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Justice



Compassion



Love



VISION & WORKS

ADRA works with people in poverty and distress to create just and positive change through empowering partnerships and responsible action.



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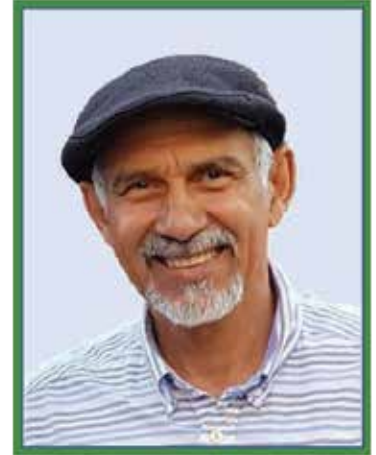


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COUNTRY DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE



Dear Friends,

Greetings! Among the values that inspire our work at ADRA is a profound belief in the inherent worth of every individual and a strong sense that we can and should do all in our ability to assist individuals and families to live as God intended.

I am pleased to present ADRA Lebanon's Annual Report for 2019. In the following pages, you will read a summary of our accomplishments which demonstrate ADRA's commitment to supporting the most vulnerable. Although the challenges were great, ADRA continued reaching out and expanding the positive impact of our work to new geographical areas and to new sectors of intervention.

ADRA Lebanon is extremely grateful for the support of our diverse and dedicated stakeholders who share our vision and coordinate their efforts to give a hand up for those ADRA serves throughout the country. We look forward to continuing our partnership together as we face the challenges of 2020.

Nagi Khalil

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Country Director
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ABOUT US

ADRA Lebanon belongs to the worldwide ADRA network, comprised of more than of 120 supporting and implementing country offices. ADRA's five core sectors include Food Security; Livelihoods; WASH; Education; and Emergency responses.

