



# Situation Report

## April 2019

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- Distribution of General Food Assistance (GFA) to 7,630 Vulnerable HHs in Three Districts of Al-Bayda Governorate, Funded by WFP.

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- 2,800 Vulnerable HHs Received the Second Distribution Cycle of Unconditional Vouchers/Cash Transfer Assistance in Ash Shamayatayn District.

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- First Cycle of Cash Transfer Assistance for 100 HHs' of IDPs in Al Qanawis District:

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- Training Workshop for District Food Assistance Committees (DIFAC) in Wald Rabe'e District:

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- 52 Health Facilities are Provided with TSFP services in (Far Al-Udayn, Hazm Al-Udayn, Mudhiakhera, and Al-Udayn) Districts:

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- Supporting 104 FDPs with BSFP Services in (Far Al-Udayn, Hazm Al-Udayn, Mudhiakhera, and Al-Udayn) Districts:

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- 861 awareness-raising campaigns in (Far Al-Udayn, Hazm Al-Udayn, Mudhiakhera, and Al-Udayn) Districts:

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- Preparation for Three WASH Interventions in 90 Districts over 6 Governorates Funded by UNICEF:

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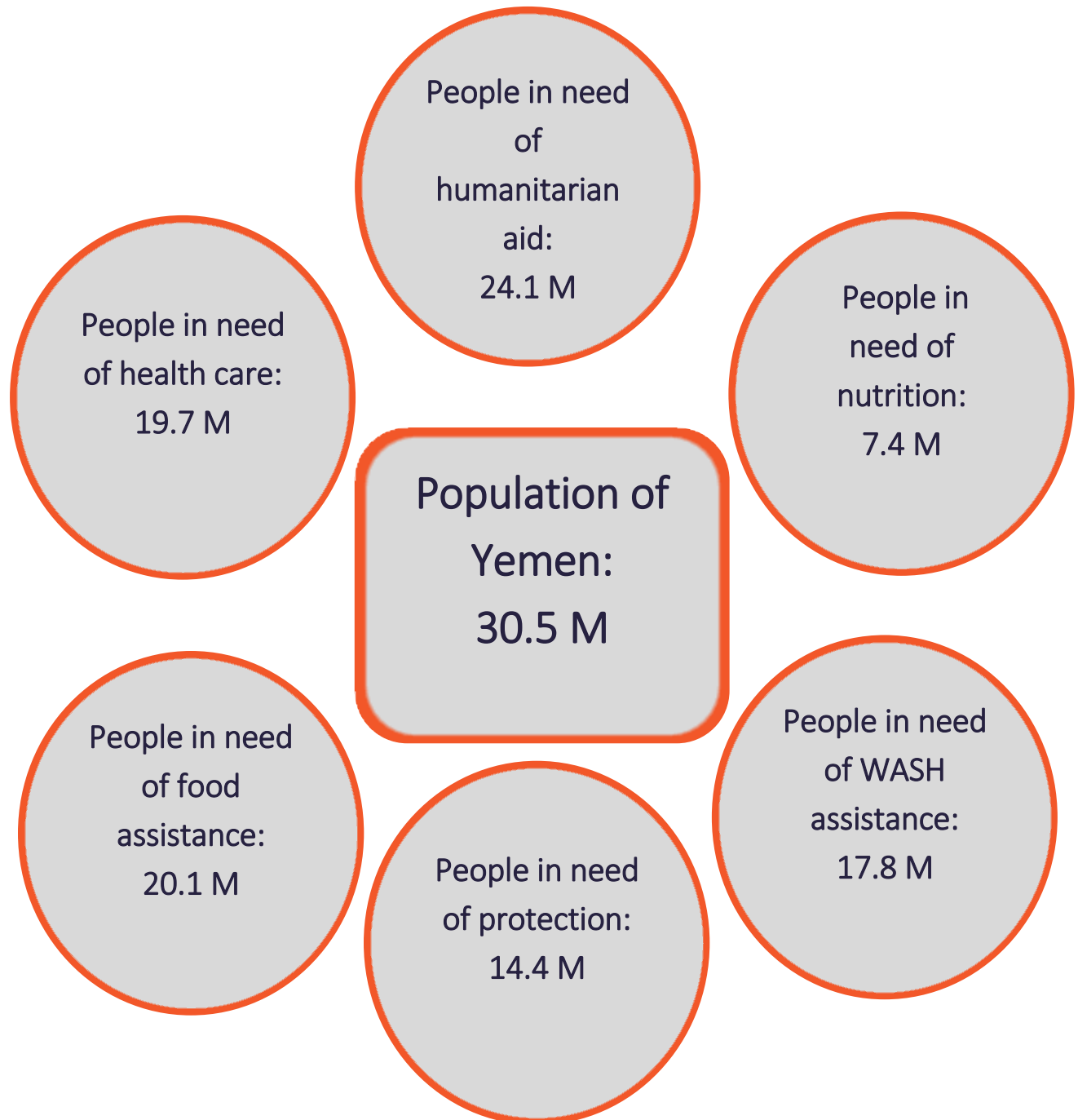
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## Humanitarian Context 2019:

