

KURDISH REGION OF IRAQ



World Vision has established its operations in the Kurdistan Region of Iraq (KRI) on September 2014. KRI is an autonomous region in Northern Iraq with borders at the Kurdish regions of Iran to the East, Turkey to the North, and Syria to the West, along with the rest of Iraq to the South.

It has a population of nearly four million. World Vision's operations are focused on its three governorates: Erbil, Duhok and Sulaymaniyah with a geographical area of about 40,000 square kilometres.

After assessments were completed, World Vision has secured registration to work in the three governorates with approximately 2.1 million internally-displaced persons (IDPs). The major concentration of the response work is on 220,000 displaced living in non-camps, particularly those who have settled in unused buildings and non-camp structures and receive less support from other organisations.

WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE

World Vision has worked closely with the government and WASH cluster to rehabilitate water treatment plants, improve water supply, and establish new water sources through boreholes serving both camp populations and host communities.

World Vision has an innovative strategy for developing partnership with local water authorities which was endorsed and adopted by the WASH cluster in Iraq as a model. World Vision also has a unique partnership with Handicap International and conducts disability inclusive WASH projects at the household and camp level.

World Vision is implementing its regional scale up with its reputable child focused partner: Sesame Street in implementing teacher training programming on culturally tailored behaviour change messages on hygiene promotion and water conservation. World Vision has also been a key actor in responding to new displacement from Mosul, constructing the WASH infrastructure in internally displaced persons (IDP) camps.

People we work with
801,479

FY17/FY18 budget
US\$6.1
million

Technical staff
5

Communities we work with
45

World Vision has conducted WASH Projects across Northern Iraq including, Dohuk, Erbil, Sulaymaniyah, and Ninewah and has been funded by both key bilateral donors and the UN alike.

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Goal 4

At least 15 projects are initiated in which communities and local government are empowered to facilitate sustainable WASH interventions and services.

Goal 3

Improved knowledge in hygiene promotion and behaviour change practices for poor vulnerable communities and children by benefitting over 317,121 people including children and women.



Goal 1

Increased access to sustainable and safe water supply for over 1,682,149 people in five years including vulnerable children and women.

Goal 2

Increased access to 201,795 families to improved Sanitation for poor, vulnerable communities and children.

COMPLETION DATE	PROJECT	NUMBER OF BENEFICIARIES	BUDGET	FUNDED BY:
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Fiscal Year 15

Nov 15	WASH and solid waste facilities for cholera response in Kirkuk	25,547	\$200,000	OCHA
Dec-15	Resilient water supply (Erbil, Mar Elia, Garmawa, Khanke)	242,882	\$3,023,335	DFATD
May-16	5 health clinics, WASH facilities and shade, Sulaymaniyah	20,000	\$100,000	Jetstar, OFDA
Jun-16	7 Borehole Rehabilitation in Returnee areas of Rabbia, Ninevah	6,033	\$400,000	US PNS

Fiscal Year 16 - 17

March 2017	Kirkuk WASH Disability Inclusive Project	54,600	\$400,000	FINIDA
Ongoing	15 Schools Rehab and clean up campaign.	15,000	\$464,000	GoG
December 2016	WASH Cash for Work	2,192	\$90,000	US PNS
June 2017	Debaga camp Water Project and hygiene campaign	30,000	\$150,000	US PNS, MOFA
January 2017	Water Supply in Fayida, Duhuk	181,800	\$500,000	GiZ
March 2017	Hassansham latrine and showers intervention	10,000	\$550,000	US PNS
Ongoing	Installing WASH infrastructure	9,368	\$1,600,000	OFDA
Ongoing	Water conservation and infrastructure in Duhuk	350,000	\$800,000	GIZ
Ongoing	Hassansham disability inclusive WASH	40,000	\$530,954	FINIDA