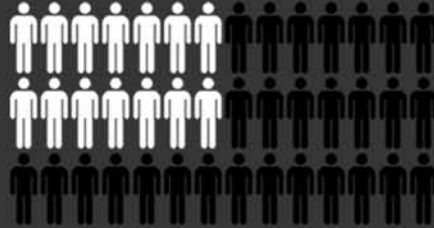


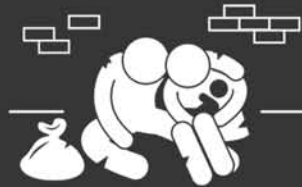
CRISIS OVERVIEW

The Syria conflict has triggered the world's largest humanitarian crisis since World War II.

13.5 million Syrian people are in need of humanitarian assistance. **6 million** are young girls and boys.



The 6 years of violence has created **4.8 million** registered Syrian refugees in countries neighbouring Syria.



85% of the population are living in poverty with **69%** of the population living in **EXTREME POVERTY**, on just **\$2** a day.



76% of these refugees are women and children. Women and children continue to be the main victims of the conflict. Rape, sexual violence and the targeting of civilians are key issues.

MAJOR CHALLENGES

Medical facilities have been targeted and destroyed by aerial bombardments, resulting in fatalities and destruction.

Since the crisis began there has been 454 attacks on healthcare facilities, impeding the delivery of essential medical supplies, equipment and treatment.



Schools have been targeted leaving many buildings damaged and unfit for purpose. This has left a major gap when it comes to the delivery of education, leaving a forgotten generation of children with no formal education.



70% of the population is without access to adequate drinking water. **Clean drinking water is scarce and overpriced** in parts of the country where military offensives and airstrikes continue.



SYRIA RELIEF'S RESPONSE

Since 2011, Syria Relief has been operating in besieged and hard-to-reach areas within Syria, meeting the needs of 2.5 Million people who are impacted by the conflict.



Syria Relief's crucial work focuses on delivering Food security and Livelihood, Health and Nutrition, Protection, Education and Water Sanitation and Hygiene.



Our 5 offices are located in Idleb city and Idleb country side, Damascus countryside, rural Homs and rural Lattakia with 2 sub offices in Turkey.



In 2016, Syria Relief through its health and nutrition projects, has reached more than 100,000 beneficiaries.



As part of our HEALTH programme, we run 1 maternity hospital, 3 GBV clinics with 1 dental mobile clinic, 3 prosthetic limb clinics, 5 primary health centres, and 8 nutrition centres.

In 2016, HNO recorded 4,000 attacks on schools since the start of the conflict with over 2,000,000 children out of school. Despite this, Syria Relief runs 47 schools across Syria providing education to 15,117 students of which 7,993 are female and 7,124 are male.



Our PROTECTION Programme, integrated with education, reached about 12,000 children in 2016.

Our WASH programme, provided clean water, waste disposal and hygiene promotion for 325,000 beneficiaries.



COMMITMENT & RECOMMENDATIONS

Despite the completion of evacuations and the end of the fighting in Aleppo city, the humanitarian situation remains dire. The scale of destruction is massive, and needs are enormous. Syria Relief is committed to assisting the people of Syria by providing humanitarian assistance and primary care.



Syria Relief is calling for an immediate and extended ceasefire agreement to be reached between all parties to the conflict. This will allow Syria Relief and the other humanitarian organisations to be able to provide the needed assistance to the most vulnerable groups.

Syria Relief is calling on all parties to respect International Humanitarian Law (IHL), the protection of civilians, especially children, women and other vulnerable groups and for unhindered unconditioned humanitarian access to all those in need.



Syria Relief is calling for the immediate end to all hostilities and the renewal of the UNSC resolutions on December 17, 2016, in order to be able to provide the civilians impacted by the crisis with the necessary good health and well-being in line with SDG 4.



Syria Relief is committed to building resilience and stability in Syria, and long term development of all Syrians.

Syria Relief is committed to implementing and supporting the SDGs 2, 3, 4 and 6 through our projects in support of the most vulnerable people of Syria.

