

ERWA ACTIVITIES November/ 2012



IRAQI RED CRESCENT SOCIETY (IRCS) is a national society which is founded in 1932. As a humanitarian and national society IRCS aim to reduce the suffering of the civilians during the war and peace by the authority from the government.

Explosive Remnants of War Awareness (ERWA) programme is one of the programmes that IRCS implement, the programme aim to decrease accidents resulting from mines and UXOs by implementing an MRE campaigns in contaminated areas to carry out the civilian to adopt more secure behavior towards ERW.

ERWA program activities are implemented in (15) provinces in Iraq except the three northern provinces, The activities included implementation of (lectures, galleries, workshops, plays, etc), and distribution of ERWA materials like (posters, folders, snake and ladder, maze and T-shirts) during the implementation of the activities.



HQ Activities

- On 11/11/2012 head of ERWA dept. visited ICRC and held a meeting with Mr. Ciro (WeC coordinator) and Mr. Ahmad Salman (WeC & Coop FO) ,then implementing a joint visit to Baghdad Branch with attending of Mr.Nabil the branch manager and Mr. Jawad / ERWA/FO.

The visit has aimed to implement some assessments for ERWA program in Baghdad branch.



- For the same reason above ...On 12/11/2012 another joint field visit has been implemented with ICRC team to Diyala Branch ,Mr.Ahamad Jaafer ERWA/FO/IRCS/ HQ participated in this visit with attending of. Mr.Hazim the branch manager and Mr. Rustum ERWA/FO.

Branches' activities**1. Thiqar Branch**

MRE lectures implemented as the following:

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed materials			Benef.
				poster	Folder	Maze	
1	Al-Nasiriya district / Near the train station / Al-Nidal primary school	4/11	Lecture	5	25	0	25
2	Al-Nasiriya district / Zaabel primary school	7/11	Lecture	5	22	0	22
3	Al-Nasiriya district / Al-thwra area / Al-Shihd primary school	18/11	Lecture	5	0	20	20
4	Al-Nasiriya district / Hay al-salehiya area / Al-Saedat primary school	20/11	Lecture	5	0	25	25
Total			4 Lectures	20	47	45	92

Targeted Groups/Thiqar Branch/ Nov.2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
92	0	0	0	0	0

**2. Missan Branch**

Below are the implemented activities by Missan branch:

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed materials			Benef.
				poster	Time table	Colouring book	
1	Qalat saleh bureau of IRCS	1/11	Visit	0	0	0	0
2	Kumeet sub district / Nahir Saad village / Al-Emam Ali school	7/11	2 Lectures	4	70	70	70
3	Omara district /Awasha area / Sada al-eloom national school	18/11	2 Lectures	4	50	50	50
4	Kumeet sub district / Albo thinwan village / Al-Frahidi primary school	20/11	Lecture	6	0	50	50
Total			Visit + 5 Lectures	14	120	170	170

Targeted Groups/Missan Branch/ Nov.2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
98	72	0	0	0	0



3. Babil Branch

Below are the lectures implemented by Babil Branch :

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed materials			Benef.
				Folder	Snake	Colouring book	
1	Al-Nil secondary school / Al-Mahweel	4/11	Lecture	30	0	0	30
2	Al-Waeli secondary school / Al-Hilla centre	5/11	Lecture	40	0	0	40
3	Mohamed Jawad al-taher secondary / Al-Hilla centre	8/11	Lecture	35	0	0	35
4	Goup of people –Hiteen complex / Al-Misyb district	15/11	Lecture	31	0	0	31
5	Abin al-Nifees mixed primary school / Al-mahweel district	20/11	Lecture	0	30	30	30
Total			5 Lectures	136	30	30	166

Targeted Groups / Babil Branch / Nov.2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
20	10	105	0	21	10



4. Najaf Branch

Implemented activities illustrated as the following:

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed Materials		Benef
				Poster	Folder	
1	Civil Defence Directorate place	31/10	Visit for joint cooperation and coordination	0	0	0
2	Al-Kufa district / Al-ghadeer primary school for girls	4/11	Lecture	30	30	30
3	Al-Manathira district / Al-Mohamadiya school	4/11	Lecture	0	0	30
4	Al-Manathira district / Al-Sirat mixed primary school	9/11	Lecture	0	0	40
Total			Visit + 3 Lectures	30	30	100

Targeted Groups / Najaf Branch / Nov.2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
50	50	0	0	0	0



5. Wassit Branch

MRE activities implemented as detailed below:

