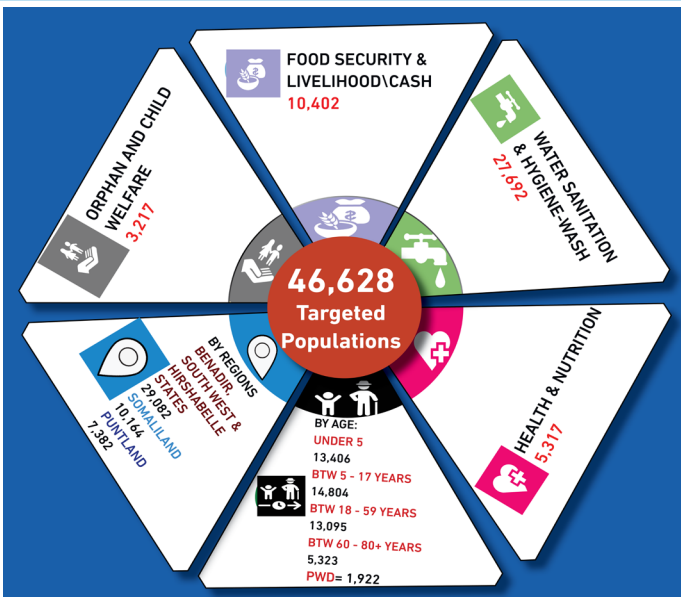


Islamic Relief supported a total of 46,628 targeted population through WASH, Food Security & Livelihood, Cash Transfers, Health Intervention, Orphan & Child Welfare programme

Humanitarian Highlight In Somalia

- Bay and Bakool are the most affected areas with over one million people affected by drought, including 109,680 who are facing catastrophic levels of food insecurity, and 145,931 people who have been displaced.
- The situation has deteriorated in the eight districts that moved from OPA3 to OPA2, one in Awdal (Lughaya), two in Bari (Bandarbayla, Bossaso), one in Middle Shabelle (Balcad), two in Sool and Sanaag (Caynabo, Ceel Afweyn), one in Togdheer (Sheikh) and one in Waqooyi Galbeed (Gabiley). Over 671,000 people in these eight districts are affected by drought. At more than 298,000, Banadir has the highest number of people displaced by drought.
- Adan Yabaal, Cadale, Iskushuban and Taleex districts in Middle Shabelle, Bari and Sool regions have moved from OPA 2 to OPA 3 due to high inter-cluster response reach, lower displacement and lower levels of food insecurity.
- United Nations humanitarian chief Martin Griffiths has released US\$10 million from the Central Emergency Response Fund (CERF) to ramp up emergency aid in Somalia, which is looking into the abyss after its worst drought in 40 years.
- Islamic Relief is currently responding with provision of food packs for 316HHs, Construction of 30 Latrines, Shelter for 50HH and installation of 10 street lights in Baidoa.

IN SUMMARY



FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOOD

- Through SELL project, IR distributed 105 bunches of animal feed to 17 livestock beneficiaries in Borama, to improve animal productivity and consequently increased returns on investment.
- 40 Orphan families from 2 SHGs were given a Livestock marketing training, the training was mainly on basics of strategies to livestock marketing success and other essential components of the production and marketing process including: estimating production costs. The training topics included: Theories of demand, supply and cost, Concept of market, Dynamics of market structure (production pattern, demand pattern, price pattern), Internal and external trade of livestock (live animal) and livestock products (meat, milk, hides etc.). Opportunities, challenges and constrains in Production, marketing and trading of Livestock and livestock products.
- 100 Self Help Groups Committees (Chair lady, Vice-chair, Sectary, Accountant, and Cashier) from 20 groups were given 2 days capacity building for Apex body. This capacity building was aimed to improve the knowledge of the management committees to be able to manage their groups and finally to improve business. During the training, the participants have learned: Definition of Leadership, Management, and Supervision, Components of Management, Core Skills of Management, follow up VSLA record keeping, practical section about group management including Active Learning & Discussion.

