



## Relief and Development Peer Foundation (RDP)

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### Monthly Situation Report No 1

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#### ➤ Crisis Figures:

Population of Yemen: <b>29.3 million</b>	People in need of WASH assistance: <b>16 million</b>	People in need of food assistance: <b>17.8 million</b>	People in need of health care: <b>16.37 million</b>	IDPs & Returnees: <b>2.9 million</b>
People in need of humanitarian aid: <b>22.2 million</b>	People in acute need: <b>11.3 million</b>	People in need of protection: <b>12.9 million</b>	Women in need of protection: <b>6.31 million</b>	

#### ➤ Humanitarian Context:

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Yemen is experiencing a serious protection crisis as all civilian populations, including persons of concern, face grave risks to their safety, well-being and human rights. A lack of financial support will translate into a lack of capacity to monitor and advocate for the protection of refugees and asylum-seeker.

The situation in Fara Al-Udayn district of Ibb governorate remains stable for any humanitarian interventions although it is located nearby Al Jarrahi district which is considered as a conflict – affected area and targeted by a huge number of air strikes.

A huge number of Internally Displaced Persons (IDPs) have fled to Mudhikhera district of Ibb governorate due to the heavy conflicts in Taizziah district of Taizz governorate. The current situation in Mudhikhera is stable even though a large number of affected nearby IDPs keep moving to the district in order to find essential healthcare services as well as safety.

There have been many prevailing cases of diphtheria in As Sabra district of Ibb governorate in the past few days; however, they weren't associated with deaths. As Sabra is mostly affected by the huge number of IDPs coming from conflict-affected places such as Al-Hudaydah & Taizz governments.

In Taizz Governorate, the security situation is exacerbating these days to such a level that prevents the arrival of emergency humanitarian assistance to the poor along with too many afflicted IDPs who are situated in various areas of the governorate. On top of that, populations face a shortage of water and fuel resources. Not to mention the majority of students who are deprived from studying at school because they cannot even afford to buy the basic necessities of life. Finally, a massive number of SAM and MAM cases for children under five and pregnant lactating women are found within the governorate.

## Programs Update:

### ➤ IBB GOVERNORATE

Total beneficiaries reached: **12,791 Individuals**

DISTRICTS: Fara Al-Udayn - Mudhaikhera - As Sabra

	Nutrition			Health				WASH			Total
	PLW	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Men	Women	Male	Female	Children	
Muthaikhera	394	339	376	539	660	234	1738				4280
Fara'a Alodain	775	134	94	496	427	272	881				3079
As Sabra								1032	1086	3314	5432
<b>Total</b>	1169	473	470	1035	1087	506	2619	1032	1086	3314	<b>12791</b>

➤ **Nutrition:**

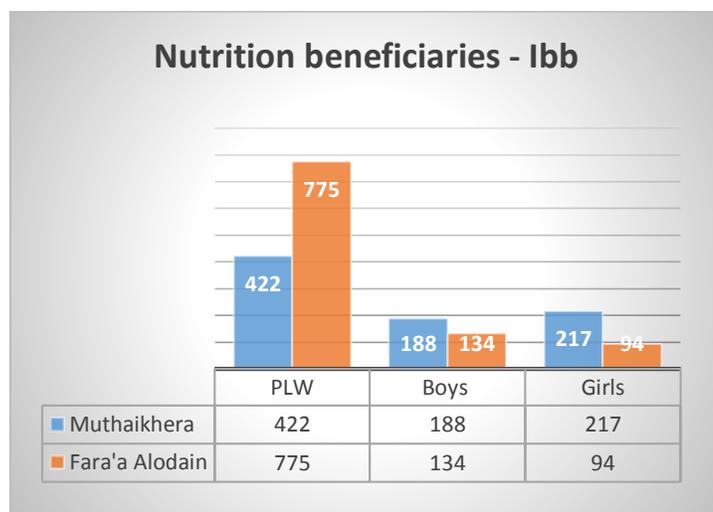
**Nutrition Services:** According to the CMAM program, our targeted health centers (Dhana'a – Musine'ah – Hudhifah) continue providing therapeutic nutritional services for Children Under five (CU5) and Pregnant & Lactating Women (PLW), reaching a total number of 1,003 individuals in Fara Al-Udayn district, Ibb governorate.



