



*Left: Core relief items distribution in Damascus City, Credit: UNHCR.*

*Right: Core relief items distribution in, Aleppo City, Credit: UNRWA.*

## COORDINATION

- MSNA 2023:** as multi sectoral need assessment couldn't be conducted in 2023, shelter and NFI [SNFI] sectors adopted a hybrid methodology to determine humanitarian needs for 2024. The process includes: 1) determining preliminary [2023] needs by integrating MSNA 2022 into the 'Shelter Severity Classification [SSC]' framework, 2) overlaying Syria Earthquake Rapid Needs Assessment [SERNA] and EQ intensity [Richter scale] on SSC outcome and 3) validating the revised outcome through an expert panel members identified across the country via Delphi Methodology.
- SHF 1<sup>st</sup> Standard Allocation:** An envelope of USD 30M is allocated to meet critical humanitarian needs in underserved areas for the impending 2023-24 winter season. The allocation adopted a multisectoral approach with an aim to address early recovery/resilience needs by assigning USD 10M to emergency life-saving winterization response and UDS 20M to enhance the resilience of communities/ HHs. NFI sector was assigned USD 2M for life-saving emergency interventions.
- Deir-ez-Zor Contingency Plan:** To address the humanitarian needs resulting from the hostilities in Deir-ez-Zor region, Inter-Sector Coordination [ISC] coordinated with relevant stakeholders and developed multiple scenarios. As per the most likely scenario [#1] 200,000 people are estimated to be affected with more 61,000 people being displaced. NFI sector response focussed on preparedness [by mobilising contingency stock] and response to displaced people with life-saving core NFIs. The contingency plan is envisaged to meet the needs of the affected people within three months of the start of confrontations.
- Updated sector catalogue:** Catalogue is aimed at providing direction to sector partners on the minimum standards/ specifications of NFIs that should be adhered to while planning and implementing NFI response across Syria. Items described in the catalogue are based on the global technical standards and market availability of locally sourced items. A technical working group (task force) was formed on 15 August to review the proposed specs and unit costing.

## RESPONSE

- Core NFI Response:** During 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter, sector partners reached over 160K vulnerable people with provision of Core NFIs across 12 Governorates, with Aleppo & Deir ez-Zor being the areas with highest coverage. The total funding requirement for Core NFI interventions in 2023 stands at USD 196M.
- Winter 2023-24 Planning:** The sector has initiated planning for provision of lifesaving and life sustaining winter NFIs to overcome hard weather conditions. It is estimated that 2.7M people would need winter NFIs during 2023-24 with the sector's capacity being acutely limited to meet these critical needs.

## GAPS / CHALLENGES

- The difficult economic conditions continue pose significant challenges to the sector partners particularly in planning and procuring.
- Access and safety continue to be challenges in some parts of the country as well as partner capacity and funding.

## KEY FIGURES



Sector Partners (Appealed / Reported)  
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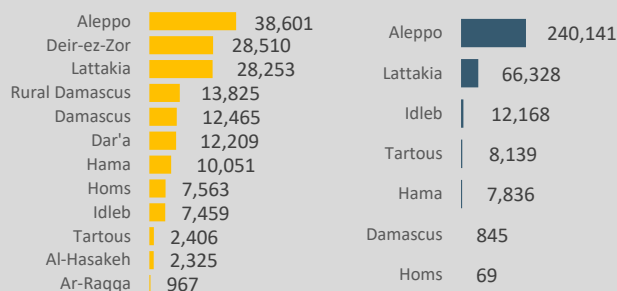
Core NFI  
PiN & Target  
3.6M & 1.4M

Earthquake Response  
FA/Emergency Target  
22,053

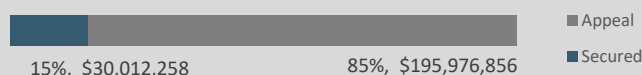
**CORE NFIs**  
Reached\*: 160,706  
Assisted: 3,928

