

REPORT

Our Objectives

Providing medical, health and social services. Provide in-kind and cash assistance. Spreading moral and virtue values among peoples. Facilitate the supporting most vulnerable categories. Do NO Harm to communities

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Our Vision

A leading volunteering humanitarian and relief organization, seeks to achieve positive impacts on the affected communities through humanitarian relief and the sustainable development.

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Who We Are: Humanitarian AFAQ

AFAQ is a non-profit organization registered in Turkey and applying effective sustainable programs for social and economic development through providing humanitarian aid to Syrians affected by violence, hunger, poverty, injury and displacement

AFAQ Voluntary Initiative was launched in 2019 by a group of educated Syrian youth, who felt the pain and suffering of their displaced brothers, and they initially volunteered to help them with sincere efforts to relieve the pain and the hopeless feeling that controlled the souls of many people. The food, medicine and simple shelters "which AFAQ provided" had great impacts on their exhausted hearts.

Where We Operate

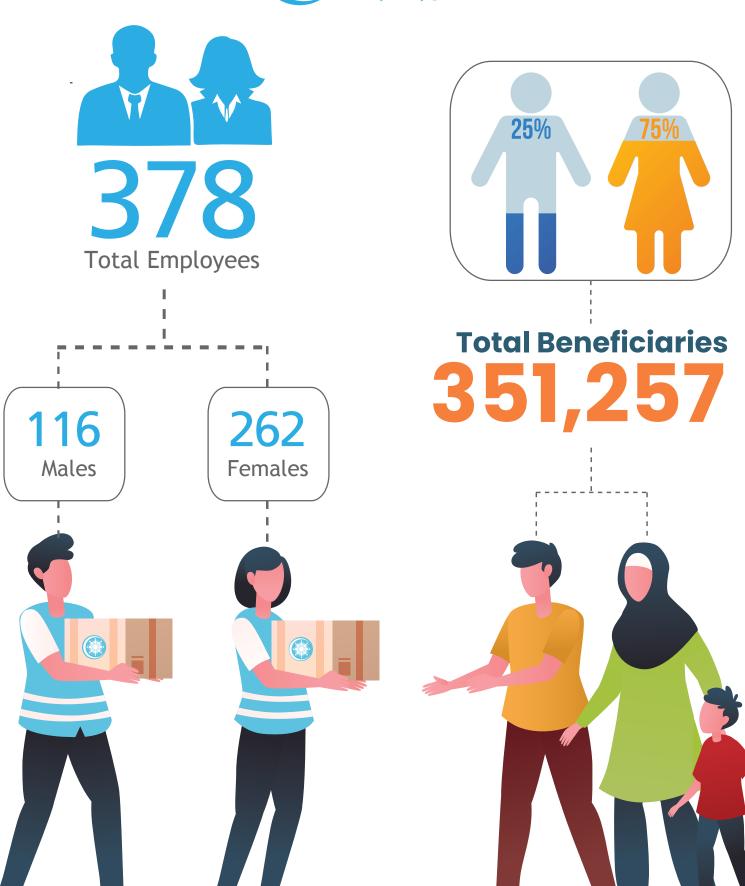
Turkey

Syria



2024 in Numbers







AFAQ's health program prioritizes providing essential, equitable, and high-quality healthcare to conflict-affected populations, recognizing health as a cornerstone of human dignity and recovery.



Primary Health Care centers

Emergency Health Response

Specialized Health Facilities

01. Type of services

AFAQ operates six PHC centers and a mobile clinic, delivering comprehensive outpatient consultations in child health, reproductive health, internal medicine, and non-communicable diseases (NCDs).

Emergency Health Response: Establishing rapid response teams for health emergencies, focusing on outbreaks such as cholera and other waterborne diseases. These teams integrate vaccination campaigns to address preventable illnesses such as polio and measles.

Specialized Health Facilities: Save the Soul Hospital (Salqin) provides BEMONC & CEMONC services. The Qah Dialysis Center remains one of the largest in northwest Syria. The last specilized facility is the Al Hidaya general hospital. This facility includes a blood bank and thalassemia center in addition to its vital specialized health services.



