FROM JUNE 15TH TO 19TH, IOM HAS SERVED NEARLY 7,000 PEOPLE WHO FLED MOSUL
JUNE 15TH - 19TH DISTRIBUTIONS
Since June 15th, IOM has worked around the clock to provide much needed assistance to people fleeing the recent violence in Mosul and the surrounding governorates. With local authorities and the UN Country Team, IOM has distributed 1,160 IOM Non-Food Item (NFI) emergency packages, 820 food packages and 820 hygiene kits provided by WFP and UNICEF respectively to vulnerable families in six communities throughout Ninewa, Dohuk, and Erbil, serving an estimated 6,960 people (using 6 as the average family size in Iraq).

IOM remains among the fastest responders to the Mosul crisis through swift action and dedicated staff working overtime. On June 18th at 7:30 pm, IOM received a request from the Erbil Governor Office to provide emergency relief to newly arrived IDP families in Bahirka. Within three hours, IOM staff had loaded trucks and driven to the distribution site, and by 10:30 pm, IOM staff had distributed 40 IOM NFI emergency packages, providing essential support to an estimated 240 people displaced from Salah Al-Din.

Over the past two weeks, IOM teams have also assessed 146 locations with 141,123 displaced persons. According to the field assessments, the majority of the IDPs most urgently need NFIs, followed by food and shelter.

In the coming days and weeks, IOM will continue to distribute essential packages and further assess the needs of the displaced.

1,160 IOM EMERGENCY PACKAGES
820 WFP FOOD PACKAGES
820 UNICEF HYGIENE
7,000 PEOPLE ASSISTED
Distriution preparation begins as early as the previous evening or as late as only a few hours before at the IOM Iraq Central Warehouse in Erbil, where all the items that make up an IOM NFI emergency package are organized, catalogued, and stored. IOM staff load items for NFI kits onto trucks, which leave early the next morning to reach the distribution sites, where they will be unloaded and arranged for beneficiaries.
“Here we live with my son. There are eighteen of us in one room. We escaped violence, but this is still no way to live.”

- Khaled from Mosul
1,500 PEOPLE ASSISTED

250 IOM EMERGENCY PACKAGES

250 WFP FOOD PACKAGES

250 UNICEF HYGIENE KITS
“My children keep crying for food and water, but we have nothing. We left because I could not take care of my family in a war, but I cannot take care of my family here.”

- Ahmed from Mosul
600 PEOPLE ASSISTED

100 IOM EMERGENCY PACKAGES
100 WFP FOOD PACKAGES
100 UNICEF HYGIENE KITS
“We fled in the night — we walked for hours. I remember hearing gunfire as we walked. I wasn’t sure we would make it.”

- Mohamad from Mosul
1,920 PEOPLE ASSISTED

KHAZIR
150 IOM EMERGENCY PACKAGES
TALASQUF
170 IOM EMERGENCY PACKAGES
170 WFP FOOD PACKAGES
170 UNICEF HYGIENE KITS
“We left everything, lost everything when we fled. These items are all we have now.”

- Laila from Mosul
1,140 PEOPLE ASSISTED

BAHIRKA
40 IOM EMERGENCY PACKAGES

KHAZIR
150 IOM EMERGENCY PACKAGES
“I have five young girls. Until today, they had been sleeping without mattresses or blankets on the bare floor. This package will help my family.”

- Samira from Mosul
IOM EMERGENCY PACKAGES
- BASHIQQA: 200
- QASROK: 100

WFP FOOD PACKAGES
- BASHIQQA: 200
- QASROK: 100

UNICEF HYGIENE KITS
- BASHIQQA: 200
- QASROK: 100

1,800 PEOPLE ASSISTED