**Emergency NFIs**  
Reached: 119,867  
Assisted: 161,134

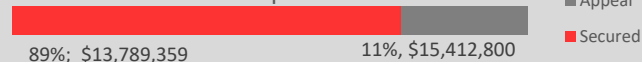
## TOTAL BENEFICIARIES BY GOVERNORATE



## HRP fund status



## Earthquake fund status



*\*Individuals reached with NFIs decreased due to excluding UNRWA Cash interventions as they are MPCA and not sectoral.*

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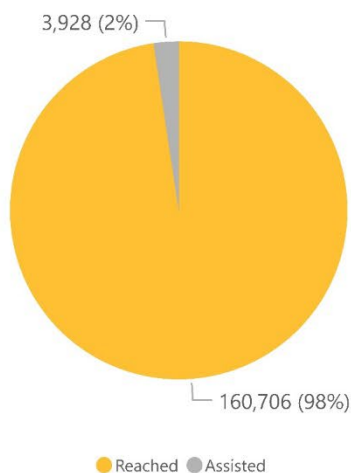
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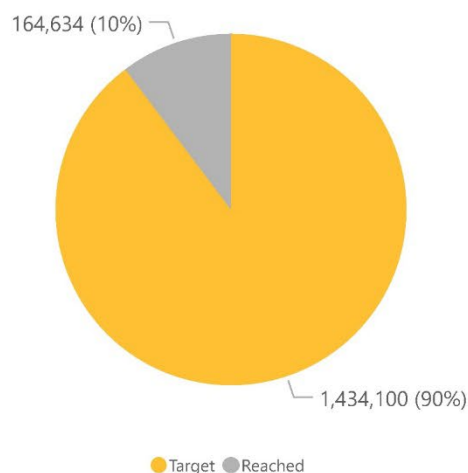
## NFI Sector – Regular Response

Quarter 3 2023

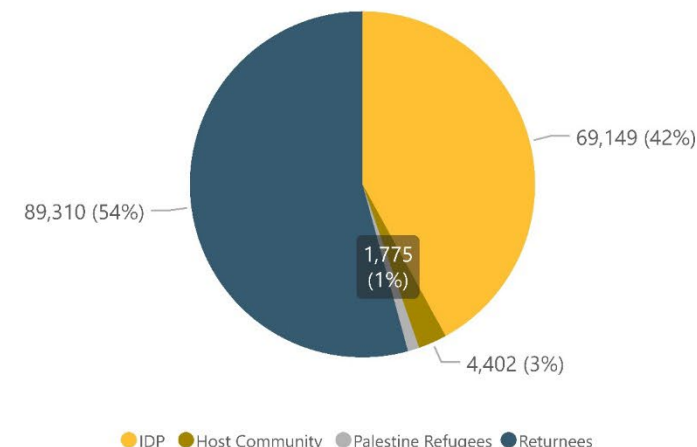
Individuals reached & assisted with CORE NFIs