Total Beneficiaries reached from health program:

242,067



AFAQ supported SIX primary health care centers

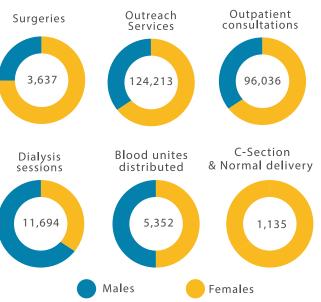


AFAQ supported THREE specialized health facilities

02. Key Numbers

Delivering essential primary healthcare services (EHSP) through health facilities and mobile clinics, including the support of community health workers (CHWs). Providing comprehensive reproductive healthcare services, including Basic Emergency Obstetric and Newborn Care (BEmONC) and Comprehensive Emergency Obstetric and Newborn Care (CEmONC), along with family planning, antenatal care (ANC), and postnatal care (PNC). Offering trauma management services to address urgent medical needs. Delivering blood transfusion services, thalassemia management, and maintaining a reliable blood bank. Providing dialysis services to patients with kidney-related conditions. Ensuring emergency response capabilities, including ambulance services and effective referral systems.







Health System Rehabilitation in the Syrian Context

Years of conflict in Syria have devastated healthcare infrastructure, leaving many facilities non-functional. AFAQ prioritizes health facility rehabilitation to rebuild a resilient healthcare system tailored to community needs.

Key Activities

Rebuilding Facilities:

Reconstruct hospitals and primary healthcare centers (PHCs) in underserved and conflict-affected areas.

Equip facilities with essential medical devices and modern designs for safety and efficiency.

Restoring Services:

Re-establish critical services, including diagnostics, emergency care, and cold chain systems for immunizations.

Capacity Building:

Train healthcare workers in specialized care and trauma management to enhance service delivery.

Community Focus:

Ensure accessibility for all, including marginalized groups, and to create positive impacts on vulnerable communities.

Rehabilitating health facilities will restore essential services, address healthcare gaps, and provide sustainable care for millions, fostering resilience in liberated Syrian areas.





The Syrian crisis continues to severely impact children under five and pregnant or lactating women (PLW), leaving them highly vulnerable to malnutrition. AFAQ's nutrition program focuses on immediate life-saving interventions while laying the groundwork for sustainable food security and improved nutrition through integrated approaches.



Outpatient therapeutic programs

Rapid Response Teams (RRTs)

01. Type of services





AFAQ supported Two specialized nutrition facilities

Malnutrition Management:

Screening children aged 6–59 months and pregnant and lactating women (PLWs) for acute malnutrition.

Providing therapeutic services for children under five (U5) with severe acute malnutrition (SAM) through inpatient stabilization centers (SC) and outpatient therapeutic programs (OTP).

Implementing supplementary feeding programs (TSFP) for children aged 6–59 months and PLWs with moderate acute malnutrition (MAM).

Distributing micronutrient supplements to children aged 6–59 months and PLWs.

Distributing preventive nutritional supplements to children aged 6–59 months and PLWs.

Community Engagement:

Train community health workers (CHWs) to screen, refer, and educate families on nutrition and hygiene practices.

Conduct Infant and Young Child Feeding (IYCF) sessions to promote optimal feeding during the first 1,000 days of life.

Rapid Response Teams (RRTs):

Deploy RRTs to conduct emergency nutrition assessments and interventions in conflict-affected zones.



Total Beneficiaries reached from nutrition program:

97,320

02. Key Numbers

Nutrition supplements distributed (Children 6-59 months and PLWs)



PLWs reached Acute malnutrition

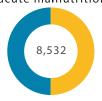


Males

Children Screened malnutrition



Children reached acute malnutrition



Females



PLWs Screened malnutrition



IYCF Messages delivered





Future Plans: Scaling Nutrition and Food Security (FSL)

Food Security and Livelihoods (FSL) Integration:

Launch sustainable livelihood projects, including community farming and kitchen gardening, to improve household food availability.

Distribute agricultural kits and provide training to enhance food production in liberated areas.

Implement cash-for-work programs, linking income generation to food access for vulnerable families.

Nutrition-Sensitive WASH Programs:

Integrate water, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH) activities with nutrition programs to address the underlying causes of malnutrition.

Capacity Building and Sustainability:

Strengthen partnerships with local authorities and international donors to scale interventions.

Advocate for policies promoting equitable food systems and nutrition-sensitive agriculture.

