FINLAND’S HUMANITARIAN AID 2018

Need for humanitarian aid at record high. There are several ongoing serious conflicts. In addition, natural disasters have become more frequent as climate change advances.

Finland will direct aid to where the need and distress are the greatest. Humanitarian aid is a part of Finland’s development cooperation.

**CORE FUNDING TO HUMANITARIAN AGENCIES EUR 27 MILLION:**
- International Committee Of The Red Cross (ICRC)
- Office for disaster risk reduction ISDR is mandated to ensure the implementation of the strategy for disaster reduction
- The United Nations office for the coordination of humanitarian affairs (OCHA)
- Office of the United Nations high commissioner for refugees (UNHCR)
- United Nations relief and works agency for palestine refugees in the near east (UNRWA)

**SECTORAL FUNDING CERF 7 MEUR AND UNICEF 0,5 MEUR**
- World Food Programme (WFP)

**CORE FUNDING TO HUMANITARIAN AGENCIES’ COUNTRY- AND REGION-SPECIFIC OPERATIONS 38 MEUR**
- UN specialized agencies: Office of The United Nations High Commissioner For Refugees UNHCR, World Food Programme WFP and UN Population Fund UNFPA
- International Committee Of The Red Cross and International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (ICRD/IFRC), support is partly channelled via the Finnish Red Cross
- Finnish civil society organisations: Finn Church Aid, Fida International, Finnish Red Cross, Save the Children, World Vision Finland and Plan International Finland

**TOTAL 72,5 MEUR**

MARCH 2019
WHAT ARE THE TARGETS AND REASONS OF AID?
Agencies’ country- and region-specific operations EUR 38 million

CONFLICTS

DROUGHT, FOOD INSECURITY

DISEASES

POOR GOVERNANCE, HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS

COLLAPSE OF THE ECONOMY

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SYRIA CRISIS 12.6 MEUR

NIGERIA 2.3 MEUR

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