Individuals reached vs targeted with CORE NFIs



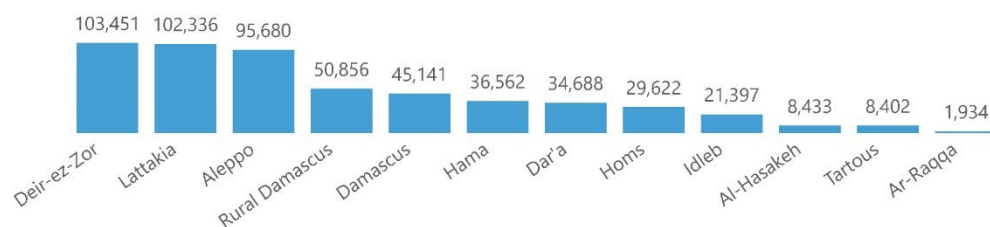
Individuals reached by cohort



Provision of NFI's based on activity and classification of items

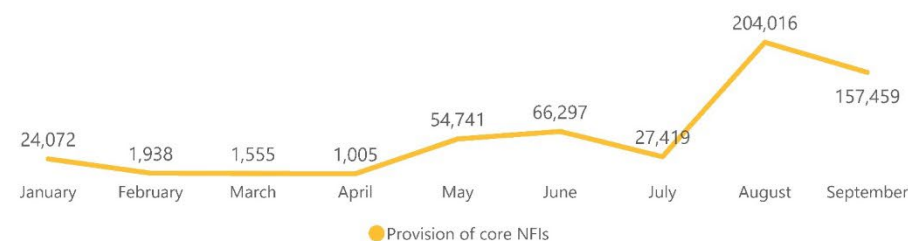


NFIs distributed per governorate\*



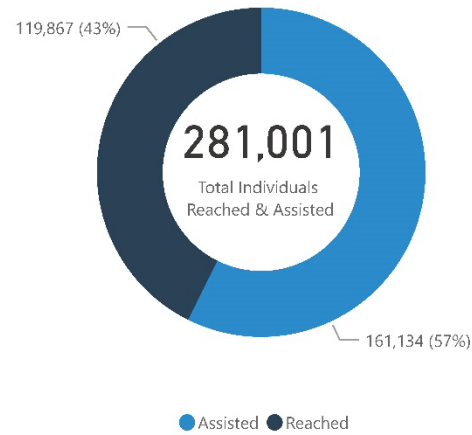
\*both Core and Winter NFIs.

NFIs distributed per month

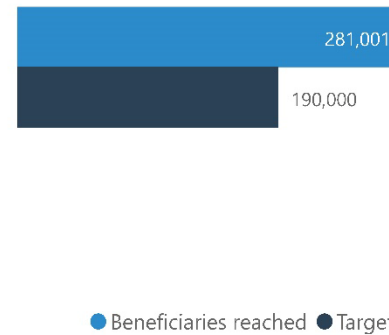


Note: the data is representative of only prioritised and supplementary items identified in the NFI Sector Strategy.

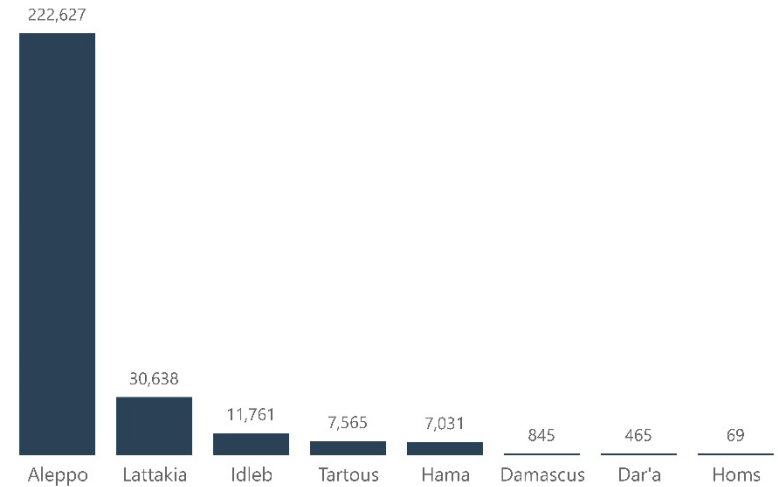
Individuals reached & assisted with Earthquake response



