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The EU Regional Trust Fund in Response to the Syrian Crisis

الصندوق الاستئماني الأوروبي 'مدد'

## Project Factsheet

### Strengthening the Long-Term Resilience of Subnational Authorities in countries affected by the Syrian and Iraqi Crises

#### OBJECTIVE

Strengthen the long-term resilience of targeted subnational authorities and their host/refugee populations in countries affected by the Syrian and Iraqi crises.

**BUDGET**  
EUR 24.9 million

**START DATE**  
01/01/2019

**DURATION**  
36 months

#### EXPECTED RESULTS

- Enhancing subnational authorities' capacities to engage in holistic, area-based planning and consider different scenarios that respond to the needs of host, refugee and IDP populations.
- Increase the responsiveness of service delivery and generate greater social stability outcomes, based on the needs of host, refugee and IDP populations.
- Empowering subnational authorities in facilitating local economic development and have better access to municipal investment that benefits the extension of safe public services and economic opportunities for host, refugee and IDP populations.

#### BENEFICIARIES

**427,820**  
in Iraq

**240,250**  
in Lebanon

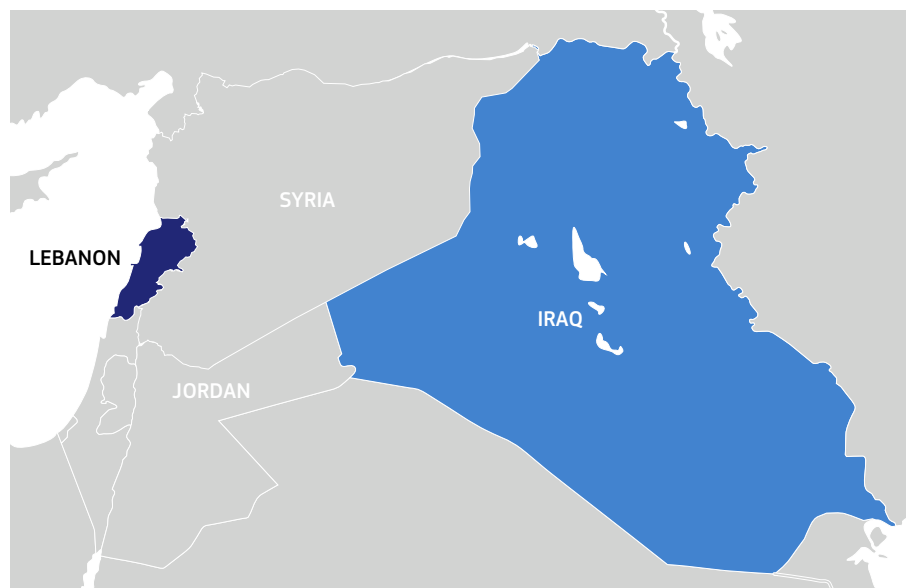
#### IMPLEMENTING PARTNER

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## PROJECT LOCATIONS



### LEBANON

Unions of municipalities of Tyre, Al Fayhaa & Maten North

### IRAQ

Governorates of Dohuk, Sulaymaniyah, Erbil and Ninewa

## EXPECTED IMPACT

### *Iraq*

- Improved and updated knowledge of vulnerabilities and risks.
  - Strengthened local capacity to prioritize resilience building interventions.
  - Improved access of host communities, IDPs and refugees to basic municipal services and social, public, and economic infrastructure.
  - Adequate housing is made available for low-middle income host community, IDPs and vulnerable refugee households.
  - Self-reliance of refugees, IDPs and vulnerable host communities are increased through job creation grant scheme
- the impact of the crisis
- Strengthened Municipal Capacity on Raising Revenues and Financial management
  - Strengthened local capacity to develop, design, coordinate and implement strategic projects that will alleviate the impact of the crisis
  - Identification and implementation of priority interventions
  - An Enabling Economic Environment is created with active engagement of Local Authorities, the private sector, and LED associations
  - Capacity at local level to identify develop, design and implement interventions with an economic multiplier impact improved

### *Lebanon*

- Efficient & timely municipal work processes to address impact of crisis are strengthened through an enhanced administrative interface.
- Greater Understanding and awareness by all local actors of their role in managing