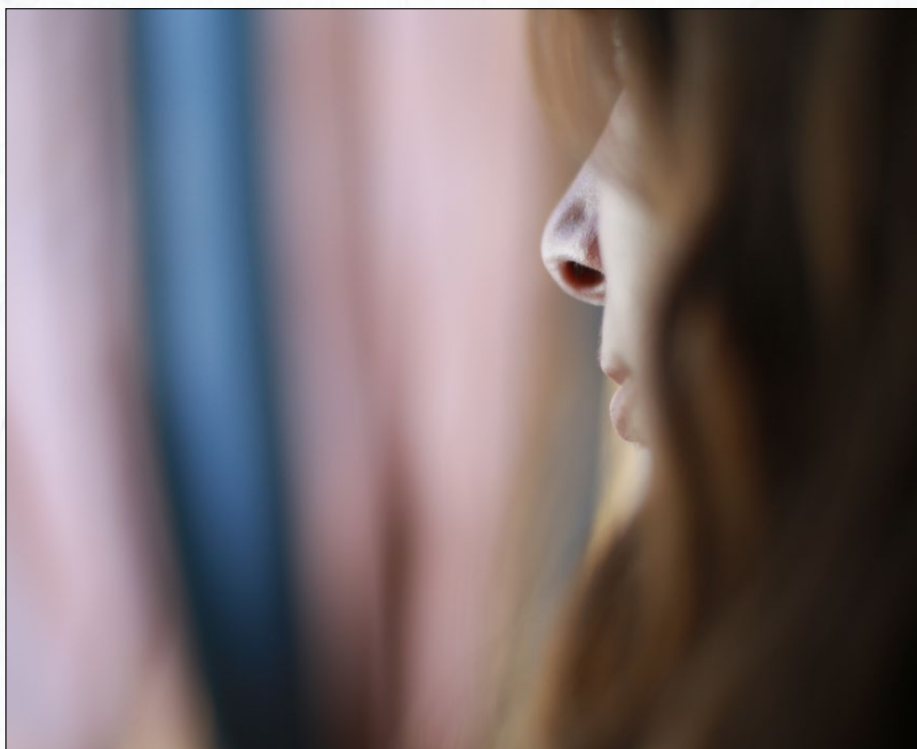
PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
YOUTH SERVICES

**1,781**

ADOLESCENT GIRLS  
REACHED

**1,401**

LGBTQI+ INDIVIDUALS  
SERVED





# TURKEY COUNTRY OFFICE

With the largest number of refugees worldwide, UNFPA continues to provide much needed assistance to displaced Syrians throughout Turkey.

## 2022 STRATEGY

UNFPA Turkey continues to focus on the provision of sexual and reproductive health (SRH) services, capacity building of health service providers on SRH, and provision of SRH commodities. Gender-based violence services, including case management, referrals, and empowerment programmes, are made available to women, girls, youth, and refugees through Safe Spaces and youth centres. UNFPA also remains one of the main providers of dignity kits for women and girls.

Moreover, work will continue in 2022 to support specialised service units with an array of services that span SRH, GBV prevention and response, psychosocial support, and awareness raising activities for key refugee groups such as refugee LGBTQI+ individuals, sex workers, people living with or at risk of HIV, and refugees with disabilities. To adapt to the needs emerging due to COVID-19, UNFPA Turkey's service providers are prioritising awareness raising activities on COVID-19 among beneficiaries through regular information sharing, primarily via phone, online group sessions, and using social media. UNFPA is also conducting regular supervision and coordination meetings for personnel of all service units and implementing partner managers to enable experience and information sharing between all partners and strengthen their capacities for better service provision.

In addition, UNFPA Turkey has been supporting COVID-19 contact tracing, sampling, and vaccination services as well as SRH, GBV, and mental health counselling via ten mobile health units in two provinces formed under the "Promoting Innovative Service Provision Models to Support the Health System Response to COVID-19" project, which was effectively launched in May 2021. Through this project, 6,000 people receive such services on a monthly basis, and continuing this initiative after the grant ends in March 2022 will be essential to the communities benefiting from these activities.

## 2022 FUNDING NEEDS

	REFUGEE	RESILIENCE	TOTAL
<b>SRH</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$1,550,445	\$1,588,494	\$3,138,939
<b>GBV</b> SERVICES, INFORMATION, AND COORDINATION	\$5,861,865	\$1,605,005	\$7,466,870
<b>SUPPLIES / COMMODITIES</b>	\$300,000	-	\$300,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$7,712,310</b>	<b>\$3,193,499</b>	<b>\$10,905,809</b>

PERCENTAGE FUNDED  90%

## 2021 ACHIEVEMENTS

AS OF DECEMBER 2021

**4**

WOMEN AND GIRLS'  
SAFE SPACES

**22,718**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
SRH SERVICES

**41,799**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
GBV SERVICES

**9,810**

PEOPLE REACHED WITH  
YOUTH SERVICES

**6,667**

ADOLESCENT GIRLS  
REACHED

**3,502**

LGBTQI+ INDIVIDUALS  
SERVED







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