**Nutrition Services:** Our nutritionists in four targeted health centers (Bani Ali – Halian – Al-Sharqi – Al-Afuash) continue providing therapeutic nutritional services such as Targeted Supplementary Feeding Program (TSFP) for all Children Under five (CU5) and Pregnant & Lactating Women (PLW), reaching a total number of 1,109 individuals in Mudhiakhera district of Ibb governorate.

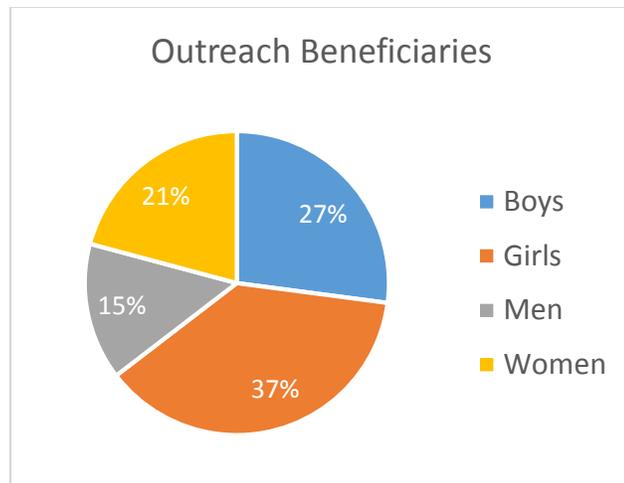


		Nutrition			Total
		PLW	Boys	Girls	
Muthaikhera		422	188	217	827
Fara'a Alodain		775	134	94	1003



**Outreach Activities:** Our nutrition team in the three targeted health centers in Fara Al-Udayn district has provided nutritional services for the most vulnerable groups, reaching a total of 48 individuals in Al Jallah village, Al Aqebah sub-district who live in further reaches as the third catchment areas and cannot make it to the health centers.

Boys	Girls	Men	Women	Total
13	18	7	10	48



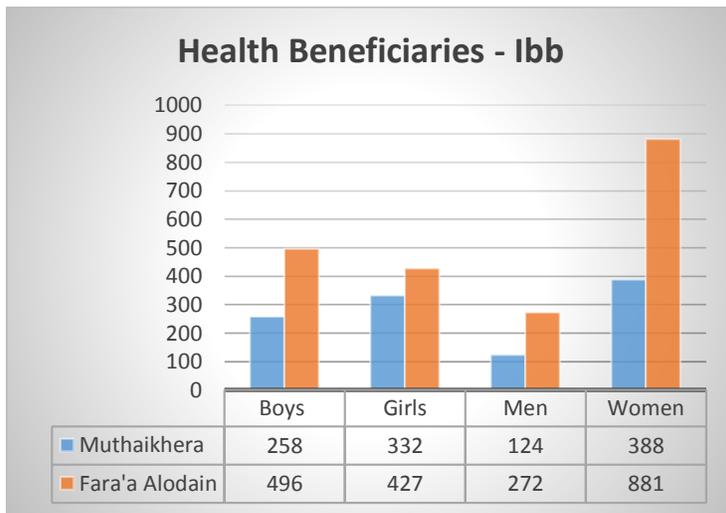
➤ **Health:**

**Medical Health Services:** A total number of 988 individuals continue to receive free medical services including Primary Health Care (PHC), Vaccination, Integrated Management Childhood Illnesses (IMCI), Reproductive Health services (RH) through our three targeted health centers (Dhana'a – Musine'ah – Hudhifah) which we support to provide assistance for those patients of diverse diseases, children, and Pregnant & Lactating Women (PLW) in reproductive age, living in Fara Al-Udayn district of Ibb governorate.



**Medical Health Services:** A total number of 3,171 individuals continue to receive free medical services including Primary Health Care (PHC), Vaccination, Integrated Management Childhood Illnesses (IMCI), Reproductive Health services (RH) through our four targeted health centers (Bani Ali – Halyan – Al-Sharqi – Al-Afuash) which we support to provide assistance for all patients of diverse diseases, children, and Pregnant & Lactating Women (PLW) in reproductive age, living in Mudhiakhera district of Ibb governorate.

