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**KEY FIGURES**

**62,300**<sup>1</sup>

displaced from Mosul and surrounding areas since March

**101,300 IDPs**<sup>2</sup>

from Shirqat, Al Qayyarah and surrounding areas since June

**3.3 million IDPs**<sup>3</sup>

since January 2014

**238,489 Iraqi refugees**<sup>4</sup>  
in the region

**FUNDING**

UNHCR's appeal of

**USD 584 million**

for IDPs and Iraqi refugees in the region is

**41% funded**

Of this, UNHCR requires

**USD 196.2 million**

for the Mosul emergency response, with these needs

**33% funded**



# IRAQ: MOSUL SITUATION FLASH UPDATE

1 October 2016

## POPULATION DISPLACEMENT

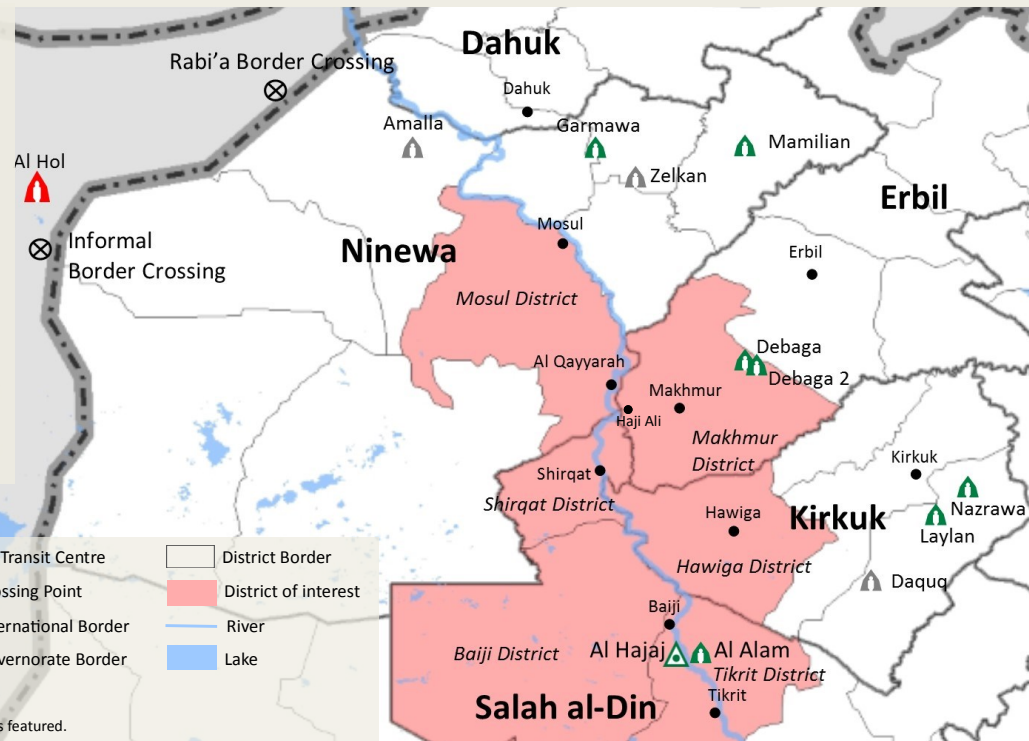
- **IDPs fleeing airstrikes in Hawiga:** On 27 September coalition forces conducted airstrikes in Hawiga in Kirkuk Governorate and northern parts of Al-Qayyarah in Ninewa Governorate. Between 27 and 28 September, around 1,800 IDPs, mainly from Hawiga, reached Laylan and Nazrawa camps in Kirkuk Governorate, and 300 IDPs reached Debaga in Erbil Governorate.
- **Over 15,000 IDPs have left Debaga camp since the beginning of September:** Most of them have returned to their villages of origin in Haji Ali and Al-Qayyarah, while some 2,000 individuals mostly from Hawiga district have relocated to Laylan camp. Authorities in Kirkuk Governorate provided the families with transport from Debaga and space in Laylan camp so that they can be closer to their homes in Hawiga as they wait for conditions to improve for return. Authorities in Kirkuk continue to register more families in Debaga wishing to relocate to Laylan camp.

## PROTECTION

- **Suspension of pressing families to depart Kirkuk:** Authorities have announced a moratorium on pressing IDPs, mainly older caseloads in Laylan camp from Anbar, Diyala, and Salah al-Din governorates, to return to areas that have been retaken but where conditions are not yet conducive for safe and dignified returns. However, authorities have reportedly continued to confiscate documents of families outside of camps and have notified 31 families mainly from Diyala Governorate and 25 families from eastern Salah al-Din Governorate, to leave Kirkuk within the week.
- **Authorities have begun preparations to facilitate returns to Shirqat (Salah al-Din Governorate):** The Ministry of Migration and Displacement is providing bus to transport returnee and authorities are putting in place security screening procedures in Shirqat to manage the returns. Some services have reportedly been restored, including electricity and water, and the general hospital has reopened albeit with reduced capacity. Local authorities requested all shops owners to re-open their business in order to respond to the increasing needs of local population.

## SHELTER/NON-FOOD ITEMS (NFI)

- **Construction of shelter for 36,000 IDPs:** Four camps (two north of Mosul in Ninewa Governorate and two south of the city in Kirkuk and Salah al-Din governorates) will be ready by mid-October to receive anticipated new displacement.
- **Preparations for 3,200 plots:** Authorities have identified two sites in Hassan Sham west of Mosul city. UNHCR has completed a topographic survey and is currently preparing the camp layout.
- **9,000 IDP families have received core relief items in Debaga since April:** UNHCR has been providing blankets, mattresses, jerry cans and hygiene kit to all new arrivals to the camp.



1. UNHCR Debaga/Garmawa — Iraq and Al Hol Camp — Syria  
 2. IOM DTM from 16 June to 28 September  
 3. IOM DTM from 1 January 2014 to 15 September 2016  
 4. Iraqis registered with UNHCR in Egypt, GCC, Iran, Jordan, Lebanon, Syria and Turkey as of 31 August 2016

Note: Only selected camps and transit locations featured.