UNDP IN LEBANON PROMOTING STABILITY AND BUILDING RESILIENCE



UNDP has made supporting the national efforts of the Government of Lebanon to manage the refugee crisis a priority since the onset of the crisis in early 2011, which has seen a country of some 4.5 million people, receive over one million registered refugees from Syria. UNDP has provided both policy and operational support. At the policy level UNDP has supported the development of the 2017 - 2020 Lebanon Crisis Response Plan, leading the Stabilization aspect of the response under the 3RP. Addressing the commitments made by the international community at the World Humanitarian Summit, the LCRP offers a multi-year response framework that bridges the humanitarian-development nexus, enabling a longer-term vision of the stability of Lebanon and calling on donors to provide predictable and flexible financing.

2016 TOP DONORS (USD)

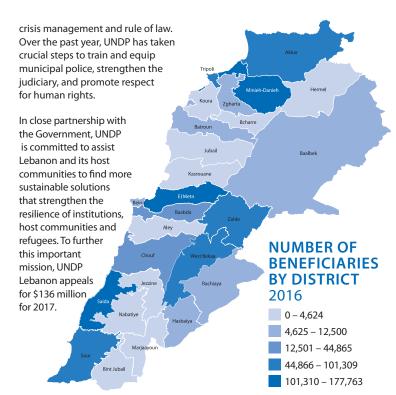
Netherlands	\$21.7m
Germany	\$16 m
United Kingdom	\$10.7m
United States*	\$9.2m
Japan	\$3.2 m
Italy (Euro)*	\$2.7 m
Switzerland*	\$2m
Norway	\$1.0m

^{*} Contracts signed in 2015

With more than USD 50 million delivered under the LCRP in 2016 alone, UNDP is at the forefront of efforts to support public institutions and host communities in Lebanon. Since 2013 its flagship initiative, the Lebanon Host Communities Support Programme (LHSP), has completed over 459 projects in 120 localities, delivering services, improving livelihoods, and working with communities to build a more stable future — thus far the work has reached 1.5 million people. The Government of Lebanon recognizes these achievements and has requested that the LHSP serve as a main vehicle for donor assistance with respect to Host Communities. In particular, the Government has asked the LHSP to continue supporting livelihoods and local economic recovery.

UNDP also works in 42 informal Palestinian Gatherings which have experienced a substantial increase in population since the onset of the crisis due to new arrivals displaced due to the conflict in Syria. The project works with communities to develop neighbourhood improvement plans and with women and youth to provide vocational training and small grants for new businesses.

UNDP has also undertaken vital work to help build the capacity of Lebanese institutions, focusing on



FUNDING 2017 (USD)

\$136m DELIVERY TARGET \$6.8M FUNDING RECEIVED

\$85.6m

\$41.6m

2016 RESULTS UNDPLEBANON



PERSONS BENEFITTING FROM IMPROVED EDUCATION, SOCIAL ASSISTANCE AND HEALTH

940,000 LEBANESE 390,000 SYRIANS



PERSONS BENEFITTING FROM IMPROVED LIVELIHOODS AND JOB CREATION

30,000 LEBANESE 8,500 SYRIANS



PERSONS BENEFITTING FROM IMPROVED BASIC SERVICES

836,500 LEBANESE 398,500 SYRIANS



PERSONS BENEFITTING FROM IMPROVED RECREATION AND SOCIAL PEACE

8,000 direct

1.2 MILLION INDIRECT