KIZILAYKART Programmes

Kızılaykart is a cash-based assistance platform designed to enable the vulnerable individuals to meet their basic needs with dignity.

The Kızılaykart was put into service for Turkish citizens for the first time in 2011. As of October 2012, the In-Camp Food Assistance Programme was implemented to meet the basic needs of Syrians living under temporary protection in the camps.

Within the scope of the Kızılaykart Platform, where humanitarian aid, private and public sectors come together, programmes on basic needs, education, vocational training and protection can be implemented with different donors and stakeholders.

8 programmes are currently being implemented under the Kızılaykart which aims to increase the resilience of the ones in need and strengthen social cohesion.
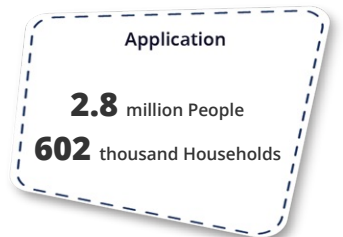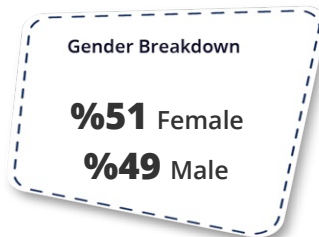

Emergency Social Safety Net (ESSN) Programme

Starting Date of the Programme: **November 2016**
Sector: **Basic Needs**

ESSN is the world's largest cash based assistance programme with regard to the number of its recipients and the continuity of its implementation period. ESSN enables people under Temporary Protection (GK), International Protection (UK) and Humanitarian Residence Permit in Turkey, who reside outside temporary accommodation centers and who meet the vulnerability criteria to have access to their basic needs in line with their own preferences. It is funded by the European Union Civil Protection and Humanitarian Aid Operations (ECHO) and supported by the Directorate General of Population and Citizenships Affairs (DGPC) and DGMM. The Programme, which was carried out jointly with the TRC, the Ministry of Family and Social Services (MoFSS) and the UN World Food Program (WFP) between November 2016 and March 2020, as of April 2020, is carried out with the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) instead of the UN World Food Program.

You can access detailed information about the program with the QR code.

Number of People Reached

1,847,218 People
326,918 Households

Total Social Assistance Amount

€ 1.7 billion

Gender Breakdown

%51 Female
%49 Male

Application

2.8 million People
602 thousand Households

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Conditional Cash Transfer for Education (CCTE) Programme

Starting Date of the Programme: May 2017

Sector: Education

CCTE Programme which has been implemented for children of Turkish Republic citizens since 2003, has been expanded to include needy foreign children residing in Turkey as of April 2017. The programme is funded by ECHO, Government of Norway and the Bureau of Population, Refugees and Migration Office (BPRM) of US and is being implemented with the partnership of TRC, the Ministry of National Education (MoNE), MoFSA and UNICEF.

With the cash supports provided under the program, it is aimed that children can access school and attend regularly. Payments made under the Conditional Education Aid vary according to the school level and gender of the student and are conditional on students' regular attendance at school.

You can access detailed information about the program with the QR code.

In Camp Food Assistance Programme

Starting Date of the Programme: October 2012

Sector: Basic Needs

In-Camp Food Assistance Programme for foreigners living in 6 temporary accommodation centers in Turkey; it is carried out implemented with the partnership of Turkish Red Crescent and United Nations World Food Program (WFP) with the support of Directorate General of Migration Management (DGMM). The programme started in 2012, and as of October 2019, the personalized card application was provided. People receiving assistance receive e-vouchers for the monthly per capita aid that they can use for food and non-food shopping inside the camp via the Kızılaykart.

Since its inception, the program has been funded by Germany, Japan, Norway, South Korea and the United States, but currently the program is funded only by United States Agency for International Development (USAID).

