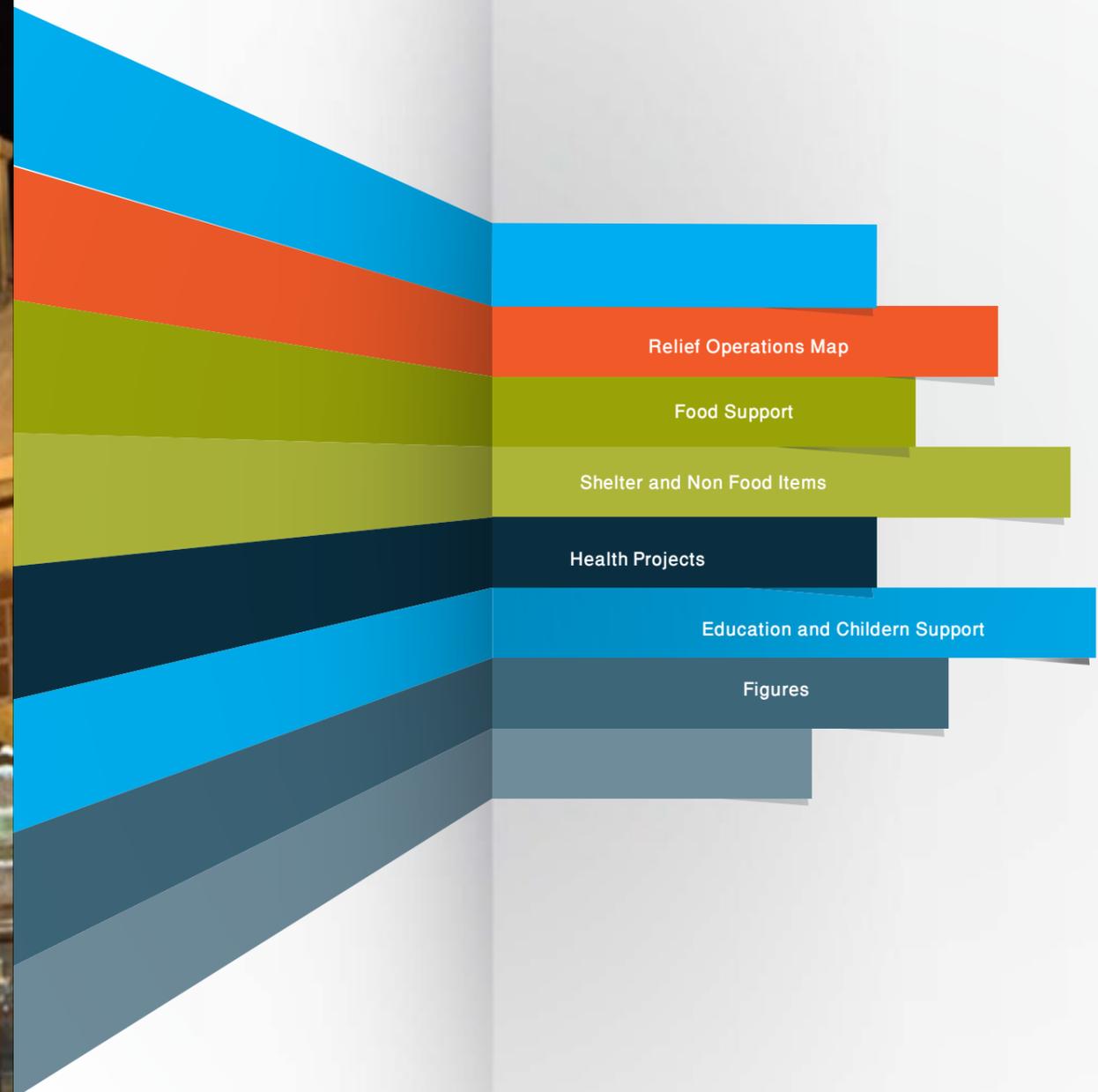


Qatar Charity Relief Operations for Syrian Refugees and IDP's

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The Charter for International Humanitarian Law and other international rules emphasize the need to provide and guarantee the fundamental rights of the victims of disasters and conflicts, asserting “the right to a decent life, the right to access to humanitarian assistance and the right to protection and security” , that “the people have a right to get food aid to ensure their survival, and preserve their dignity and prevent the erosion of their property and enhance their steadfastness “ . However, the reality of Syrian displaced persons and refugees is far different.