The number of suspected cholera cases has continued to rise since the start of the year. As of 7 April, 194,595 suspected cases and 406 associated deaths have been reported. Sixteen per cent of suspected cases presented with severe dehydration. While children under age 5 represent 23 per cent of total suspected cases, the elderly are most seriously affected. Seventy per cent of suspected cases are reported from six governorates: Amanat Al Asimah, Al Hudaydah, Sana'a, Amran, Ibb, and Dhamar governorates; 147 districts have been identified as a priority for response.

According to field reports, shelling continued for nine consecutive days at the start of April in villages in the mountainous area of Al-Oud in Al Nadirah District, the east of Ibb Governorate and resulted in the displacement of residents to safer villages in the area. According to the Protection Cluster, armed clashes continued in Taizz Governorate causing civilian casualties and damaging homes. The Food Security and Agriculture Cluster mobilized a response for 97 families stranded in a conflict area in the eastern part of Sabir Al Mawadim District, who will receive food rations for a minimum of three months.

On 7 April, at least 11 civilians, including 5 children were killed, and 55 civilians, including 34 children and 4 women, were injured by an explosion in a warehouse in the Shu'aub District of Sana'a. The explosion seriously damaged two schools, a mosque, houses and shops. In another incident on 3 April, an airstrike reportedly hit a water truck in Al Wahbiyah in As Sawadiyah killing four civilians; the same week, an unexploded ordinance exploded in Hamdan District in Sana'a Governorate and reportedly killed two children and injured 15 civilians.

Fighting in Hajjah has triggered two mass population movements since February. Between mid-February and mid-March, an estimated 8,400 families were displaced from Kushar District as a result of clashes between Hajour tribesmen and the de-facto authorities. At the end of March, fighting in Midi and Hayran led to the displacement of 17,000 families from Bani Hassan Sub-District. By the end of March, up to 68,000 families were estimated to be displaced within or from Hajjah; 41,000 families are in Abs and 2,500 are in northern Al Hudaydah. Most of those displaced, around 58,700 families, are scattered in 305 sites for internally displaced persons (IDPs) in 18 districts; the majority are in 167 IDP sites in Abs District.

