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The EU Regional Trust Fund in Response to the Syrian Crisis

الصندوق الاستئماني الأوروبي 'مدد'

## Project Factsheet

Reduce economic barriers hindering access  
to health services in Lebanon

### OBJECTIVES

- Improve access to quality healthcare services for Syrian refugees and other vulnerable populations in Lebanon.
- Provide community healthcare services that focus on health promotion, disease prevention and health-seeking behaviour.
- Improve the well-being of Syrian refugees and vulnerable Lebanese by providing access to mental health and psychosocial support.

### BUDGET

EUR 31.8 million

### START DATE

01/01/2018

### DURATION

24 months

### EXPECTED RESULTS

- Provide quality primary healthcare services to an estimated 398,090 people throughout Lebanon.
- Reach an estimated 96,000 people through community health outreach and education activities.
- Provide quality and comprehensive mental health and psychosocial services to an estimated 7,840 people throughout Lebanon.

### BENEFICIARIES

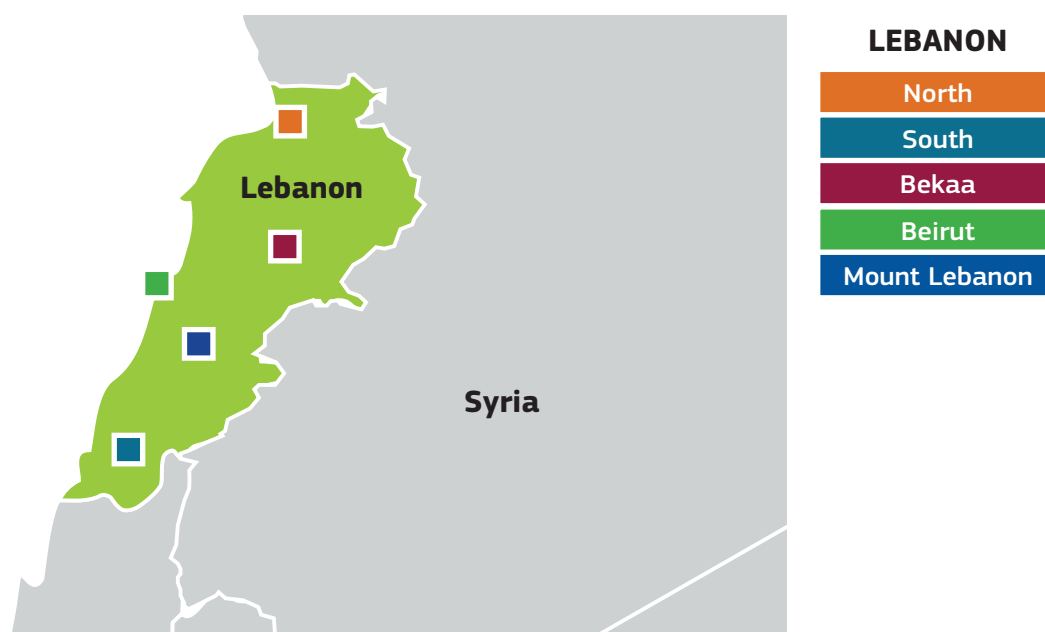
**501,930**

Lebanese  
and Syrians

### IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS



## PROJECT LOCATIONS



## HOW DOES IT WORK?

### Activities:

- Support Primary HealthCare Centres (PHCCs) providing extensive primary healthcare, including reproductive health services;
- Train PHCC staff;
- Promote quality improvement at PHCCs;
- Conduct community health education, including awareness campaigns, health screenings and health referrals;
- Provide mental health and psychosocial support services through case management teams and roving social workers;
- Build mental health care capacity for front-line staff and PHC providers;
- Raise awareness about mental health;
- Support community-based groups.

**PHCCs** will be responsible for providing comprehensive PHC services in accordance with the terms of their service agreement, as well as participating in tailored quality improvement initiatives.

**The Ministry of Public Health** will play a key advisory and coordination role throughout the course of the proposed project. This will be done through the mapping, assessment and selection of PHCCs, reinforcement of national health standards, provision of training for PHCC staff, and the steady supply of essential medications to PHCCs.

**Syrian refugees and other vulnerable people throughout Lebanon** will receive comprehensive primary healthcare and mental health services. In addition, community health workers will be trained to conduct awareness-raising sessions and household visits, in order to enhance knowledge of healthcare and available services among communities.