- IR Distributed high quality electrical sewing machines to over 15 widowed mothers in Borama, to help them generate sustainable income by sewing clothes, bags, handicraft etc. This self-help initiative also aids the women to rebuild their lives with self-confidence and dignity within the community.
- 30 women Cooperative Groups received small Business injection Cash from Islamic Relief while the money was sent through ZAAD service of Telesom Company. Each woman received 200 dollars under the supervision.
- The PFBR project established three cooperative groups in the villages of Bulahar, Ceel lahelay, and Dheenta. The cooperative groups included 30 women from Dheenta village, 40 people from Bulahar district (13 females and 27 males), and 40 people from Ceel-lahelay (10 females and 30 males). Following the establishment, selected cooperative groups were trained in cooperative definition, types, objectives, cooperative formation, cooperative membership, cooperative process membership, success factors for membership commitment, and cooperative governance. The goal of this training was to provide technical/professional support to the project team in the project preventing famine and building community resilience (PFBR) in facilitating and capacitating milk and prosopis julifera Briquette making cooperatives groups.

- 110 people (53 female and 57 men) of cooperative milk groups and briquette production in Dheenta, Bulahar and Ceel lahelay received entrepreneurship and business skills training. The training covered: fundamentals of a successful business, management skills, participatory marketing, and cooperative business management.
- Training of women groups (IGA/VSLA) on Business development and shop management in Banadir Daynile, Balcad districts for 200 Males & 400 Females.
- Training on women association for IGA For 2 IDPs Women Groups 3 and each consist of 10 members HHs who are IDPs In a Balcad benefiting (134 Male, 133 Female)
- Unconditional Cash transfer beneficiary 267HHs (800 Male, 802 Female) received the Second Cycle in Baidoa/ Dinsor.
- IRS established and trained one VSLA Group (7 members, 5 female and 2 male) in Burtinle District



Construction of a kiosk, water tank, pipeline extension and solar installaion of Sallay village in Somaliland



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Distribution of high quality electric sewing machines to over 15 members of widowed mothers in Borama, Somaliland

HEALTH

- Provided consultations of non- communicable diseases such as Pneumonia, Malaria, Diarrhea, Skin Conditions, Injury Care and Urinary Tract Infections, Sexually Transmitted Infections among others in women, men, boys and girls in Benadir and Balcad for 1,853 Male and 2, 575 Female.
- Provided Maternal health services -Antenatal care services at the health facility in Banadir - Daynile & Shibis and Balcad - Middle Shabelle for 678 Females.
- Provided Maternal health services - Postnatal Care at the health facility in Banadir and Balcad - Middle Shabelle for 167 Females.
- Supported Immunizations targeting vaccine preventable diseases provided to children under five (BCG, Polio, Penta, Measles, etc.) in Benadir & Daynile for 257 Male and 264 Female.



