

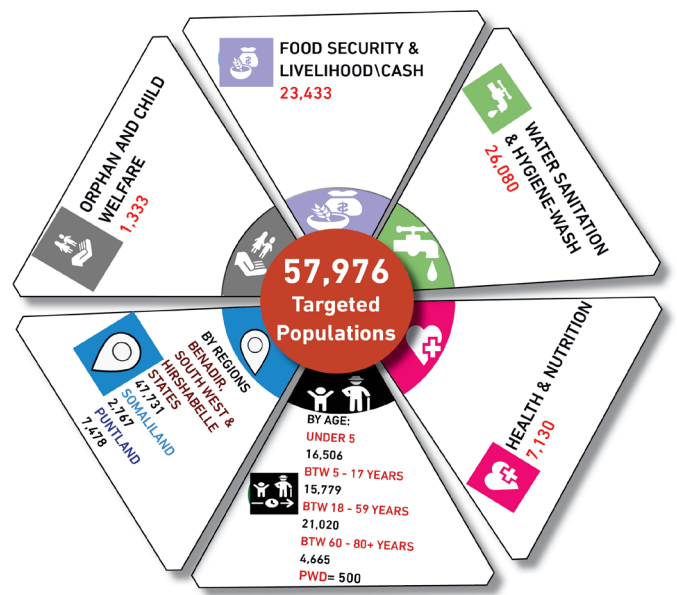


57,976 IS OUR MAGIC NUMBER FOR AUGUST 2023

Humanitarian Highlight In Somalia

- Humanitarian partners have stepped up emergency assistance to people affected by the recent floods in Somalia, reaching 94 per cent of those impacted in the worst-affected district of Belet Weyne. However, needs remain high and additional resources are urgently required to sustain the response.
- Flood water has receded in Belet Weyne and 90 per cent of the people who were displaced have returned to their homes. The partners are working with local communities to drain the remaining stagnant water in displacement sites.
- Despite increased needs, the 2023 Humanitarian Response Plan, which requires US\$2.6 billion to respond to the needs of 7.6 million people, is only 30.5 per cent funded. Additional funds are urgently needed to deliver life-saving assistance.

IN SUMMARY



FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOOD

- Islamic Relief successfully distributed agricultural inputs including seeds, fertilizers and tools to 21 farmers in Gabigaduud village of Iskushuban district, Puntland, Somalia.
- 5 days of Good Agriculture Practice (GAP) training to 21 members of Gabigadud farmers in Iskushuban District.
- Provision of unconditional cash to 293 households in Qardho through LYP Project. This improved the food security for Yemenis refugees
- A total of 72 people benefited from four greenhouses those were constructed by Islamic Relief in Awdal Region. The greenhouses have a dimension of 8x24 meters covered with a polythene cover and protected mesh from insects, each greenhouse will have grown of 500 tomatoes plants and the rights-holder could able to change type of seed in the future.
- Provision of unconditional cash transfer to 1,340 from the floods affected families in Beledweyne. This was to improve the food security of the affected households.

- 4,500 families in Balcad IDP camps and host communities received food packages under relief project of WFP.
- To improve the living standard of the vulnerable community both host and the IDPs in Baidoa district, Islamic Relief released unconditional cash transfer to 1,500 households while each family received \$90.
- 300 households selected from the floods affected families in Beledweyne, received unconditional cash from Islamic Relief. each family was provided \$70.



Construction of greenhouses with dimensions of 8X24 meter in Awdal region, Somaliland



Good Agriculture Practice (GAP) training to 21 farmers in Puntland

WASH

- Islamic Relief successfully completed drilling and equipping of deep borehole in Burtinle town. 5,000 individuals have now access to clean and potable water source.
- Islamic Relief carried out pipeline extension and construction of seven kiosks in Ballidhig district. This support will be benefited by 6,000 people through clean and safe drinking water.
- 1,340 floods affected families received water trucking activities from Islamic Relief in Beledweyne.
- Islamic Relief provided non-food items to 1,340 floods affected families in Beledweyne.
- 100 families selected from the current drought affected people in the camps of Baidoa received hygiene kits.
- Islamic Relief successfully rehabilitated a borehole in Baidoa IDPs and constructed water kiosks, with piping extension and also installed solar system. The water of this borehole utilizes 3,000 individuals.



Communities collect water from a newly constructed water kiosk in Baidoa IDP camps, Somalia



A newly constructed water tank in Baidoa IDP camps, Somalia



A woman from a camp in Baidoa fetches water from a newly constructed water kiosk in her camp in Baidoa, Somalia.



