

The CWG coordinates the Multi-Purpose Cash Assistance, Market assessments and monitoring, and provides technical support to sectoral Cash and Voucher Assistance. Currently, the CWG is made by 60 members.

This factsheet provides an overview of the Cash Working Group (CWG) activities in Iraq for the period of January – June 2021.

## MPCA Activities

*Objective: Vulnerable IDPs and returnees are supported to access income sources to meet basic needs and minimize reliance on negative coping strategies*

*Current Transfer value: 480,000 IQD/month for R2 and R3 categories*

5,396 HH  
(32,376 individuals)  
received MPCA

12 implementing  
partners  
9 Donors

96% level of  
satisfaction

Governorates presence: Anbar, Baghdad, Diyala, Dohuk, Erbil, Kirkuk, Ninewa, Salah Al-Din, Sulaymaniah, Thi-Qar

28 districts

## Capacity Building

- ✓ ActivityInfo Training
- ✓ Financial Tracking Service Training
- ✓ SEVAT Training
- ✓ Protection and CVA (2 rounds)
- ✓ Monitoring and CVA (2 rounds)
- ✓ Linking Humanitarian CVA and Social protection

## New guidelines

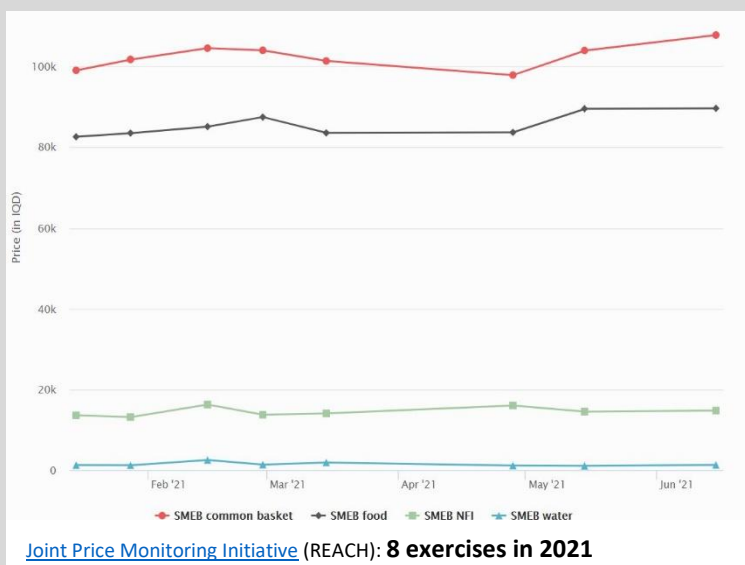
- MPCA response to camp closure
- MPCA approach 2020
- Use of Cash and Voucher Assistance for Health Services
- Communication with Communities MPCA guidance (CLCI)
- ActivityInfo Manual

## Sectoral CVA

Using CVA for health outcomes (Health and Protection clusters and CWG)

GBV Sub-Cluster and CWG Task Force:

- GBV mainstreaming to Cash Actors
- Use of CVA by GBV partners



## Situation and needs monitoring

The value of the SMEB has increased 9% compared to end of 2020, when the devaluation of IQD started

14% of the population experience challenges in accessing markets

## Highlights

24,725 calls handled by the UNOPS Call Center related to Cash queries

Multi-Cluster Needs Assessment 2021 started in June

Ongoing discussions in the ICCG on inter-sectoral analysis for the new Humanitarian Project Cycle

### Resources:

[Humanitarian response CWG Iraq website](#)  
[ActivityInfo Response Dashboard](#)

[JRAM tracking database](#)  
[4Ws AI Dashboard](#)

[Iraq Humanitarian Snapshot](#)  
[Situational and Needs Monitoring](#)