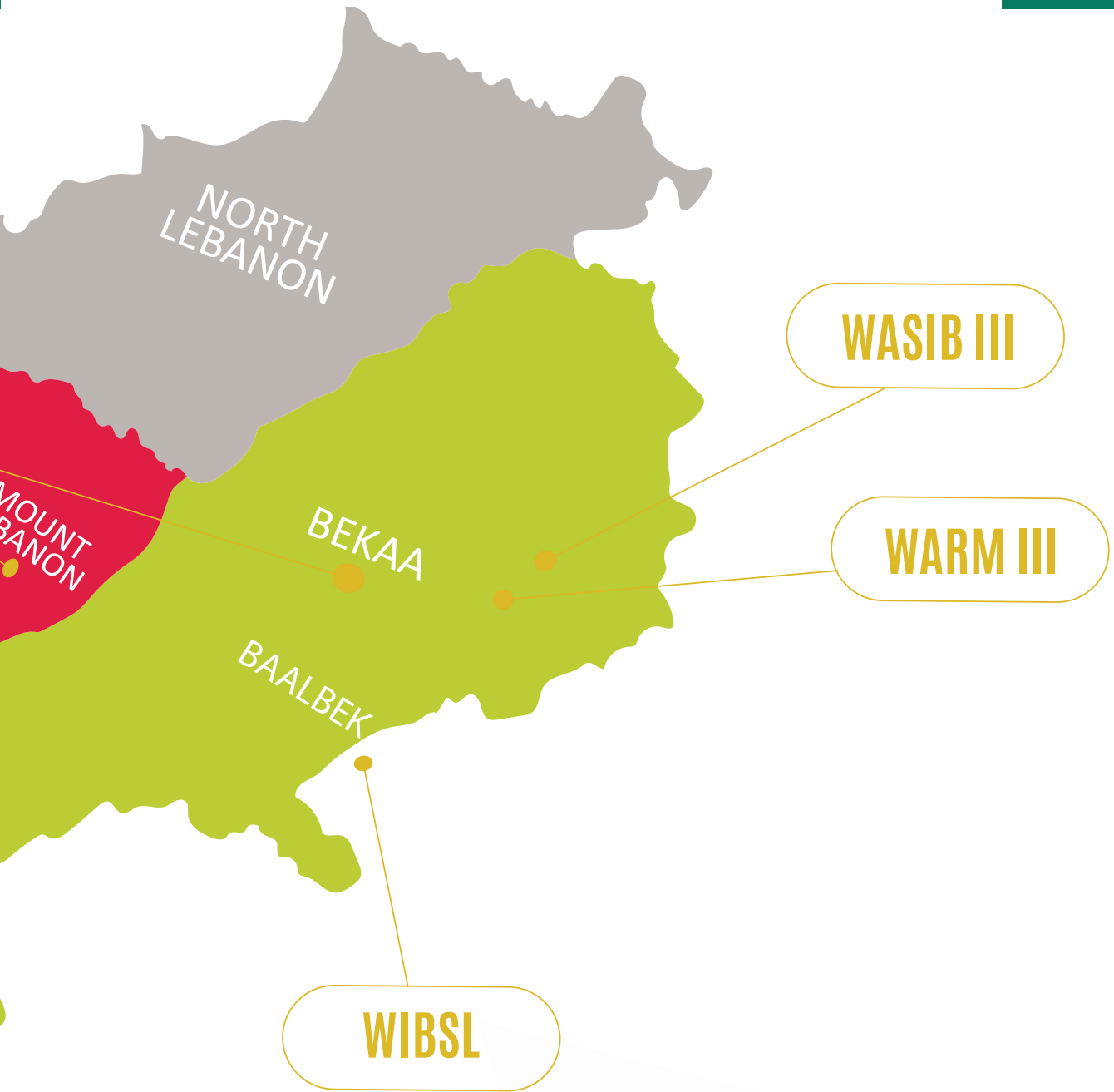
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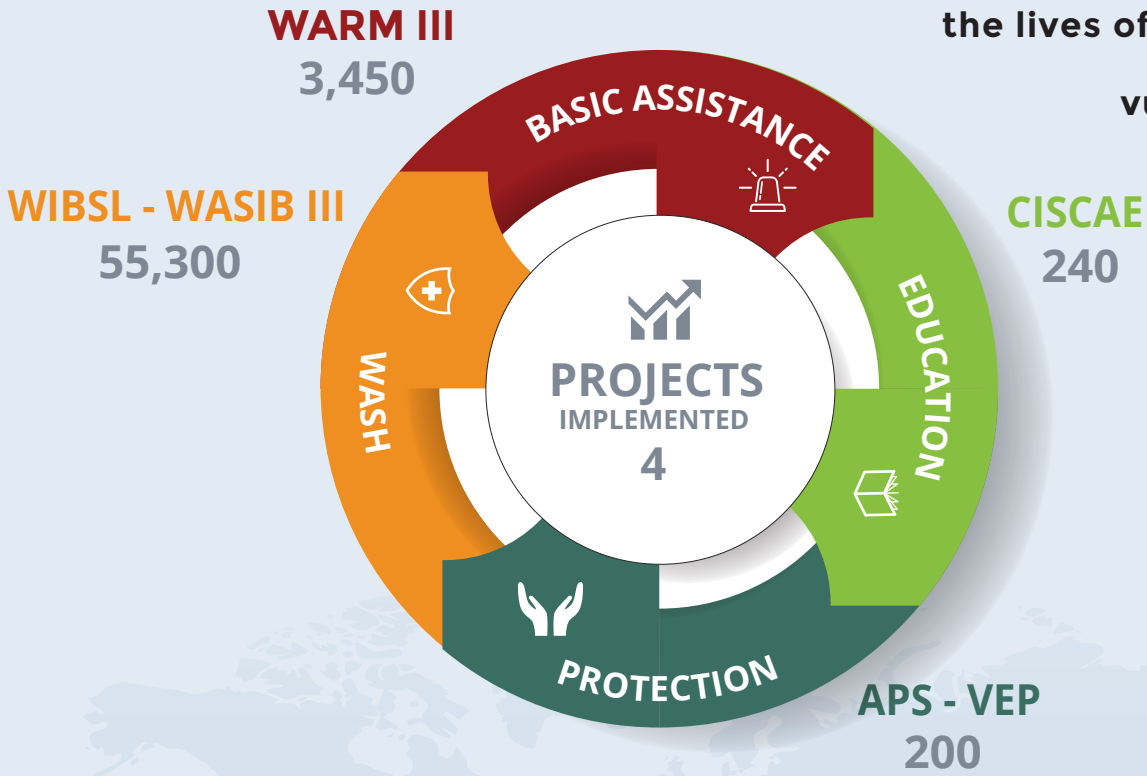


Wash



Protection

Our goal is to enhance the lives of the most vulnerable.



We provide development and humanitarian aid to those in need.

We provide support in education for children, protection assistance to the elderly, and ensure access to clean water.



EDUCATION

CISCAE III

01.

Community Initiatives for
Syrian Children to Access
Education (CISCAE III)

Supported by ADRA Australia
and ADRA Canada



120 children were supported with remedial classes and homework support four days a week, combined with psychosocial and recreational activities once per week. The 120 children also received healthy snacks five days a week.