Women fetch water from a newly constructed kiosk in their camp in Baidoa, Somalia



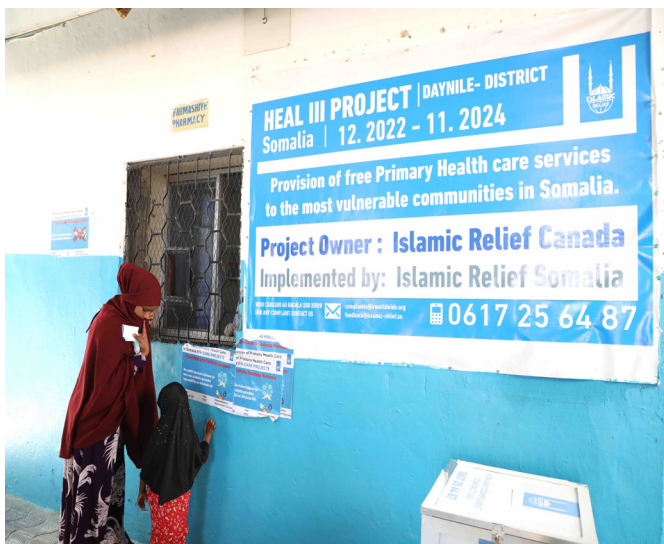
A newly constructed water tank in Baidoa IDP camps, Somalia



Drilling of a new borehole in Burtinle district of Puntland, Somalia

HEALTH

- The three health centres of Daynile, Shibis and Balcad provided consultations of non-communicable diseases such as: pneumonia, malaria, diarrhoea, skin conditions, injury care and urinary tract infections, sexually transmitted infections to 2,028 male and 3,121 female patients among others in women, men, boys and girls.
- The health centres provided Routine ANC services to 1,085 pregnant mothers.
- Islamic Relief health centres provided Maternal health services, Postnatal Care through postnatal consultations to 261 vulnerable females.
- The three health centres provided essential health services to the community by vaccinating children under five years (194 boys & 116 girls) against measles, Polio and TB.
- The health centres conducted 24hrs health facility while 45 females were supported through this mission.



Provision of health support to the vulnerable patients in Mogadishu

ORPHANS AND CHILD WELFARE

- Quarter 2 2023 Complementary Fund payment was released for 12 orphan families who were selected to benefit from it, in terms of medical, educational and shelter; 3 education cases, 4 shelter cases and 5 medical cases in Hargeisa and Garowe.
- 20 Self Help Groups (SHGs) participated in their monthly meetings at their meeting sites while some of them met them at the office. 300 payment record books were updated through SHG meetings, and 55 new payment record books were handed over to newly sponsored orphans' guardians.
- New orphan registration process was initiated both in Hargeisa and Garowe for the intake of new orphans. 50 new orphan families were visited at their homes for verification and their registration process is ongoing.



Orphan's home visit and assessment in Hargeisa, Somaliland.



Orphan families Self Help Group meetings in Hargeisa, Somaliland



Registration of new orphan families in Hargeisa, Somaliland



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SAFEGUARDING & PROTECTION

- Islamic Relief provided community sensitization training on SGBV, DO NO HARM, and community-based protection training to 60 families in Baidoa.



Community training on SGBV awareness in Baidoa, Somalia



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Ismail Madey is a project assistant working with Islamic Relief Somalia based in Baidoa South West State of Somalia.

I joined Islamic Relief Somalia on June 16, 2020, and I am now in charge of leading, contributing, assisting, and managing projects in multi-sectoral programming activities in the Baidoa district, as well as working closely with all stakeholders, community representatives, partners, and the existing local administration.

I rapidly adapted to my new role due to my years of working with numerous organizations such as SADO and READO, where I assisted in the implementation of project activities, community awareness, vulnerability assessments, monitoring, and the preparation of corporate events. I am overjoyed to be able to use my interpersonal abilities in integrated programming to contribute to the day-to-day project operations at Islamic Relief- Baidoa.

What inspired me the most about Islamic Relief was its remarkable responses to afflicted populations, as well as the loving spirit among its workers. In contrast, experience and information exchange matched my ideals perfectly. I felt that Islamic Relief Somalia sincerely believes that what they are doing will make a significant difference in people's lives, thus working for that wonderful organization is what inspired me to become a member of the family.

Being a humanitarian worker is something I am enthusiastic about, and it enriches my life as a humanist. I strongly support humanity and humanitarian organizations in providing equitable support to all people who rely heavily on our initiatives and interventions in order to live with dignity. In challenging times, I wholeheartedly believe in serving humanity. It's extremely fulfilling to assist individuals in returning to their normal lives and rebuilding their homes and businesses after a disaster.

I begin work at 8 a.m. and schedule my day-to-day activities to ensure that the majority of the urgent work assigned to me is completed first. I strictly adhere to my daily plans, prioritizing tasks based on its importance to first truck and complete the assignment as required.

Thank you



Rehabilitation of berkad in Bali-Calanle village of Burco, Somaliland

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