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed Materials					Benef.
				Poster	Folder	Snake	Time table	Colouring book	
1	Al-Sewira district / Al-70 dar village	1/11	Sticking and distribution materials + Informing about the contaminated areas	10	25	10	14	15	45
2	Al-Hay district / The way of the villages that belongs to Saeed ibn jebeer and Al-bashaar sub district / The airport way	6/11	Sticking and distribution materials	20	60	40	0	100	210
3	Al-Aziziya district / Al-Quds village	8/11	Sticking and distribution materials	8	14	10	0	10	34
4	Al-Aziziya district / Al-Dibooni / The schools of Al-Kisaai and Waleed al-kaaba	11/11	Lecture +Sticking and distribution materials	18	40	20	0	120	184
5	Al-Naamaniya district / (13/11	2 Lectures	165	75	15	20	114	189

	4) village / the schools of Al-Muna and Al-thabat								
6	Special needs forum	14/11	Participating in a conference organized by the directorate of sports and youth on the danger of mines and ERW	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total			4 Sticking and distribution campaigns + 3 lectures + participation +informing about the contaminated areas	221	214	95	34	359	662

Targeted Groups/ Wassit Branch/ Nov.2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
234	200	84	15	100	29

6. Diwaniya Branch

MRE lectures implemented as the following:

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed materials					Benef.
				Poster	Folder	Snake	Maze	Colouring book	
1	Al-Diwaniya Branch	8/11	Lecture	0	36	0	0	0	36
2	Al-Diwaniya / Om al-Qura primary school	12/11	3 Lectures	15	0	42	45	50	137
3	Al-Diwaniya /Al-Karrar primary school	14/11	3 Lectures	12	26	0	35	48	109
Total			7 Lectures	27	62	42	80	98	281

Targeted Groups / Diwania Branch Nov.2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
0	0	153	92	20	16



7. Baghdad Branch

MRE activities implemented as detailed below:

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed Materials						Benef
				Poster	Folder	Snake	Maze	Time table	Colouring book	
1	Al-Karkh sector / Maad bin jibil intermediate school	11/11	Lecture	15	35	20	20	35	20	35
2	Abo ghareeb / Department of Public authority for agricultural researches	19/11	Lecture	10	20	0	0	0	0	20
3	Al-Madaan / Nahrawan electricity maintenance department	14/11	Lecture	12	18	0	0	0	0	18
4	Al-Mahmoudiya / Al-khyamyat area	7/11	Lecture	15	25	20	20	25	25	25
5	Abo ghareeb / the teaching staff of Fas primary school	21/11	Lecture	12	20	20	20	20	20	20
		29/11	Sport festival	25	100	50	50	100	50	100
Total			5 Lectures	89	218	110	110	180	115	218

Targeted Groups/Baghdad Branch/ Nov.2012

Children (6-12) years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
53	52	35	0	47	31



8.Mothanna Branch

MRE activities implemented as detailed below :

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed Materials				Benef
				Snake	Maze	Time table	Colouring book	
1	Al-Simawa district / Al miri area / Al-Astabrq school	7/11	Lecture	35	0	20	0	55
2	Al-Simawa district /Al-Khindaq school	14/11	Lecture	0	15	0	25	40
3	Al-Khader district	20/11	Field visit	0	0	0	0	community
4	Al-Warqaa district	22/11	Field visit	0	0	0	0	community
Total			2 Lectures + 2 Field visits	35	15	20	25	95

Targeted Groups/Mothanna Branch/ Nov. 2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
55	35	5	0	0	0



9.Kirkuk Branch

ERWA unit implemented many lectures and as bellow:

	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed Materials		Benef.
				Poster	Folder	
1	Kirkuk Branch	4/11	Lecture to the volunteers	0	0	33
2	Kirkuk Branch	6/11	Lecture to a group of journalists , radio , television ,and satellite	44	0	44
3	Lylan sub district / Tirjeel village / Tirjeel intermediate school	7/11	Lecture	20	5	20
4	Lylan sub district / Turkishkan village / Turkishkan school	8/11	Lecture	10	5	10
5	Qirdashlq school	11/11	Lecture	15	5	15
6	Shadlq school	12/11	Lecture	16	5	16
7	Al-Safua secondary school for girls	13/11	Lecture	26	5	26
8	Daquq district / Daquq youth centre	14/11	Lecture	24	5	24
9	Al-Dibis district / Al-Jawahiri high school for boys	15/11	Lecture	15	0	15

10	Tobzawa village / Tobzawa secondary school	18/11	Lecture	30	5	30
11	Tobzawa village / Hirmizli primary school	19/11	Lecture	24	5	24
12	Tobzawa village / Mohamad al-fatah school	20/11	Lecture	29	5	29
13	Kirkuk Branch	21/11	Lecture	15	0	15
Total			13 Lectures	268	45	301

Targeted Groups/Kirkuk Branch/ Nov. 2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
0	0	23	37	104	137



10. Diyala Branch

MRE activities implemented as the following:

