



## The IRAQI RED CRESCENT SOCIETY MOSUL LIBERATION OPERATION BULLETIN

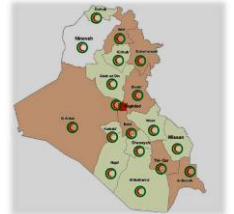
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**The Iraqi Red Crescent Society (IRCS)** is an Independent, volunteer-based National Society that works to alleviate suffering for all. We are also an auxiliary body to public authorities/government when responding to humanitarian needs. However, we maintain our independence from authorities and function as an autonomous, apolitical, non-partisan organization, our interventions alleviate the suffering for all, in accordance with the movement's fundamental principles since 1932

**Programs** Relief, First Aid and health services, WATSAN, Dissemination and IHL, Youth, RFL and ERWA

Our Fundamental principles humanity, independence, impartiality, neutrality voluntary services, unity and Universality

The IRCS main structure distributed on the 18 governorates including the capital Baghdad , 93 offices, with human power of 7530 volunteers 2195 staff beside our offices in Amman .Beirut and Tehran



**MOSUL** The second big governorate in Iraq with estimated 5.5 million population from different ethnic and sectarian origin living in harmony till 10<sup>th</sup> June 2014 when ISIS militants took control of the city center and surroundings ,almost half of the population left in large waves of internally displaced people or refugees toward safe zone inside Iraq and neighboring countries respectively ;yet almost 1.5 million still inside city center suffering severe agony and deprivation with high unemployment rate and bad economy as part of ISIS policies beside terrorism

After long preparations the Iraqi governments started the liberation operation joined by international coalition to salvage the great ancient city from ISIS oppression on early hours of 17<sup>th</sup> October 2016



### The IRCS teams serve Iraqis in camps, cities and on highways

4<sup>th</sup> December 2016

The IRCS team's devotion to save lives and help their people exceed aiding IDPs, this time to save lives of people subjected to a fatal car accident. Salahaddin branch teams after finishing working day and returning back they witness a car accident when vehicle fell of a bridge in middle of the night near Al-Houd village on the road to Qayara, they extracted the people from crashed car and took them out of the water and carry them to nearest hospital to ensure that all are safe and in stable condition

The IRCS team's responses can be summarized into: -

#### The IRCS Erbil and DIALA branch

1. **Mosul city Hay Al Baker** families received 250 food baskets
2. 12000 fresh bread distributed to Khazer and Hasan Shame amps
3. **Khazer Camp**
  - 800 hot meals to new families
  - 229 medial cases treated
4. **Hasan Shame Camps**
  - 66 medial cases treated in the night shift
  - 108 new arriving families received ready meals and water bottles
  - 194 families in Hasan Shame 3 each received (food baskets ,35Kg rice, stove, kitchen sets ,2 Jerri cans and hygiene sets).

The health team and ERWA activities in these camps were

1. Psychosocial support; open day to 270 children while PSPS total adults 225 male ,206 female
2. First aid lectures to 70 beneficiaries
3. Health promotion and personal hygiene to 185 children
4. ERWA to educate against war remnants to 110 males and 70 females of different age group

#### The IRCS Salahaddin, Basra and Muthana branch

1. 3000 fresh bread were split between **Al-Hajaj Camp** were 115families received their share and the rest was distributed at Al-Shoorra county.
2. **Al-Shoorra County**, Al Zahra Khatoon villages distribution to 100 families (one food baskets and 4 blankets per family).
3. **Jada'a camp 1and 2**; were the health teams had their activities as following: -
  - Open day psychosocial support to 247 children while adult PSP to 146 males and 50 females
  - 140 patients received medical treatment
  - 3 first aid bags distributed
  - 3 first aid workshops to total 164 beneficiaries
  - First aid services to 224 cases
  - Distribution of poster and lectures on health promotion and prevention of communicable disease to 360

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