Thousands of Syrians suffer a severe food crisis, especially those displaced within the country. This situation is exacerbated by damaged water distribution networks, power outages and fuel scarcity which stopped the production of vital bakeries.

In a bid to contribute to the alleviation of the food crisis QC has implemented a number of quality food projects, and, thanks to God Almighty, 209,880 people have benefited; the majority of whom are displaced within Syria. The estimated cost of these projects was QAR 21,514,145, which is equivalent to 24% of the total QC spent for the benefit of the Syrian people.

Food programs included the following projects and activities:

1. Food items distribution
2. Distribution of canned meat
3. Distribution of dates
4. Support for bakeries
5. Seasonal projects (Feeding the Fasting (Iftar) and Qurbani)

Humanitarian Charter

Sphere Project: Minimum Standards in the field of Humanitarian Response



Seasonal Projects (Iftar and Qurbani)

Considering the suffering experienced by the Syrian people, QC has used the religious rituals and celebrations to help thousands of Syrians celebrate Ramadan and the sacrificial feast inside Syria, Jordan and Turkey, at a total cost of QAR 793,260. Three thousand one hundred people benefitted.



Food support





Distribution of canned meat

In conditions of instability and insecurity, movement is difficult, meaning that displaced persons and refugees are having great difficulty cooking their food, even if it is available. To meet this challenge and to facilitate the arrival of aid to those in need, QC follows practical and effective methods, including a focus on the distribution of canned ready to eat sacrificial meat. This meat is shipped from Saudi Arabia to Malaysia, where it is canned, and then shipped to Syria via Turkey. Around 40,000 people have benefited from this project at a cost of QAR 2,000,000.



Distribution of Dates

Using a generous donation by the National Food and Agricultural Marketing Company, QC managed to ship 250 metric tons of high quality dates valued at QAR 2 million to beneficiaries inside Syria through the Turkish borders. 41,132 people benefited from this project which contributed to alleviating the suffering of our Syrian brothers and sisters.





Support for Bakeries

The current events in Syria have led to a huge failure in public services. The country has witnessed a shortage in most basic commodities including flour and bakeries' fuel. In collaborating with field partners, QC supplied bakeries in Aleppo and Idlib with Mazout to enable them to produce enough supply of bread. The total cost of this project amounted to QAR 1,095,000, benefiting 6000 people