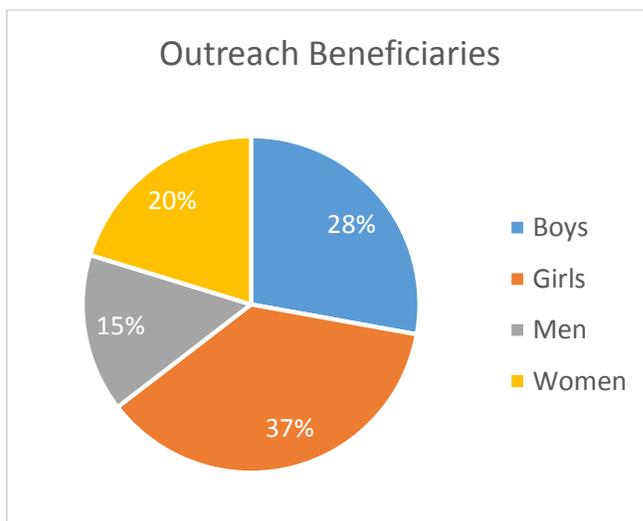




**Outreach Activities:** Our health team of the three targeted health centers in Fara Al-Udayn district has provided essential health services for vulnerable groups, reaching a total of 7 individuals in Al Jallah village, Al Aqebah sub-district who live in further reaches as the third catchment areas and cannot make it to the health centers.



Boys	Girls	Men	Women	Total
22	29	12	16	79



**MoPH&P Observation:** Dr. Adel Al-Khaled, the responsible of NGOs coordination and monitoring in the Ministry of Health, paid a visit to check up the ongoing work in our three targeted health centers in Fara Al-Udayn district, Ibb governorate.



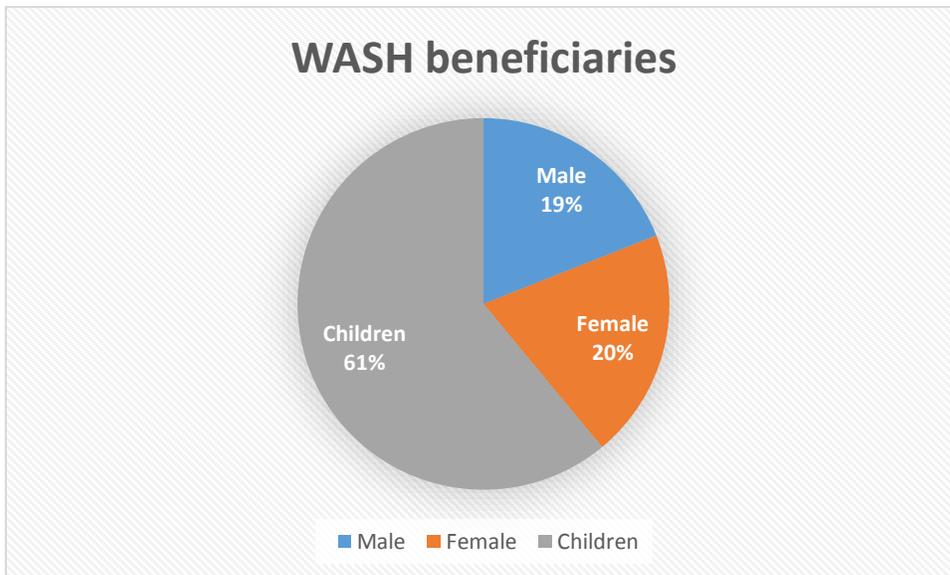
**Prodigy Observation:** There was a four-day monitoring visit conducted by Prodigy Systems and assigned by (UNOCHA) to evaluate the health and nutrition services provided by our three targeted health centers (Dhana'a – Musine'ah – Hudhifah) in Fara Al-Udain district of Ibb governorate.