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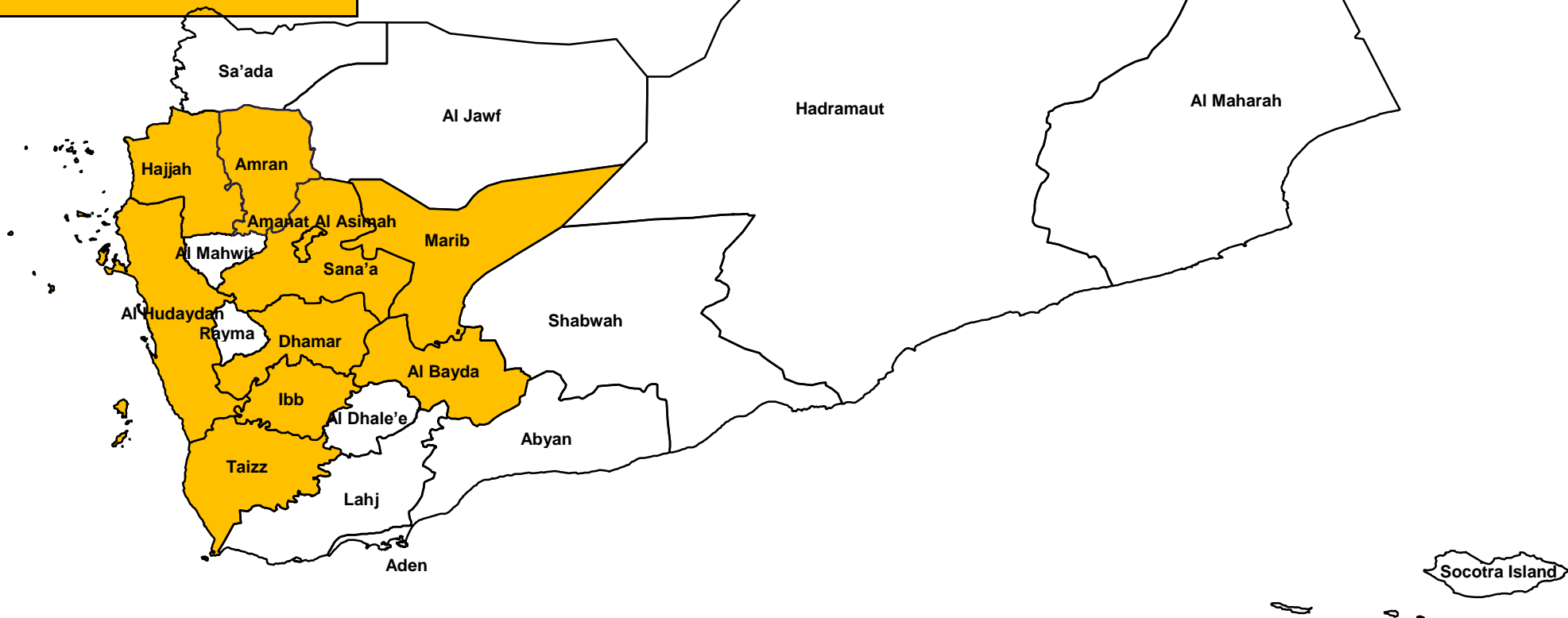
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## ➤ Al-Bayda Governorate:

DISTRICTS: (1) Wald Rabe'e (2) Al Malagim  
(3) As Swadyah.

## Food Security and Livelihoods:

### Launching April Cycle of General Food Distribution (GFD) to 7,630 Vulnerable HHs:

Our FSL field team have launched April distribution cycle of “General Food Assistance for the most Vulnerable Households” in (Wald Rabe'e, Al Malagim, As Swadyah) districts of Al-Bayda Governorate, benefitting 7,630 HHs of 53,410 individuals disaggregated (21,364 men, 22,219 women, 4,806 boys, 5,021 girls).



Figure 1: Taking beneficiaries' fingerprints before handing out food rations in Al-Bayda Governorate.

Location	Total HHs	Total Individuals	Men	Women	Boys	Girls
As Swadyah	3310	23170	9268	9639	2085	2178
Al Malagim	2332	16324	6530	6791	1469	1534
Wald Rabe'e	1988	13916	5566	5789	1252	1308
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>7630</b>	<b>53410</b>	<b>21364</b>	<b>22219</b>	<b>4806</b>	<b>5021</b>

### Training Workshop for District Food Assistance Committees (DIFAC) in Wald Rabe'e District:

RDP field team conducted a training workshop to discuss the new registration process for beneficiaries and the roles of DIFAC members. The training aimed to have the 7 DIFAC members prepared for the coming activities of formation at the levels of SUFAC and EFAC.



Figure 2: Training DIFAC members on the new registration process for beneficiaries and on how to select committees' members at the levels of SUFAC and EFAC.

## ➤ Taizz Governorate:

DISTRICTS: (1) Ash Shamayatayn.

### Food Security and Livelihoods:

#### Launching April Distribution Cycle of Cash Transfer Assistance in Ash Shamayatayn District:

Our FSL team launched the third distribution cycle of unconditional vouchers/cash transfer assistance in four sub-districts (Alasabeh- Alhadharim- Adeem- Alzakira (Alhaqnoon) of Ash Shamayatayn district, benefitting a total number of 2,800 HHs of 19,600 individuals disaggregated (3,842 men, 3,998 women, 5,762 boys and 5,998 girls).



Figure 3: Vulnerable HHs are lining up to get their cash vouchers in Ash Shamayatayn district, Taizz Governorate.

## ➤ Al-Hudaydah Governorate:

DISTRICTS: (1) Al-Qanawis.