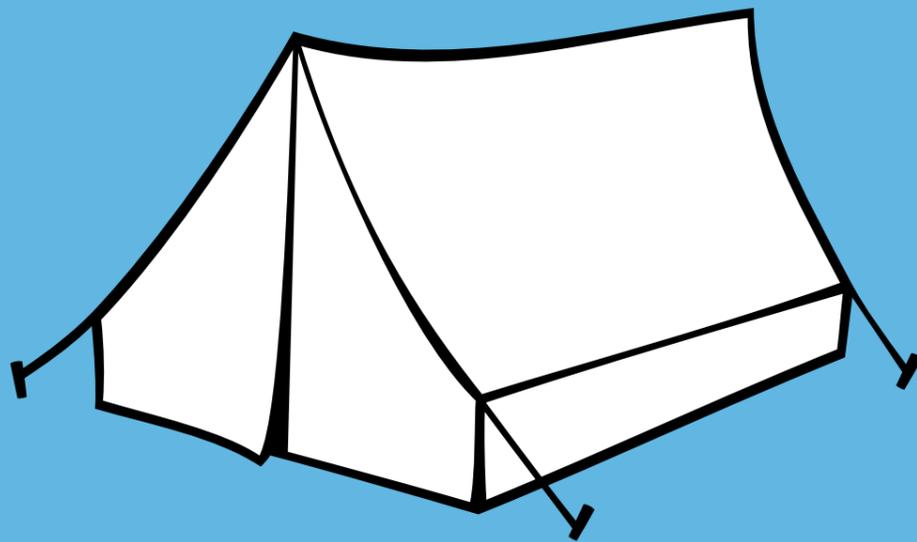


Distribution of canned meat



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Creating camps



Food support

Support for Bakeries





إنشاء المخيمات



Creating camps

Since the beginning of the events QC, in collaboration with its partners in the field, has battled to house displaced Syrian families who have fled their homes in order to escape the indiscriminate shelling. QC has established a number of camps inside Syria; one next to the 'Bab Al-Salamah' crossing, another in 'Atma' near 'Bab Al-Hawa' crossing, and a third in the 'Khirbat al-Ghazal' region, benefitting more than 6,960 displaced people at a cost of .QAR 5,396,286



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Non-food items



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The suffering of the Syrian people continues through winter and summer, as the displaced shelter in tents that fail to protect them from the heat or cold. In light of their suffering QC established a series of model villages of prefabricated houses began with 'Qatar Charity' village in Sejo, near the city of Azaz, at a cost of QAR 1,520,060. The project has benefitted 600 people, helping Syrian families to remain in their land instead of seeking asylum which would aggravate their suffering



Warm winter



Non-food items

The high number of displaced persons and refugees fleeing from their homes, which have been destroyed either partially or completely, has led to a growing need to provide food and non-food items to those who are staying in makeshift camps. QC has provided aid to 71, 471 such people, including blankets, mattresses and cooking equipment at a cost of QAR 12,725,360. The projects were focused on internally displaced persons



Eid Clothing



Warm winter

High numbers of refugee and displaced Syrians are suffering a rapidly deteriorating humanitarian situation. Their suffering was increased by the harsh winter weather as people sheltered in tents, unable to protect them from the cold, rain and wind for the second consecutive year.

In response to these difficult circumstances, QC launched its Warm Winter campaign, providing aid to help displaced Syrians survive the winter. QAR 2038,515 was allocated for the provision of blankets, mattresses and heaters, benefiting around 18,391 people.



Supplies for the summer



Eid Clothing

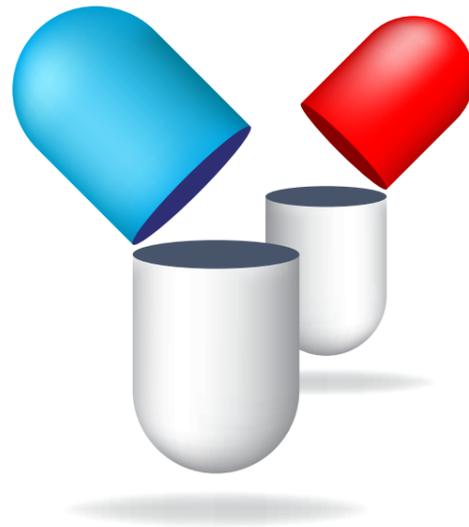
To alleviate the suffering of asylum and displacement, QC has helped thousands of Syrian children and their families celebrate Eid days along with the rest of us. QC has distributed Eid clothing for Syrians for two consecutive years now, benefitting around 6,990 people, mostly women and children, at a cost of QAR 1.5 million. Beneficiaries included Syrians displaced within the country as well as those in Lebanon and Jordan.



Supplies for the summer

Summer increases the suffering of refugees and displaced Syrians who have no shelter from the heat; living in camps and temporary housing that lack the most basic of facilities. QC has provided a number of fans, refrigerators and other supplies, at a cost of QAR 1,609,461 benefitting 10,500 refugees and .displaced people

Medical aid





Treatment for Leishmaniasis

Since the cessation of public and sanitation services, huge solid waste piles of waste and large ponds of sewage have become hotbeds for insects in most Syrian cities, resulting in the spread of diseases among citizens, especially leishmaniasis, cholera and hepatitis C. 100,000 people have been infected by leishmaniasis in all Syrian governorates. In response to this epidemic, QC launched a campaign from the village of Trmanin, Idlib and the village of Jema, Atarab in Aleppo to treat 40,000 cases of leishmaniasis.