**BACK
To
SCHOOL**



The project aims to reduce negative coping mechanisms and mitigate critical child protection risks, such as child labour, child marriage and the use of violent discipline.



Community outreach and mobilisation activities will also be aimed at promoting social and behavioural changes.



900 caregivers, parents and community members were provided with information regarding children's right to education, and participated in awareness sessions and parenting workshops.



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WASH
WIBSL
02.

**WASH Interventions in Bekaa
for Syrians and Lebanese
(WIBSL)**

Funded by the SlovakAid



This will be ensured through increasing the availability of sufficient water supplies of quality to target vulnerable communities through the construction of a sustainable water resource (a 500 cubic meter water reservoir) to benefit about 5,800 households in the targeted area.



Refugee and host communities in Baalbek, Lebanon have secure access to improved WASH services with the aim to reduce morbidity and mortality, as well as to improve the protection and quality of life.



Additionally, In order to improve water management practices, including sustainable water management and ensuring self-reliance of the population in water and sanitation. The ADRA Bekaa team conducted water-management and sanitation activities awareness session for 118 individuals to increase the responsible behavior and practice of community members in water consumption and hygiene practices.

WASH
WASIB III
03.

Access to water for Lebanese communities with a high number of Syrian refugees

**Supported by Czech Republic
Humanitarian Aid**

This project aimed at addressing gaps in the WASH sector in Bekaa Valley, namely lack of quality water supply and hygiene items are increasing identified Lebanese and refugee communities as well as insufficient knowledge of hygiene practices in informal tented settlements.





Hygiene kits were distributed to 560 households in Aarsal, Dalhamiya, Terbol and Marj Bekaa, providing them with hygiene items which these families could not afford to purchase otherwise.

To also promote healthy hygiene practices for displaced Syrian families, ADRA organized hygiene awareness sessions in informal tented settlements. The sessions both adults and children. The main activity of the project objective was to build a 500 cubic meter water reservoir provides 26,300 Lebanese host-communities and Syrian refugees in the Douris village with reliable access to quality water and Bekaa,

Additionally, distribution of hygiene kits were contributed to increase hygiene standards for the households in informal tented settlements and hygiene awareness sessions for the most vulnerable families to increased hygiene standards.

BASIC ASSISTANCE

WARM III

04.

Winterization Assistance for
Refugees in Bekaa Phase III
Funded by LDS Charities



The WARM III project was designed to alleviate the suffering of Syrian refugees and vulnerable Lebanese, in Baalbek, Lebanon.

A total of 690 households were reached (approximately, 3,450 individuals); who received a fuel card loaded with seventy five USD so that they could purchase fuel for three months.

The fuel was used to provide families with sufficient heating during the winter months.



PROTECTION

APS-VEP

05.

**Assistance and Protection
Services for Vulnerable
Elderly Persons Funded by
Lebanon Humanitarian Fund
(LHF); ADRA International;
and the South American
Division**



The project had four components: distribution of mobility aid and assistive devices, distribution of emergency cash, home visits, and capacity building for caregivers.

Older persons are one of the most under assisted populations within humanitarian assistance yet this demographic of people are considered one of the most vulnerable.

Through the APS - VEP project, 265 Lebanese and Syrian refugee elderly persons (182 females, 83 males) above 60 years old were provided with protection assistance. The project focused on and reducing the feeling of neglect, isolation, and building their resilience. Also, ADRA conducted sessions for caregivers and the community to build their capacity to better respond to the needs of the elderly.



01 **Mobility Aid and Assistive Devices:** included wheelchairs, walking frames, and hearing devices.

02 **Emergency Cash Based Assistance:** Immediate cash assistance was used as a humanitarian response tool to reduce protection risks and maintain the dignity of the older person. The cash was to relieve the beneficiary out of abject poverty or a protection risk.

03 **Caregiver Capacity Building:** Sessions were carried out to disseminate information on how and where caregivers can receive support and access services for the elderly; to be able to identify protection risks as well as refer the elderly effectively to the appropriate service. Also, to provide a platform for caregivers to share their challenges and receive encouragement in the daily care of the elderly.



Home visitations were conducted by the Community Workers to reduce the feelings of isolation and neglect felt by many of our elderly beneficiaries. During these home visits the Community Workers engaged in conversations sharing stories and memories; demonstrated how to use the mobility aid/ assistive devices we distributed; disseminated information on available services and how to access them; and identified the other needs of the older person in case they need to be referred. Finally, our Community Workers would accompany the beneficiary for a walk or run errands which contributed to the feelings of positivity.