Beneficiaries reached and Target



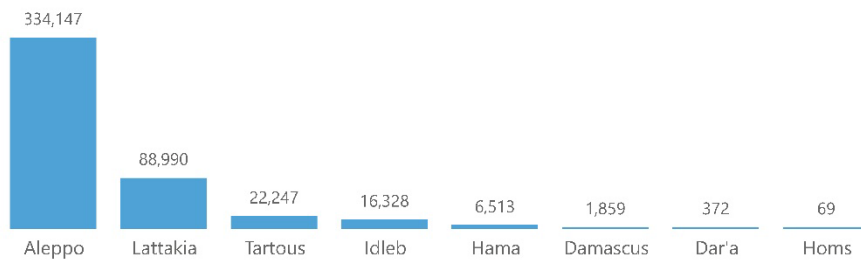
Individuals reached per governorate



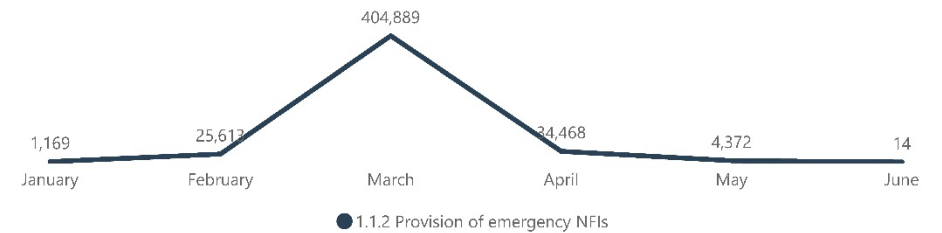
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NFIs distributed per governorate



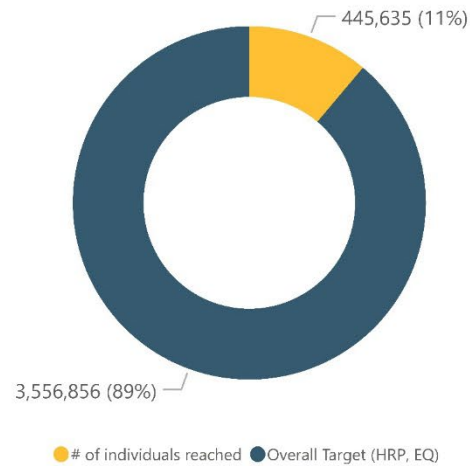
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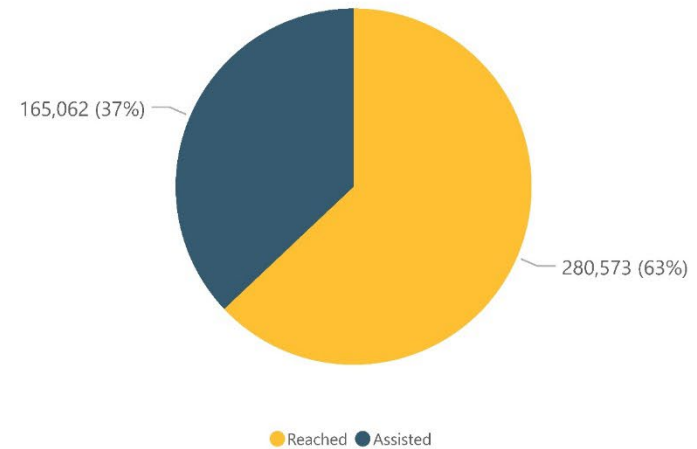
## NFI Sector – Regular & Earthquake Response

Quarter 3 2023

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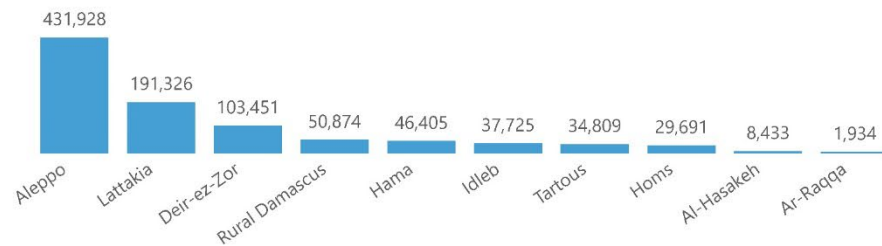
Individuals reached & assisted with HRP - EQ



HRP & EQ - Provision of NFI's based on activity and classification of items



HRP & EQ - NFIs distributed per governorate\*



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HRP & EQ - NFIs distributed per month