Medical aid

The current events in Syria have led to serious deterioration in health conditions due to near complete breakdown of the health system. As a result, diseases and epidemics have spread among people who have no access to primary health services. This has been further exacerbated by the inability of treating wounded people, some of whom are gravely injured and left to face disability or death from their untreated wounds. World Health Organization's statistics show that "57% of public hospitals have been destroyed completely, 37% stopped working and 20% are partially destroyed". UN estimates that "more than 80,000 people killed and more than 400,000 people injured since March 2011"

In performance of its humanitarian duty, QC has given great attention to medical aid. So far, 149,334 people have benefited from such aid at a total cost of QAR 24,955,064, equivalent to 30% of the QC's aid to the Syrian people to date.

QC's medical aid and activities included:

- Distribution of ambulances
- Treatment of the wounded
- Treatment of Leishmaniasis
- Training of paramedics
- Installation of artificial limbs
- Provision of medicines and medical supplies
- Mobile clinics

Treatment for Leishmaniasis



Treatment for Leishmaniasis



Training of Paramedics

In view of the increasing numbers of injured people, the destruction of hospitals and the near complete breakdown of the health system, QC in collaboration with its field partners organized a training course for 100 Syrian youth on the basic principles of first aid. QC also provided a medical bag to each trainee. 18,000 injured people are expected to benefit from this project, at a total cost of QAR 365,000.



Treatment for Leishmaniasis



Installation of Artificial Limbs

According to the UN estimates more than 400,000 Syrian people have been injured, thousands of whom have lost limbs and others have suffered from serious injuries to their backbone, neck, face or eyes. Despite the high cost of such projects, QC decided to restore hope to the sufferers of such grave injuries. 35 people have benefited from this project at a total cost of QAR 365,000.



Training of Paramedics





Provision of Medicines and Medical Supplies

57% of public hospitals have been destroyed completely and 37% stopped working resulting in almost complete breakdown of the health system. According to World Health Organization' statistics the local production of medicines has plummeted by 90%, causing serious aggravations to wounds of the injured. To meet the medical needs of the Syrian people, QC allocated QAR 17,001,468 for the provision of medicines and medical supplies, equivalent to 20% of its total expenditure for the benefit of affected people from the current crisis in Syria. Estimated 79,739 people have benefited from this project.



Installation of Artificial Limbs





Ambulances

Hundreds of thousands of Syrians have been injured due to brutal bombardment and violence. Most of the wounded are deprived from treatment and their injuries worsen as time passes, making timely access to health services a matter of life or death. Therefore, there was a great need for transporting critical cases to hospitals and health centers in Turkey, Lebanon and Jordan. Thus, QC purchased 9 ambulances, 6 of which went inside Syria, 2 to Lebanon and 1 to Jordan. 29,500 people benefited from this project, at a total cost of QAR 930,480.



Provision of Medicines and Medical Supplies





Treatment of the wounded

Many Syrian people have suffered various degrees of injuries due the indiscriminate shelling of residential areas. These people are in desperate need of treatment. Therefore, QC signed contracts with private hospitals in Jordan to provide treatment to the seriously injured Syrians. 12,030 people benefited from this project at a total cost of QAR 4,845,070.



Ambulances





Mobile Clinics

In efforts to bring medical services closer to the Syrian refugees, QC in collaboration with its field partners organized mobile clinic tours providing basic medical services to refugees. 8,030 refugees have benefited from this project in Lebanon and Turkey at a total cost of QAR 1,367,746.

