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WFP'S WORK IN MIDDLE EAST, NORTH AFRICA, CENTRAL ASIA AND EASTERN EUROPE



Present in 17 countries

Emergency | Transitional | Development

31 million women, men, girls, boys

Targeted in 2019

USD 5.5 billion requirements in 2019

45% of corporate requirements

Rapid change

A constant challenge

Major shifts

During second half of 2019

SYRIA



WFP has been able to respond quickly and at scale in northeast Syria as thousands of people were displaced.



Youssef's family fled to Jordan when he was only 5.
They returned to his hometown in Syria 4 months ago.
WFP is distributing food to support families who are coming back to Syria.

SUDAN



Sudan is home to 8.5 million people needing humanitarian assistance - almost two-thirds of them at either the 'crisis' or 'emergency' levels of food insecurity.

YEMEN



Reaching 12 million people this year, WFP is prioritizing assistance in areas with the highest levels of food insecurity, people living in conflict-affected areas, marginalized communities and vulnerable IDPs.

STATE OF PALESTINE



The food security needs of the **non-refugee population** should not be ignored: 45% of those assessed to be food-insecure are non-refugees, representing 700,000 people.

LIBYA



WFP's operation in Libya is active on several fronts supporting vulnerable Libyans as well as migrants outside of detention centers.

WFP provides core common services for the humanitarian and donor communities, including the humanitarian air service.

SOCIAL SAFETY NETS



CASH-BASED TRANSFER



The potential of cash-based interventions to promote Gender equality and women's empowerment.

INNOVATION



Across the region, WFP is embracing innovation – high tech or low tech – throughout all its work, developing tools and ideas together with the global community.

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