



مركز الملك سلمان  
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HUMANITARIAN AID & RELIEF CENTRE

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# SUDAN FLOODS

Continuous torrential rainfall in Sudan has caused devastating flooding across at least 16 states, with the Blue Nile reaching water levels not seen for nearly a century and causing some of the most severe flooding ever recorded in the region. A three-month state of emergency was declared throughout the country by the Sudanese Security and Defense Council, and the entire country was declared a natural disaster area. The floods displaced more than 500,000 people, destroyed more than 100,000 homes, and left more than 100 people dead. Thousands of people are now homeless. In response to the situation in Sudan, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's leadership issued directives for aid airlift planes to be dispatched to support the victims in Sudan. King Salman Humanitarian Aid and Relief Centre (KSrelief) sent two airlift planes to support crisis-affected people in the Kassala, Northern, North Kordofan, White Nile, River Nile, Khartoum, Sennar and Gezira states; the aid included:



The United Nations has increased its influx of food aid to the country, especially considering the serious effect of the flooding on Sudan's economy. Market prices for basic food items, such as bread, have increased by over 50% over the past few weeks. To address this issue, a total of 27,774 food baskets were provided to victims in South Kordofan, Red Sea, Khartoum, South Darfur and East Darfur.

THE TOTAL COST OF THE SUPPORT SENT TO SUDAN TO DATE IS

 **USD 3,559,485**

AND HAS PROVIDED URGENT ASSISTANCE TO MORE THAN

 **290,000** PEOPLE.



# KSRELIEF SIGNS JOINT

## IMPLEMENTATION PROGRAMS WITH UN ORGANIZATIONS TO PROVIDE HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE IN YEMEN

KSrelief recently signed four joint implementation programs with UN organizations to provide humanitarian assistance in Yemen: the World Food Programme (WFP), the World Health Organization (WHO), the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNCHR), and United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF). KSrelief is providing funding for the programs as part of Saudi Arabia's contribution to the 2020 High-Level Pledging Event for Yemen, which was hosted virtually in Riyadh in June of this year.

### WFP

USD **138** MILLION

**9** MILLION BENEFICIARIES

- TO PROVIDE 81,963 METRIC TONS OF URGENT FOOD AID.

### WHO

USD **46** MILLION

- HEALTH SECTOR.
  - COVID19 RESPONSE.
  - WASH SECTOR.
  - NUTRITION SECTOR.
- ↑ **23,428** CHILDREN

### UNHCR

USD **20** MILLION

**793,334** BENEFICIARIES

- PROVISION OF SHELTER SUPPORT, SITE MANAGEMENT, SERVICES TO DISPLACED FAMILIES, RETURNEES, AND VULNERABLE HOST COMMUNITIES IN YEMEN.
- SUPPORTING COVID-19 HEALTH RESPONSE FOR REFUGEES AND DISPLACED PERSONS.

### UNICEF

USD **46** MILLION

- INTEGRATED EMERGENCY HEALTH RESPONSE PROGRAM.
  - ↑ **4,4** MILLION BENEFICIARIES
- EMERGENCY RESPONSE TO COVID19.
  - ↑ **9** MILLION BENEFICIARIES
- WASH PROJECT.
  - ↑ **4,5** MILLION BENEFICIARIES
- COMBATting MALNUTRITION.
  - ↑ **175,000** BENEFICIARIES
- COVID-19 HEALTH AWARENESS AND EDUCATION.
  - ↑ **230,000** BENEFICIARIES
- CHILD PROTECTION.
  - ↑ **242,000** BENEFICIARIES
- SUPPORTING EDUCATION.
  - ↑ **252,000** BENEFICIARIES

KSRELIEF SUPERVISOR GENERAL,  
DR. ABDULLAH AL RABEEAH'S

REMARKS ON >>>

# AGREEMENTS WITH UN ORGANIZATIONS



**DAVID BEASLEY**

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF WFP

“On behalf of all the children and families that this will help keep alive, and hopefully healthy, I say thank you, and I hope to have many more greatness to come in the future as we had in the past in this partnership.”



**AHMAD AL MANDHARI**

WHO REGIONAL DIRECTOR FOR THE  
EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN

“I would like to thank the government of Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and its leadership for this generous contribution provided not only in the region but to various projects and programs carried out by UN agencies around the world. This contribution will relieve the suffering of many in Yemen.”



**KHALED KHALIFA**

UNHCR GCC REPRESENTATIVE

“This generous contribution comes at a critical time as Yemen faces huge funding needs, especially in light of COVID-19, which has increased the humanitarian needs. We hope that our cooperation with KSrelief and the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia continues.”



**HENRIETTA H. FORE**

UNICEF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

“Grateful to the Kingdom of Saudi for a generous contribution that will help provide critical health care, WASH, nutrition, education, and protection services to children in Yemen”



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