World Health Organization – 9th April 2013

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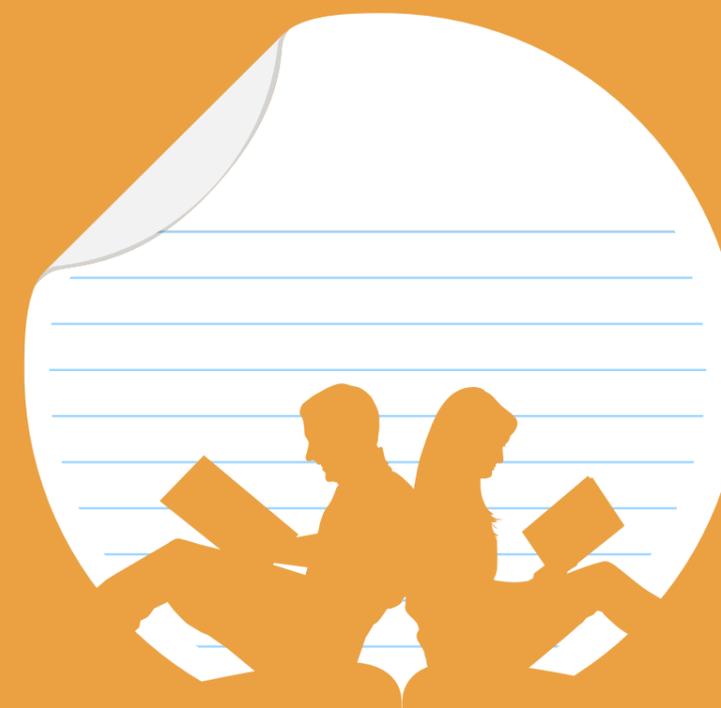
Treatment of the wounded



Support for schools



Education and childhood support





Orphan sponsorship



Support for schools

The devastation suffered by schools and educational institutions across Syria has forced the majority of young Syrians to stop their education, prompting QC to focus on support for students and teachers.

QC has provided support for approximately 28,708 students and teachers inside Syria, as well as Syrian refugees in Lebanon and Turkey. The projects were valued at QAR 4,265,353.



Support for children and the elderly



Orphan sponsorship

Orphans are among the most vulnerable members of any society and have been badly hit by the situation in Syria. Many families have lost their breadwinners and are now facing considerable fear and insecurity. QC currently sponsors 1,500 orphans inside Syria, providing them and their families with support amounting to .QAR 5,256,000 during the past period



Figures

Medical aid

	Project	Amount	Beneficiaries
1	Ambulances	930,480	29,500
2	Treatment for Injured People	4,845,070	12,030
3	Leishmania	80,300	2,000
4	First Aid Training	365,000	18,000
5	Artificial limbs	365,000	35
6	Provision of Medicine and Medical Equipments	17,001,468	79,739
7	Mobile Health Clinics	1,367,746	8,030
	Total	24,955,064	149,334

Total aid and beneficiaries

Total	81,915,029
Beneficiaries	508,044



Support for children and the elderly

Children, women and the elderly suffer most during crises and disasters due to their fragility and lack of ability to withstand stress resulting from harsh conditions. QC, in collaboration with its partners in the field, has designed a number of programs and projects aimed at providing psychosocial support and alleviating the psychological trauma of Syrian children and the elderly. Around 3,710 people benefitted from these programs which were carried out at an estimated cost of QAR 1,134,785.



Distribution of Food Items			
	Project	Amount	Beneficiaries
1	Food items	17,505,435	119,648
2	Canned Meat	2,000,000	40,000
3	Dates	120,450	41,132
4	Backries	1,095,000	6,000
5	[Seasonal Projects (Iftar and Addahi	793,260	3,100
		21,514,145	209,880

Education Support			
	Project	Amount	Beneficiaries
1	Education Support	4,265,353	28,708
2	Children and Elderly Support	1,134,785	3,710
3	Orphans Support	5,256,000	1,500
	Total	10,656,138	33,918

Shelter projects and distribution of non-food items			
	Project	Amount	Beneficiaries
1	Non Food Items	12,725,360	71,471
2	Tents	5,396,286	6,960
3	Demountable Houses	1,520,060	600
4	Eid Clothing	1,500,000	6,990
5	Summer	1,609,461	10,500
6		2,038,515	18,391
	Total	24,789,682	114,912