➤ **Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH):**

Since December 16th, 2017, RDP has been implementing the project of "Rehabilitation of Najid Aljumaiei health center to provide primary health care services" in As Sabrah district of Ibb governorate which is funded by GIZ. This project is targeting a number of 5432 individuals disaggregated (1032 men, 1086 women, 3314 children). Its major objective is to improve and increase access to health and WASH services in Najid Aljumaiei health center for IDPs and affected host communities.

WASH			Total
Male	Female	Children	
1032	1086	3314	5432



**Walls Plastering:** Our WASH team has finished the plastering work for the walls and ceilings of the old building of Najid Al-Jumaeii health center in As Sabra district, Ibb governorate. This project serves approximately a total of 5,432 individuals.



**Electricity Maintenance:** Our WASH team connected a new electrical grid instead of the damaged one to provide electricity for the old building of Najid AlJumaeii health center in As Sabra district, Ibb governorate.



**Painting Walls:** As we continue to support the rehabilitation of Najid Aljumaeii health center in As Sabra district, Ibb governorate, Our WASH team has finally completed both the emery and painting of internal as well as external walls of the old building.



**Hygiene Kits:** UNICEF has approved to provide our targeted health facilities with 1000 hygiene kits to be distributed for families with malnourished or even susceptible cases in order to decrease the rate of infectious diseases in Fara Al-Udayn district, Ibb governorate.

Since March, 2018, RDP has been implementing the project of "Emergency WASH Project" in in Fara Al Udayn district of Ibb governorate which is funded by Sign of hope. This project is targeting a number of 840 individuals, 120 HHs of IDPs. Its major objective is to scale up the access of 840 individuals of IDPs in Al Ahmol sub-district to safe and clean water.

**Water Tanks Locations:** Our WASH team along with Community Stakeholders Committees conducted a site visit in order to choose the proper locations for water tanks installation targeting 120 HHs of IDPs, 840 beneficiaries in Al-Ahmol sub-district, Fara Al-Udayn district of Ibb governorate.



➤ **TAIZZ GOVERNORATE**

Total beneficiaries reached: **13,861 Individuals**

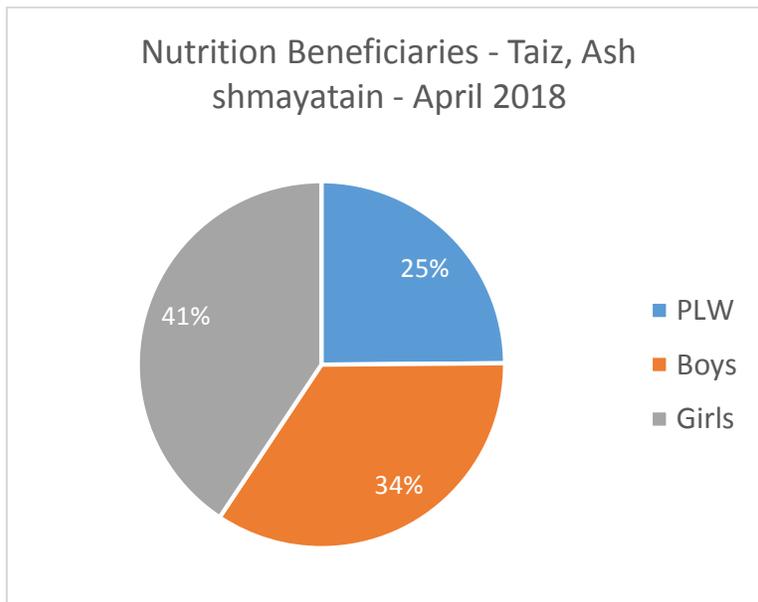
DISTRICTS: Ash Shamayatayn - Mawiyah - Shara'b Ar-Rawnah

➤ **Nutrition:**

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**Nutrition Services:** According to the CMAM program, our targeted health centers (Adeem Hadharim – Maternity & Childhood) continue providing Targeted Supplementary Feeding Program (TSFP) for all Children Under five (CU5) and Pregnant & Lactating Women (PLW), reaching a total number of 485 individuals in Ash Shamayatayn district, Taizz governorate.

Nutrition			Total
PLW	Boys	Girls	
101	140	165	485



**Preparation for CHVs Training:** As a part of our Emergency Nutrition & Food Security Project, our team has already completed the arrangements and preparations of coming Community Health Volunteers' Basic Training on MUAC screening and community mobilization in Mawyah district, Taizz governorate.