Provision of health support to the vulnerable patients in Mogadishu, Somalia



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WASH

- 316HHs (M-1,014, F-882) have received hygiene kits such as Three 20 Litre jerry cans and 3pcs of quality soap for two villages, Ismail Hussein and Bali Gorod, in Togdheer region.
- Conducted COVID-19 and hygiene awareness campaigns for the community members for 1,014 Males & 882 Females in Burao.
- Rehabilitation of non-functional water schemes so as to increase supply of clean water for livestock and humans in Ceel-lahley, Bulahar, sallay and Boodale Reaching 190 Male and 240 Female
- Establishment and training of 15 water management committees (9 Male,6 Female). The WMC include women, youth and PWD representatives in Burao and Buhodle.
- Completed rehabilitation of strategic Boreholes that will benefit 3,334 HHs (20,000 individuals excluding double counting) in the target area. The water intervention will rehabilitate three strategic boreholes in Buhodle and one in Burao to serve the target villages. The project will equip the boreholes, upgrade their structures, and install solar water pumping systems products. They were taught basic skills.
- Construction of 100 latrines for vulnerable drought-affected households in Gargaar1 & 2 IDPs in Balcad reaching 1797 Male,1803 female.
- Construction of semi-permanent shelter for 50 HHs (180 Male,120 Female) in Balcad IDP camp.
- Hygiene kit distribution (complete kits of hygiene items) to 1,500 HHs in Balcad IDPs for 5,538 Male, 5,547 Female.
- NFI distribution to vulnerable communities in Balcad for 366 Males and 385 Females.
- Construction of 10 flood proof Latrines in Towfiq IDP Camp in Jowhar for 190 Male ,110 Female.
- IRS successfully completed rehabilitation of the shallow wells in Dhuur and Adayo villages for 3,340 droughts effected HHs (8,040 Male,12,000 Female)
- 2 months of water trucking was successfully completed for 4,000 drought affected people (1,200 Male-1,800 Female) in Jalam, Bandarsalam, Balikhayr, Lacle and Cillale villages benefited from this intervention.



Distribution of livestock fodder to 17 rightholders in Borama, Somaliland



Distribution of high quality electric sewing machines to over 15 members of widowed mothers in Borama, Somaliland



VSLA Group training in Burtinle district of Puntland, Somalia

ORPHANS AND CHILD WELFARE

- Arranging of 1,175 orphan files on the shelves and removing all moving out families to their districts.
- (605 orphans from Ahmed Dhagah and 570 from 26 June were arranged and updated.)
- 1,757 Annual Progress Reports (M-850, F-907) were filled and updated to their respective files in Garowe and Hargeisa
- 104 passbooks from Hargeisa and 10 passbooks from Garowe have been distributed to their passbooks.

GENDER INCLUSION & SAFEGUARDING

- Conducted child protection and GBV awareness on enhancing children's safety, dignity and rights and avoid exposing them to further harm, to Support the capacity of the women and children to protect themselves, to familiarize self with the concepts, principles and importance of child protection and protection for the following IDP sites :(Adable Gunre (65 Women and 10 Men), Barwaqo (20 Women and 10 Men) Bulo Oomin (105 Women and 20 Men)
- Training beneficiaries on CRM and community Orientation for 30 individuals (10 Male and 20 Female) in Jowhar



Training on child protection and GBV awareness in Berdale, Bay region , Somalia

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Provision of clean and safe water to drought affected families in Burtinle district of Puntland, Somalia

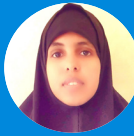


Provision of clean and safe water to drought affected families in Burtinle district of Puntland, Somalia



Construction of 10 emergency latrines for Towfiq IDP cam in Jowhar, Somalia

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Sadia Hussein Ali is a Project Officer at Islamic Relief Somalia and she is based in Mogadishu.

I joined Islamic Relief on 3rd November 2020 during Covid- 19 and climate shocks that were creating a hard storm of disaster. The pandemic stopped so many hard-won gains in the fight against hunger. It has limited access to food and disrupted livelihoods.

I witnessed suffering people and heard their stories of traumatic events that forced them to leave their homes to escape the catastrophic situations.

The increase of crisis and disasters across the country that caused more damage to the affected population and the inspiring responses from Islamic Relief team, motivated me to be part of the family. I felt like Islamic Relief Somalia truly believe in what they are doing will make a positive change in people's lives.

I'm passionate about being a humanitarian worker and I find it enriching as a humanist. I categorically believe in serving humanity in difficult times. It's so rewarding to help people get back on their feet and rebuild their homes, businesses and their lives after crisis.

I usually start my work at 8.00 A.M and plan my day-to-day activities to make sure that most of the urgent work assigned to me gets done first. I am also responsible for overseeing and coordinating of various project activities that need to be implemented and I have to complete and prioritize them depending on their urgency and importance.

Thank you



CRM and community orientation workshop in Jowhar, Somalia

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