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed Materials				Benef.
				Poster	Folder	Maze	Coloring book	
1	Baquba district / Al-abara sub district / Al-hiweder village / Al-Qasim primary school	5/11	Lecture	9	20	12	40	44
2	Baquba district / Shifta village / Al-Adresi primary school	8/11	Lecture	11	14	10	35	39
3	Khaniqeen district / Jalwlaa sub district / Jalwlaa post directorate	11/11	Lecture	16	25	0	5	25

4	Khaniqeen district / Khaniqeen post	18/11	Lecture	16	30	13	8	33
5	Khaniqeen district / Bakhteyari dispensary	20/11	Lecture	11	19	9	10	38
Total			5 Lectures	63	108	44	98	179

Targeted Groups/Diyala Branch/ Nov. 2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
55	42	22	18	20	22

11.Karbala Branch

MRE lectures implemented as detailed below:

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed Materials		Benef.
				Time table	Colouring book	
1	Al-Hindiya district / Al-Daawm area / Qaam al mohamad mixed primary school	1/11	Lecture	0	48	48
2	Om qaser mixed primary school	1/11	Lecture	0	27	27
3	Al-hindiya district / Al-minfhan area / Al-bo kirada village / Al-Nahrawan mixed primary school	6/11	Lecture	57	57	57
4	Sayed al-anam mixed primary school	14/11	Lecture	0	23	23
Total			4 Lectures	57	145	155

Targeted Groups/ Karbala Branch/ Nov. 2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
61	94	0	0	0	0



12.Neneva Branch

MRE lectures implemented as detailed below:

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed Materials				Benef.
				Poster	Folder	Snake	Colouring book	
1	Tel aafer district / First tel aafer school for girls	31/10	Lecture	15	30	30	0	60
2	Tel kif district / Telsaqf intermediate school for girls	4/11	Lecture	10	50	0	0	50
3	Al-hader district / Al-Ramadaniya mixed primary school	4/11	Lecture	12	30	0	30	60
4	Sinjar district / Nursing high school	6/11	Lecture	15	40	0	0	40
5	Al-Mousal district / Al-Awda primary school for girls	14/11	Lecture	15	50	0	100	150
Total			5 Lectures	67	200	30	130	360

Targeted Groups/ Neneva Branch/ Nov. 2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
0	200	0	100	0	60



13. Anbar Branch

MRE lectures implemented as detailed below

No	Place	Date	Activity	Distributed Materials					Benef
				Poster	Folder	Snake	Maze	Colouring book	
1	Ana district / Ana bureau + That al-sawari primary school for boys	13/11	2 Lectures	30	20	45	15	40	45
Total			2 Lectures	30	20	45	15	40	45

Targeted Groups/Anbar Branch/ Nov. 2012

Children (6-12)years		Youth (13-18) Years		Adults	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
45	0	0	0	0	0





Total of the achieved activities during Nov. / 2012

No	Branch	The Activity			Distributed Materials						Benef
		Lecture	Sticking & distribution	Others	Poster	Folder	Snake	Maze	Time table	Coloring book	
1.	Thiqar	4	0	0	20	47	0	45	0	0	92
2.	Missan	5	0	Field visit to Qalat saleh	14	0	0	0	120	170	170
3.	Babil	5	0	0	0	136	30	0	0	30	166
4.	Najaf	3	0	Field visit to the Civil Defence Directorate	30	30	0	0	0	0	100
5.	Wassit	3	4	Participating in a conference on the danger of mines and ERW +informing about the contaminated areas	221	214	95	0	34	359	662
6.	Diwanniya	7	0	0	27	62	42	80	0	98	281
7.	Baghdad	5	0	Sport festival	64	118	60	60	80	65	218
8.	Mothanna	2	0	2 Field visits	0	0	35	15	20	20	95
9.	Kirkuk	13	0	0	268	45	0	0	0	0	301
10.	Diyala	5	0	0	63	108	0	44	0	98	179
11.	Karbala	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	145	155
12.	Neneva	5	0	0	67	200	30	0	0	130	360
13.	Anbar	2	0	0	30	20	45	15	0	40	45
Total		63	4	4 Field visits + Sport festival + participation in a conference +informing about the contaminated areas	829	1080	387	309	411	1205	2824

Total of the targeted groups /Nov. 2012

Children (6-12) years		Youth (13-18) years		Adults(over 18 years)	
Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
763	755	427	262	312	305
Total					
2824					



Positives

In general, ERWA programme is accepted by different categories as ERW are considered as a real threat that faces the population communities.

Future plans

1. Increase cooperation and coordination with the ministry of Environment / the directorate of mine action (DMA) , and the Civil Defence Directorates
2. Focus on performing activities of community liaison

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