



# Supporting the future of Syria and the region

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Responding to the Syrian Crisis

## EU support inside Syria

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**€1.8 billion EU assistance**  
inside Syria since 2011



**5.5 million people inside Syria**  
received **food** assistance to meet their daily needs in 2020



**Over 53,000 Syrian farmers and livestock holders**  
received support for their **agriculture** activities in 2020



**Almost 10 million Syrians**  
benefitted from primary **health** care, physiotherapy and psychosocial support in 2020

Data as of March 2021

*Umm Ahmed required urgent medical treatment for her weak heart and benefitted from free consultations at a primary health care center in the north of Idlib funded by the EU. In 2020, the EU facilitated access to health services to vulnerable people in north-west Syria such as Umm Ahmed with 342,271 primary health care consultations in reproductive and maternal health care, mental health, paediatric care and nutrition.*



### Paving the way for a **PEACEFUL SOLUTION TO THE CONFLICT**

The EU stands with the Syrian people and is working to support a genuine political solution that is Syrian-led and Syrian-owned, in line with UNSC Resolution 2254 and within the UN-facilitated Geneva process:

- Diplomatic efforts to halt the violence inside Syria and support an inclusive Syrian-led political settlement that would unlock reconstruction funds in line with UNSC Resolution 2254
- Support for Syrians to protect their rights (human, housing, land and property) and make their voices heard
- Support to Syrian women and youth as key actors in peacebuilding and conflict prevention
- Assistance to the families of the missing and the detained
- Support for the prosecution of persons responsible for crimes under International Law, seeking to promote a better access to justice for Syrians



### **€1.3 billion in HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE**

The EU responds to the life-saving needs of vulnerable Syrians with:

- Emergency health services, including trauma aid and child health care
- Food aid and support to livelihoods including multi-purpose cash assistance
- Protection programmes, including child protection and prevention of gender-based violence
- Access to safe drinking water and sanitation services
- Education in emergencies
- Humanitarian demining and risk awareness projects



### **€532 million in STABILISATION & LONGER-TERM ASSISTANCE**

The EU is the largest donor to Syrian civil society and creates perspectives for Syrians by:

- Promoting access to justice
- Empowering Syrians to protect their civic space
- Promoting dialogue as well as social and community cohesion
- Supporting Syrian youth and women through better livelihoods
- Funding agriculture and food security
- Providing non-formal education, Technical and Vocational Education and Training programmes
- Delivering health care and psycho-social support, and countering sexual and gender-based violence