Impact:

AFAQ's integrated approach will not only address acute nutritional needs but also foster long-term resilience by improving food security and livelihoods. This dual focus will help rebuild the foundation for a healthier and more self-reliant population in Syria.





The disrupted water, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH) infrastructure, leaving communities vulnerable to waterborne diseases and hygiene conditions. poor AFAQ's WASH program for 2024 focuses on immediate service delivery while building sustainable systems for long-term resilience and health improvements.



Integrated Water Resource
Management
Sanitation Infrastructure for
Reconstruction
Community Engagement and
Livelihoods

01. Type of services

Emergency Water Supply:

Rehabilitate water supply systems at health facilities in conflict-affected areas to ensure safe drinking water for displaced and host communities.

Distribute water purification kits and hygiene supplies to vulnerable households.

Sanitation and Waste Management:

Construct and rehabilitate communal latrines and waste management systems in health facilites. Implement medical waste segregation and safe disposal practices to prevent contamination.

Hygiene Promotion:

Conduct hygiene awareness campaigns on handwashing, menstrual hygiene, and safe water practices.

Train community hygiene promoters to engage households in behavior change activities.

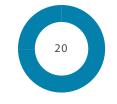


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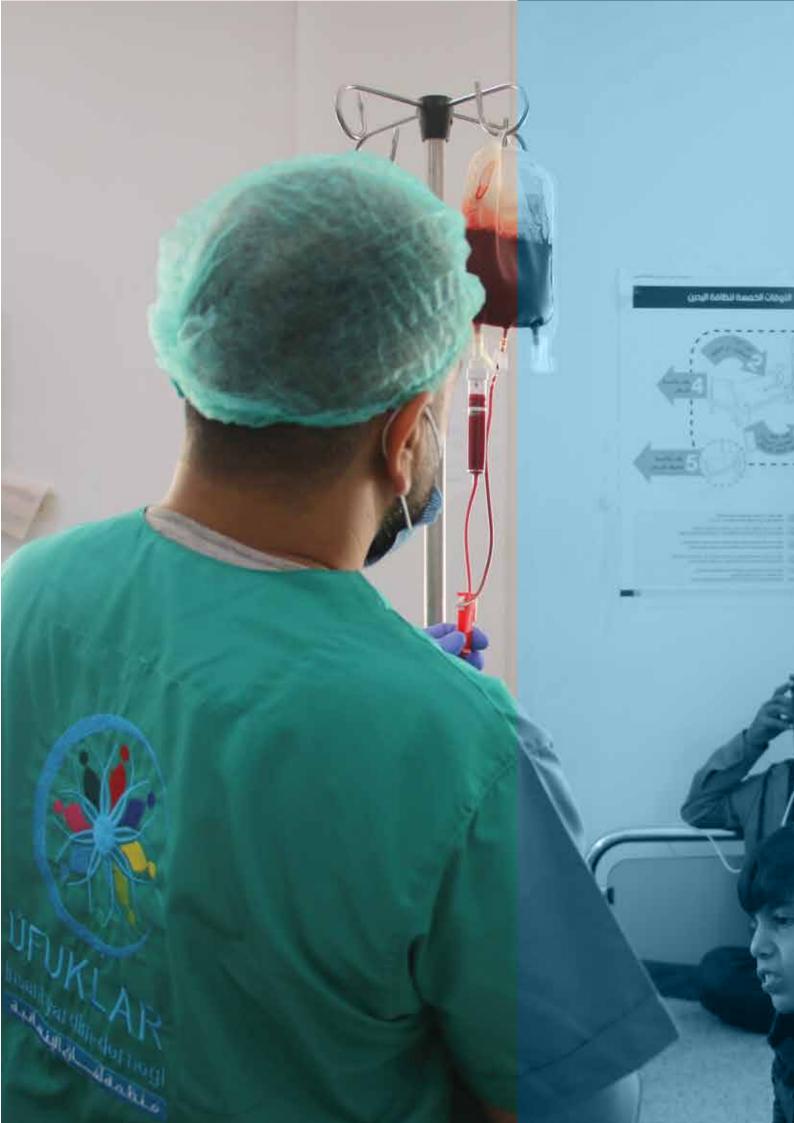




Water supplies/ locations









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