



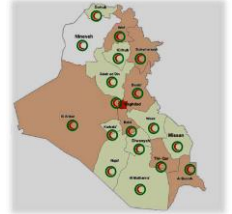
The IRAQI RED CRESCENT SOCIETY MOSUL LIBERATION OPERATION BULLETIN

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The Iraqi Red Crescent Society (IRCS) is an Independent, volunteer-based National Society that works to alleviate suffering for all. We are also an auxiliary body to public authorities/government when responding to humanitarian needs. However, we maintain our independence from authorities and function as an autonomous, apolitical, non-partisan organization. our interventions alleviate the suffering for all, in accordance with the movement's fundamental principles since 1932

Programs Relief, First Aid and health services, WATSAN, Dissemination and IHL, Youth, RFL and ERWA

Our Fundamental principles humanity, independence, impartiality, neutrality voluntary services, unity and Universality .The IRCS main structure distributed on the 18 governorates including the capital Baghdad , 93 offices, with human power of 7530 volunteers 2195 staff beside our offices in Amman .Beirut and Tehran



MOUSL The second big governorate in Iraq with estimated 5.5 million population from different ethnic and sectarian origin living in harmony till 10th June 2014 when ISIS militants took control of the city center and surroundings ,almost half of the population left in large waves of internally displaced people or refugees toward safe zone inside Iraq and neighboring countries respectively ;yet almost 1.5 million still inside city center suffering severe agony and deprivation with high unemployment rate and bad economy as part of ISIS policies beside terrorism

After long preparations the Iraqi governments started the liberation operation joined by international coalition to salvage the great ancient city from ISIS oppression on early hours of 17th October 2016



The IRCS keep trooping for the next months

15th -16th November 2016

Acknowledgement The IRCS had successfully finished his first month of 1st responding in Mosul Liberation Operation and is ready for the coming months in the constant enthusiasm and preparedness. Our frontline branches (Erbil and Salahaddin) are fulfilling their duties with great support from other branches. In this occasion, the IRCS wishes to recognize the tremendous work of its staff, volunteers and workers as well as our local and international partners to serve the vulnerable and alleviate their suffering.

The IRCS response on 15th -16th November can be summarized according to the teams as following: -

Salahaddin IRCS team

1. Distribution of 3000 fresh bread daily to Al Hajaj camp and Hay-Al Jameyat inside Tikrit
2. A- Hajaj camp received new 232 families whom immediately received bread, ready meals and water bottles dozen set per family.
3. Jada'a camp there was distribution of NFI, hygiene set 500, stove 500, kitchen set 1000, Jerri can 1000, kettle 1000 and 2000towels
4. 103 medical treatment delivered, first aid to 10-person, health promotions session and poster to 75 people, distribution of 5 first aid bags beside different psychosocial support program to 206 people mostly adults
5. Hamam al Alil and its villages had visit on 16th Nov. to distribute total of 1500 food baskets ,850 of them in Hamam Al-Alil city while Ekktooba village received 150 food baskets and Umnayra village 500 food basket delivered
6. In Qadyssia district Abo-Aqrab street there are also IDPs families living in great need, the Health team of the IRCS paid them a visit and start to serve them as following: -
 1. Medical treatment to 65 people
 2. First aid to three people
 3. Health promotion and personal hygiene with poster to 35 people
 4. Psychosocial support with 21 children in open day activity and 15 house visit

Erbil IRCS team

1. In cooperation with BCF team the Distribution of 1000 Hot meals to new arrivals
2. 1000 food baskets distributed in Khazer
3. Arrival of new 157 families to Khazer
4. Medical treatment of 220 Cases
5. Open day Psychosocial support to 130 children

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