

Islamic Relief supported a total of 65,580 targeted population through WASH, Food Security & Livelihood, Cash Transfers, Health Intervention, Orphan & Child Welfare programme

Humanitarian Highlight In Somalia

- Drought conditions have deteriorated in Somalia following an unprecedented fourth consecutive failed rainy season; eight areas - up from six in May - are facing the risk of famine. More than 7 million people are affected, up from 6.1 million in May, and over 805,000 are displaced.
- For the first time since 2017, pockets of catastrophic food insecurity have been confirmed, affecting more than 213,000 people. At least 200 children have died in malnutrition centers since January.
- Humanitarian partners have launched the Drought Response and Famine Prevention Plan (May to December 2022) to facilitate the scaling up of life-saving and life-sustaining assistance and prevent famine.
- Using resources provided by donors so far, partners have reached 3.9 million people with lifesaving assistance since January, but the scale of ongoing assistance and funding remains low, putting at risk critical assistance programmes.

IN SUMMARY



FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOOD

- 90 Self Help Groups received Soft Loan Cash from Islamic Relief while the money was sent through ZAAD service of Telesom Company. Each rightsholder received 400 dollars under the supervision of IRS Borama office.
- A total of 1,500 vulnerable households (855 females and 645 males) were chosen from the villages of Ceegaag, Goljano, Qoyta, and Murayada of Buhoodle and Burao districts of Togdheer region. Each household received \$60 to meet their basic needs so that they purchase food and any other of their needs.
- 41 milk venders from Dheenta village and Borama district were trained in milk processing techniques such as yogurt making, Mozzarella Cheese making, and Ghee production. The milk processing techniques training focused on processing techniques, particularly milk that add value to products in order to provide a better overall understanding of the importance and benefits, as well as hygienic storage, handling, and marketing of such Mozzarella Cheese products
- 1,550 drought affected households (500 HHs in Burtinle and 550 HHs in Iskushuban) received the third installment of Unconditional Cash Transfers, each household was given \$110

- 100 households (279 M, 321F) received their third cycles of Unconditional Cash transfer under DEC funded Project in Baidoa.
- Provision of Unconditional Cash Transfer for 70 Dollar per House Hold in Beledweyne for (1,510 M,1,554 F).
- Provision of Unconditional Cash transfer to 250 HHs (715 M, 785 F) in Bananey, Kalundi, Danyerey in Jowhar District.
- Rehabilitation of irrigation canal through cash for work for 80 HHs (300 F,180 M) in Bananey.



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HEALTH

- Provision of 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 for (M-1104, F-1636) in Daynile & Shibis and Balcad - Middle Shabelle.
- Provided Maternal health services -Antenatal care services at the health facility in Daynile & Shibis and Balcad for 489 Females.
- Provided Maternal health services - Postnatal Care at the health facility In Daynile & Shibis and Balcad for 53 mothers.
- Support Immunizations targeting vaccine preventable diseases provided to children under five (BCG, Polio, Penta, Measles, etc.) in Daynile & Shibis and Balcad for 109 Boys and 113 Girls.
- Primary health care services; consultation - Provide 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 for 812 males and 1086 females.



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Milk management training to business women in Dheenta Somaliland



Training of Biyogadud village water management committee in Iskushuban district of Puntland, Somalia

WASH

- Islamic Relief distributed hygiene kits to 250 HHs (188 female and 62 male) in (Ceel-sheikh, Ceel-lahley, and Fuguho) under the Bulahar district of Somaliland. Each hygiene kit comprises of Jerry Cans, bar soap, bathing soap, and shampoo to increase the general hygiene situation.
- 5 shallow wells were deepened, installed R.C.C., submersible pump, GI pipes and Solar system for water utilization in Gebigudud village in Iskushuban district.
- 10 members of Gebigudud water management committee (32 M,28 F) was established and trained on operation and maintenance of the shallow wells, management of the water facilities as well as social cohesion and conflict management.
- Water trucking activities to 1,500 households for two months in IFTIN IDP camps of Bardere, Gedo region.
- Launching of Drought Response Intervention for the Vulnerable in Somalia project. The project will target the drought affected families in the country.



Provision of clean water to IFTIN IDP Camps in Bardhere, Somalia



Deepening of shallow wells and installation of solar systems in Gabigadud village, Puntland-Somalia



Staff capacity building on Gender Mainstreaming in Hargeisa, Somaliland



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ORPHANS AND CHILD WELFARE

- A total of 539 Annual Progress Reports were reported and uploaded to the Al Yateem site during the month, of which 375 were from Hargeisa Somaliland, and 164 were from Puntland.
- 200 Orphans (109 Boys ,91 Girls) reports on their living conditions, livelihoods, and educational status were collected from Puntland and Somaliland During the month.

GENDER INCLUSION & SAFEGUARDING

- Islamic Relief trained 15 staff (3 female and 12 male) for two days on PSEAH and safeguarding in Hargeisa, Somaliland.
- Gender Mainstreaming & Prevention of Sexual exploitation & Abuse training for IRS staff in Hargeisa -11 staff (3F,8M).



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I joined Islamic Relief Worldwide as a livelihood development assistant based in Hargiesa on 1st June 2019 while I was later promoted to Business Development Officer based in Borama city of Awdal region. I am a young professional staff with a Master degree in Development Economics, Peace and Conflict Studies and previously worked with different Internation, local NGOs and universities in the country those had given me enough experience to carry out my day-to-day program activities well.

I am motivated by my virtue of professional experience, knowledge, and field-based exercise with over 3 years of work experience in the fields of FSL and Business development sector that are in line with IRS's Mission & vision on poverty reduction. In addition to that, IRS's effective program implementations & good leadership which focused on helping the poor communities are part of the things that motivated me working with IR.

My passion is to uphold humanity and respond to humanitarian crises affected communities to minimize the disasters, hazards, and shocks through humanitarian support and observe all humanitarian principles & codes of conduct continue to be my inspiration.

As a humanitarian staff in the office, I plan my work based on the priority of tasks at my table and equally delegate/ assign with my co-workers to meet deadlines. This has enabled me to cope with work pressure and deliver good result desired. Within the office, we maintain a code of conduct and brief ourselves on safeguarding issues before going to the field and meet the beneficiaries. The work begins at 8:00 am and ends at 5:00 pm.

Thank you



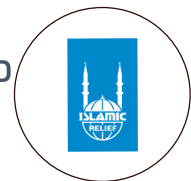
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