Number of Children Reached*

695,556

Total Social Assistance Amount

€ 156 million

Number of People Reached

50,261

Total Social Assistance Amount

€ 200 million

Gender Breakdown

%50 Girl
%50 Boy

ESSN and CCTE Programmes Rate

%78 ESSN-CCTE
%22 CCTE

Gender Breakdown

%50 Female
%50 Male

Number of Market

16

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* Received at Least One Payment

Adult Language Training (ALT) Programme

Starting Date of the Programme: **March 2019**
Sector: **Livelihoods**

Adult Language Training (ALT) Programme aims to facilitate access to employment and educational opportunities for Syrians under Temporary Protection to gain language proficiency and to support social cohesion. Through the programme, it is targeted to provide Turkish language training to 52,000 people.

In 10 provinces where the ALT is implemented, the trainees are provided with cash aid per hour in return for their participation in the training (three hours a day, three days a week). The programme is funded by the resources provided by the EU Trust Fund for Intervention to the Syrian Crisis (EUTF), also known as the MADAD fund, and is implemented in cooperation with the United Nations Development Program (UNDP), the Ministry of National Education, Anadolu University and the Turkish Red Crescent.

Vocational Course Incentive (VCI) Programme

Starting Date of the Programme: **April 2019**
Sector: **Livelihoods**

Vocational Course Incentive (VCI) Programme is funded by the International Federation of Red Crescent and Red Cross Associations and implemented in 15 cities (Adana, Ankara, Bursa, Gaziantep, Hatay, İstanbul, İzmir, Kahramanmaraş, Kayseri, Kilis, Kocaeli, Konya, Mardin, Mersin and Şanlıurfa). The target group of the programme is Syrians under the Temporary Protection, foreigners under the International Protection and Humanitarian Residence Permit and local peoples.

Within the scope of the programme, incentive payments are made to the trainees in line with vocational trainings such as being included in the labor market, business and vocational Turkish learning, social skills and capacity building. The program aims to mitigate the effects of the Covid-19 outbreak by ensuring that communities affected by the epidemic process have access to basic social services and maintain their self-sufficiency.

Number of People
Reached

42,082

Total
Social Assistance Amount

€ 4 million

Number of People
Reached

4,541

Total
Social Assistance Amount

€ 787 thousand

Gender Breakdown

%70 Female
%30 Male

Gender Breakdown

%45 Female
%55 Male

* Received at Least One Payment

Vocational Course Allowance (VCA) Programme

Starting Date of the Programme: **April 2019**
Sector: **Livelihoods**

The programme supported by German Development Bank as a back donor, the fund provider of Danish Refugee Council, is implemented in Hatay. The target group of the programme is Syrians under the Temporary Protection, foreigners under the International Protection and Humanitarian Residence Permit and local peoples.

Within the scope of the programme, it is aimed to contribute to the social and economic welfare of the communities living in Hatay through agricultural trainings and supportive activities on participation in the labor force, to spread registered employment and to instill entrepreneurship awareness among the participants. In addition, the production of hygienic masks and delivering the masks to their beneficiaries are among the aims of the programme.

Number of People **Reached**

254

Total Social Assistance Amount

€ 60 thousand

Gender Breakdown

%46 Female
%54 Male

Vocational Training Incentive (VTI) Programme

Starting Date of the Programme: **December 2019**
Sector: **Livelihoods**

The programme supported by World Vision International as a back donor, the fund provider of World Vision US, is implemented in Şanlıurfa. The target group of the programme is Syrians under the Temporary Protection, foreigners under the International Protection and Humanitarian Residence Permit and local peoples.

The programme aims to contribute to the socioeconomic welfare level of the communities living in Şanlıurfa through agricultural training to ensure the participation of women in employment and to support the dissemination of the culture of cooperatives.

Number of People **Reached**

155

Total Social Assistance Amount

€ 36 thousand

Gender Breakdown

%36 Female
%64 Male

Completed Projects

Supporting Survivors of Human Trafficking in Turkey (SSHT) Project

(November 2018 - June 2019)

Within the scope of the project, in addition to psycho-social support, cash assistance was provided to victims and their children through Kızılaykart.

Reached People
(Received at Least One Payment)
23

Total Social Assistance Amount
€ 9 Thousand

Kitchen of Hope Project

(May 2019 - September 2019)

In the project, where half of the participants are women an incentive for employment was targeted.

Reached People
(Received at Least One Payment))
122

Total Social Assistance Amount
€ 36 Thousand

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