ALLOCATION OF FUNDS

BUDGET USED

BASIC ASSISTANCE
20.2%
\$268, 538

YEAR COMPARISON	2018	2019
	\$825,867.16	\$1,059,419

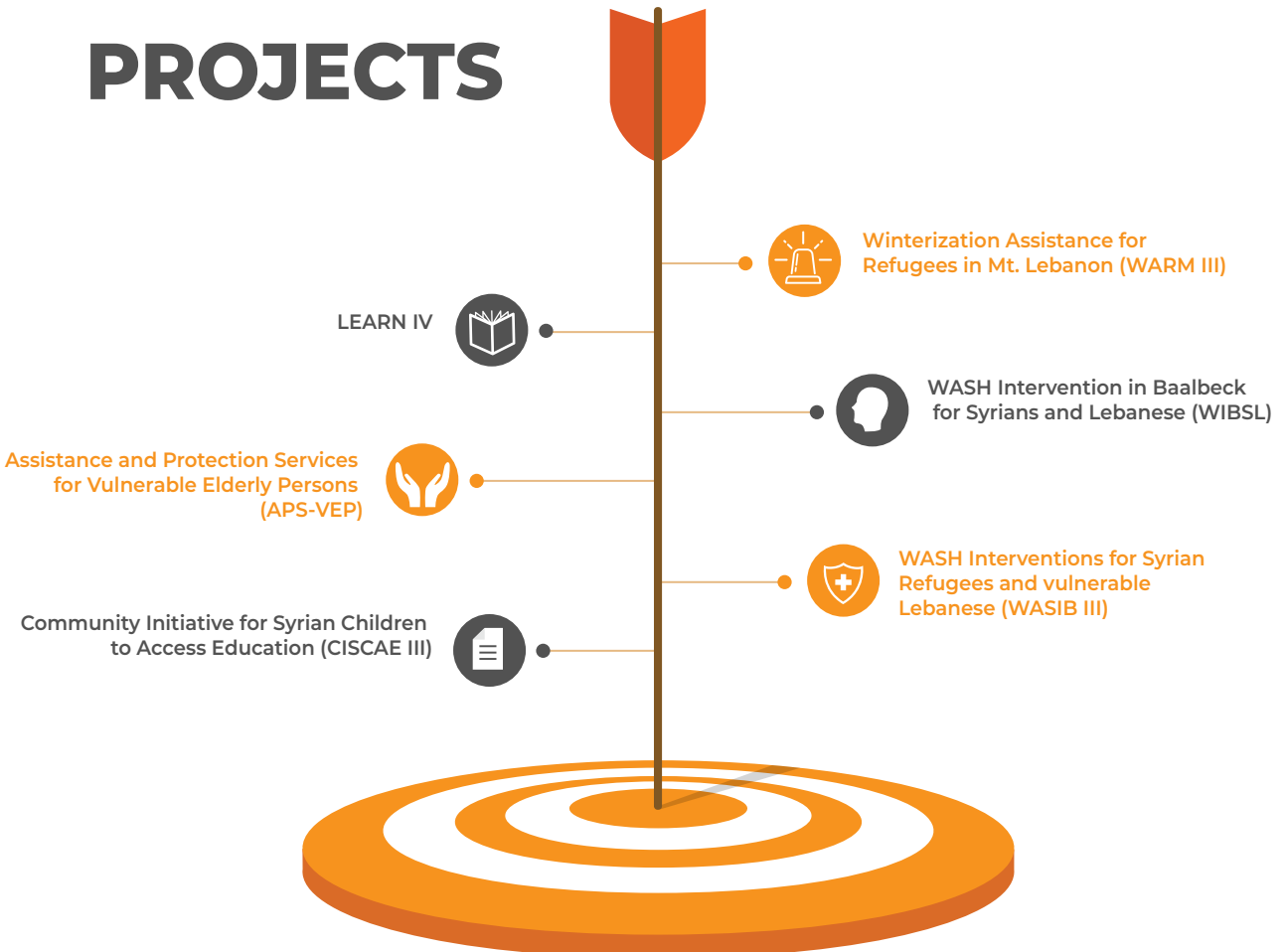
PROTECTION
20.7%
\$275,000

EDUCATION
28%
\$371,700

WASH
31.1%
\$412,719



PROJECTS



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A SPECIAL THANKS TO EVERYONE FOR THEIR GENEROSITY,
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