



# THE EU FACILITY FOR REFUGEES IN TURKEY

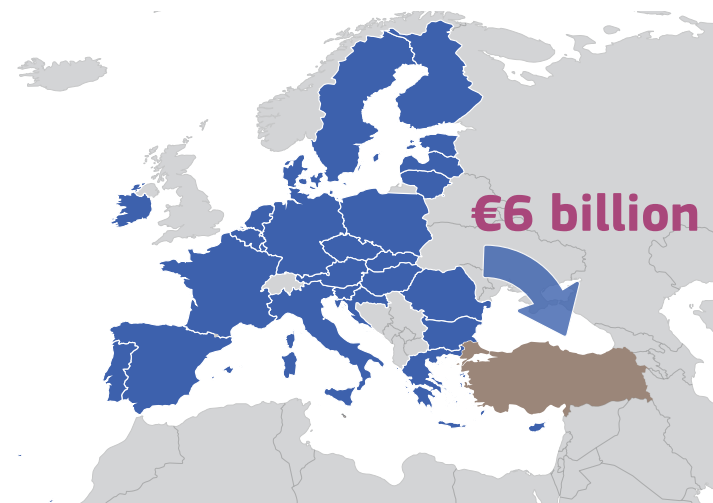


The **EU Facility for Refugees in Turkey** is the answer to the EU Member States' call for significant additional funding to support refugees in the country, and manages a total of €6 billion, mobilised in two tranches. The first tranche serves to fund projects that ran until mid-2021 latest (extensions excepted). The second tranche serves to fund projects which run until mid-2025 latest (most projects will finish earlier). The main focus areas are humanitarian assistance, education, health, municipal infrastructure, and socio-economic support.

The full operational budget of €6 billion has been committed and contracted, with more than €4 billion disbursed. The publication of the fifth annual report on the EU Facility for refugees in Turkey gives evidence of the results achieved so far, and how vital the Facility is in supporting refugees and host communities in Turkey.

For more information on Facility projects, please refer to our interactive map: [https://ec.europa.eu/neighbourhood-enlargement/news\\_corner/migration\\_en](https://ec.europa.eu/neighbourhood-enlargement/news_corner/migration_en)

## TOTAL SUPPORT THROUGH THE EU FACILITY



Turkey's geographical position makes it a first reception and transit country for many refugees and migrants. As the result of an unprecedented influx of people seeking refuge, the country currently hosts **3,6 million Syrian refugees (out of a total of over 4 million refugees)** and is making commendable efforts to provide them with humanitarian aid and development support. The EU is committed to assisting Turkey in dealing with this challenge.

EU assistance is aimed at supporting refugees who have fled violence in their country, in particular those living outside of camps and in vulnerable situations, while supporting also their host communities in providing access to quality education, health, protection and livelihoods, as well as other local services.

## HOW DOES THE EU FACILITY FUNCTION

To ensure the coordination, complementarity and efficiency of the assistance, the Facility Steering Committee provides strategic guidance on the type of actions to be financed, with what amount, and through which financing instruments. The Steering Committee is chaired by the European Commission and composed of EU Member State representatives, with Turkey sitting in an advisory capacity. Decisions are taken on the basis of an assessment of needs and following the procedure of the financing instruments mobilised.



## HUMANITARIAN SUPPORT UNDER THE EU FACILITY\*



**More than 1,8 million** refugees  
receiving support for basic daily needs



**670,000** refugee children enrolled in  
school



**More than 2 million** individuals  
benefiting from Facility-funded  
protection services



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\* Source: All Facility results in the Factsheet are based on the Facility Results Framework Monitoring Report No.7 + Annexes – June 2021 (Results Achievements Progress as of December 2020): [https://ec.europa.eu/neighbourhood-enlargement/sites/default/files/7th\\_fmr\\_final\\_vol\\_1\\_main\\_report.pdf](https://ec.europa.eu/neighbourhood-enlargement/sites/default/files/7th_fmr_final_vol_1_main_report.pdf), [https://ec.europa.eu/neighbourhood-enlargement/sites/default/files/7th\\_fmr\\_final\\_vol\\_2\\_annexes.pdf](https://ec.europa.eu/neighbourhood-enlargement/sites/default/files/7th_fmr_final_vol_2_annexes.pdf)

## EDUCATION, HEALTH AND SOCIO-ECONOMIC SUPPORT UNDER THE EU FACILITY



### Education Sector



Training delivered to **over 177,000** education staff



**47** new schools built to respond to education needs



**Over 45,000** children benefiting from catch-up training and **60,000** children provided with back-up training



### Health Sector



**Over 18 million** primary health care consultations delivered



**4,7 million** vaccination doses provided to refugee children\*



**175** Facility-supported Migrant Health Centres (MHCs) operational



**Over 3,800** healthcare service staff mobilised with Facility support



\* Vaccinations not COVID related