**Preparation for KAP Study:** As a part of the baseline KAP study activity in our Emergency Nutrition & Food Security Project, our team has finalized the preparation of the upcoming Enumerators Training for the purpose of understanding the data collection tool & interviewing beneficiaries in Ash Shamayatayn district, Taizz governorate.

**Training on (IYCF baseline KAP Study):** Our 6 enumerators, from Ash Shamayatayn & Mawiyah districts, had taken a one-day on Knowledge, Attitude, and Practice (KAP) data collection tool taking place in Dimnah area within Taizz Governorate. This study is to target the catchment areas around our four health facilities in both Ash Shamayatayn and Mawyah districts. It measures the current knowledge, attitude and practice of mothers and caregivers toward Infant and Young Child Feeding (IYCF) at the beginning of the project.



**Conducting CHVs Basic Training:** Within the “Emergency Nutrition & Food Security Project,” our team conducted a six-day basic training for 22 Community health Volunteers (CHVs) who were selected from Mawyah district of Taizz governorate.



**Awareness Campaigns:** Our field team in Ash Shamayatayn district has launched home-to-home awareness campaigns against Schistosomiasis and the importance of screening for acute malnutrition targeting households in further catchment areas nearby our targeted health centers. Our team members also distributed brochures containing all essential services RDP provides through health centers.



➤ **Food Security and Livelihoods:**

**Verification Workshop:** A total number of 18 members (16 female – 2 male) of the verification team, who have been selected from many different sub-districts, had an intensive training workshop about the verification process of beneficiaries that took place in Al-Turbah sub-district of Ash Shamayatayn district, Taizz governorate. The major objective of the workshop was to ensure the complete understanding on how to select the most vulnerable households based on the vulnerability selection criteria which are endorsed by FSAC.



**Launching a verification campaign:** The trained verification team launched several campaigns in three sub-districts (Adeem – Hadharem – Al-Asabeh) of Ash Shamayatan district, Taizz governorate to verify and make sure that the selection of the registered beneficiaries was utterly applied according to the vulnerability selection criteria, reaching a total of 3000 most affected and vulnerable households.



**Conducting Baseline Survey:** Within the Emergency Food Assistance to the most Affected and Vulnerable Households, our FSL team conducted a baseline survey workshop for five enumerators to be able to utilize the survey tools of data collection for targeted beneficiaries through three targeted sub-districts (Alasabih, Adeem, and Hadharem) in Ash Shamayatayn district of Taizz governorate.



### **First Distribution of Food Baskets in Ash Shamayatayn:**

Our FSL team had launched the first distribution cycle of food baskets within the period of April 25<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018, reaching a total number of 2866 HHs, 13,376 beneficiaries disaggregated (3628 men, 3787 women, 3146 boys, 2815 girls) by utilizing the voucher modality for the most affected and vulnerable households in three sub-districts (Asabeh, Adeem and Hadharem), Ash Shamayatayn district of Taizz governorate.



### **First Distribution of Food Baskets in Mawiyah:**

On April 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018, our FSL team launched the first distribution cycle of food baskets, reaching a total number of 2609 HHs by using the voucher modality for the most conflict-affected and vulnerable households in six sub-districts (Ghamaera, Esrar, Awujuh, Amaemah, Sharqi Suraq, and Mawmaj) of Mawiyah district, Taizz governorate.



**Preparation for the Registration and Verification Workshops:** Our FSL team in Shara'b Ar Rawnah district of Taizz governorate started preparing and organizing the registration and verification workshops to train 36 participants on the selection process that prioritizes the neediest families, and the verification process to make sure that the selection of the most affected households is utterly applied in accordance with certain vulnerability criteria.

➤ **Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH):**

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**Hygiene Kits:** UNICEF has approved to provide our targeted health facilities (Adeem Hadharim – Maternity & Childhood) with 3000 hygiene kits to be distributed for families with malnourished or even susceptible cases in order to decrease the rate of infectious diseases in Ash Shamayatayn district, Taizz governorate.