### Food Security and Livelihoods:

#### First Cycle of Cash Transfer Assistance for IDPs in Al Qanawis District:

Through April, RDP has supported 100 most vulnerable HHs of 700 individuals (137 men, 143 women, 203 boys, 217 girls) with cash vouchers in Al-Qanawis district of Al-Hudaydah Governorate.



Figure 4: IDPs are queuing to receive their cash vouchers in Al-Qanawis district of Al-Hudaydah Governorate.



## ➤ Ibb Governorate:

DISTRICTS: (1) Mudhaikhera, (2) Al Udayn, (3) Far Al Udayn, (4) Hazm Al Udayn.

### Nutrition:

52 Health Facilities are Provided with TSFP services in (Far Al-Udayn, Hazm Al-Udayn, Mudhiakhera, and Al-Udayn) Districts:

RDP has been supporting 52 health facilities with TSFP services along with 8 mobile teams and 283 Community Nutrition Volunteers to serve CU5 and PLW who are suffering from moderate acute malnutrition over four districts. During the reported period, an achieved total number of 4,344 children have received TSFP services. 14,209 children and 5,789 PLW were screened for identification of malnutrition.

Supporting 104 FDPs with BSFP Services in (Far Al-Udayn, Hazm Al-Udayn, Mudhiakhera, and Al-Udayn):

During the reporting period, RDP nutrition teams have distributed 204.638 Metric tons of Super Cereal plus for 34,097 Pregnant Lactating Women (PLW) and 36.45 Metric Tons of Plumpy'Doz for 24,230 children under 2 in approximately 104 Food Distribution Points (FDPs) over four Districts of Ibb Governorate.



Figure 1: Screening children under 5 to identify malnutrition and serving them with TSFP services.



Figure 2: Serving children under 2 and pregnant & lactating women with BSFP services (Plumpy doz and Soya (WSB+) in hard to reach areas.



### Awareness Raising Sessions:

To raise awareness on important health, nutrition, hygiene, and Infant Young Child Feeding (IYCF) key messages, our 283 CNVs have launched over 861 awareness-raising campaigns for people in the second and third tiers around the supported 52 health facilities in Fara Al-Udayn, Hazm Al-Udayn, Mudhiakhera and Al-Udayn districts, achieving a total number of 14,612 individuals disaggregated (3,184 men, 11,428 women).



Figure 3: Conducting awareness raising sessions for the community, especially those who live in the third catchment areas.

## ➤ Sana'a, Marib, Al-Bayda, Amran, Dhamar and Amanat Al-Asimah Governorates:

### WASH:

Preparation for Three WASH Interventions in 90 Districts over 6 Governorates Funded by UNICEF:

- 1- **Cholera response intervention**, there will be cleaning and sterilization of 300 public water tanks, providing 74 water tanks, suctioning and rehabilitating 320 cesspits, conducting 9,393 awareness sessions on hygiene promotion and prevention of cholera and distributing 140,890 hygiene kits.
- 2- **Rehabilitation of 40 health facilities**, including WASH services in Al-Bayda, Marib and Dhamar Governorates.
- 3- **Assessment of WASH services for 307 health facilities** in 6 governorates (Sana'a, Sana'a, Al-Bayda, Marib, Dhamar and Amran).

## ➤ Taizz Governorate:

DISTRICTS: (1) Ash Shamayatayn.

### Protection:

#### Workshop for the Protection Team:

During the reporting period, RDP managed to train 20 community-based protection volunteers on the protection standards and responsibilities to enhance their knowledge of Psycho Social Support (PSS) and how to give a referral for such cases. The training also helped volunteers know how to effectively lead PSS sessions in the targeted sub-districts (Al-Asabeh – Adeem – Hadharim) of Ash Shamayatayn district of Taizz Governorate.



Figure 1: Protection team are taking a training workshop on how to lead PSS sessions effectively and in accordance with protection standards.

#### Capacity Building for CBPNs on Protection Criteria:

RDP conducted a training workshop for 12 individuals of Community-based Protection Networks (CBPNs), aiming to build their capacity on the protection criteria, train them on how to sensitize the community in the importance of protection activities, and provide them with guidelines on how to carry out Psycho Social Support sessions (PSS).



Figure 2: Training CBPNs on how to sensitize the community in the importance of protection activities in Ash Shamayatayn district of Taizz Gov.