

# **Ukraine**

# December 2017



#### **KEY DATES**

Sixty-five new damages to houses were reported in November. A steady increase in the new damages may be correlated with the presence of military within residential areas during the colder months of the year. November was the first sign of durable snow, which impacted homes that had been recently damaged. Thanks to the work of Shelter/NFI agencies, acute emergency materials were on hand to preserve the structure of the homes.

Activation of Cluster: December 2014

**CLUSTER ACHIEVEMENTS 2017** The Shelter Cluster's "2017 Annual Report" has been issued and includes the yearly achievements against 3 core Cluster objectives:

Objective 1 - To provide acute emergency response to newly damaged homes and life-saving winterization support. Target = 102,200 indiv Achieved = 118,589 indiv (116%)

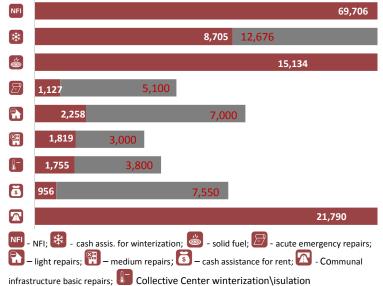
Objective 2 - To provide light and medium repairs and adequate housing support for IDPs through rent or winterized collective center support. Target = 21,350 HHs. Achieved = 6,815 HHs (32%)

Objective 3 - To provide permanent shelter through structural repairs/reconstruction and community infrastructure repairs. Target = 14,670 HHs. Achieved = 22,125 HHs (151%)

**NEW DAMAGES** In May 2017, in connection with the flare up of military activities in many villages along the contact line, the projection regarding the expected number of newly damaged houses throughout the year had to be increased by four times, to 1,000 units. The count at the end of the year - 1,052 - has confirmed the reliability of the projection. The breakdown by type of damage confirms the distribution observed in the previous years: 56% light damage (part of the roof; some windows); 27% medium damage (whole roof, several windows); 14% heavy damage (structural parts of the house); 3% total destruction.

WINTERIZATION In light of an expected lower commitment in the response, the Shelter Cluster advised in August to restrict the target from "severe" to "critical" needs. Since summer, when the first winterization activities started, 16,222 households (62% in GCA, 38% in NGCA) have received heating material - solid fuel, stoves - and 28,865 individuals (60% in GCA and 40% in NGCA) have received support for the purchase of winter clothes and blankets. The Shelter/NFI Cluster has flagged since the beginning of the winterization response a decline in the coverage compared to the previous year, in particular NGCA communities lacking fuel and heaters, and IDPs in GCA in need of assistance to purchase basic winter items.

Activity progress (January - December 2017)



#### **CLUSTER TEAM**

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#### **KEY DOCUMENTS**

Shelter/NFI Cluster strategy ENG

Monetization in the Shelter and NFI Sector in Ukraine ENG

Shelter Cluster Annual Report 2016 ENG

Recommendations on Winterization 2017-2018 ENG RUS

Guidance on structural repairs and reconstruction ENG UKR

Technical Essay on Housing Situation in Ukraine ENG

Cash assistance post-distribution monitoring report (2015)

Common cash PDM core questions <u>ENG RUS UKR</u>
Evaluation of the Shelter and NFI Cluster in Ukraine <u>ENG UKR</u>

## **KEY LINKS**

3W online submission form

Warehouses for contingency Inter-Cluster update form

Who is doing what where and when interactive dashboard

Housing, Land and Property TWIG

Permanent Shelter Solutions and linkage to integration

## December at a glance 600,000 69.706 HHs received NFIs Total people in need 21,790 HHs received 300,000 communal Cluster target infrastructure basic population repairs 25 4.104 HHs received light and Cluster medium repairs partners ource: HRP Ukraine 2017, 3W reports from partners. Cumulated figures for 2017 ote: number of Cluster partners is calculated monthly based on 3W reports which atles number of humanitarian actors reporting to Cluster and operating in Ukraine in a particular month