

SOMALIA

FACTS & FIGURES

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FACILITATING ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE

- **279,635** patients benefited from the Primary Health Care program in **29** clinics.
- **53,734** patients were treated within the Outpatient Therapeutic program.
- **20,712** consultations took place at the four ICRC supported hospitals Emergency rooms.
- **1,918** patients received care at the two stabilization centers in Baidoa and Kismayo.



Monitoring: A total of **262** beneficiaries receiving primary health care (PHC) services in ICRC supported SRCS clinics were contacted for post-assistance delivery monitoring. These patients had been referred to hospitals for medical emergencies and their transportation paid.

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FACILITATING ACCESS TO CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION SERVICES

- **40,000** people benefitted from **8** mechanised water supply systems delivering clean water.
- **41,300** residents and IDPs leaving in Ceel Waaq benefitted from hygiene promotion sessions and the donation of soaps and jerrycans from SRCS **70** volunteers.



HELPING TO IMPROVE LIVING CONDITIONS OF DETAINEES

- Facilitated the return to homes of **17** released detainees who have been held in link with the armed conflict that erupted in May 2018 between Puntland and Somaliland.

Read: [Somaliland/Puntland: 17 detainees released and returned home](#)



RESTORING FAMILY LINKS (RFL)

- Helped re-establish contact between family members with the support of the SRCS through the exchange of **71,368** Red Cross Messages (RCMs), the facilitation of **66,512** phone calls, tracing services that helped locate **243** individuals and the reading of **5,183** names in the “Missing Persons” radio program on BBC Somali.
- 788 phone calls facilitated within the migration programme implemented in Somaliland (Zeyla & Boroma)



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PROVIDING EMERGENCY RELIEF AID AND RESTORING LIVELIHOODS



- **157,284** persons received cash payments to cover their immediate needs.
- Distributed food to over **45,078** people.
- Provided essential household kits items to more than **36,624** people.
- **8,862** people in **17** agro-cooperatives received tractors, planters, disc ploughs, seeds and fertilizers for the sorghum and maize seeds production.
- **2,700** children under 5 years-old and **732** pregnant and/or lactating women admitted in the Targeted Supplementary Feeding Program and treated with plumpy sup and CSB plus respectively.
- **1,752** persons in fishing communities of Bosaso and Kismayo coastal areas received boats, boat engines and fishing kits.
- **1,140** households in **5** coastal areas of Kismayo received beekeeping equipment, business skills training, cash grants and technical trainings on beekeeping.
- **696** persons benefitted from agro recovery grants.
- **3,828** persons received training and productive cash grants to improve their businesses.

Monitoring: A total of **67,839** beneficiaries registered for relief and livelihood programs including recipients of cash and of in kind assistance were verified.



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ENSURING ACCOUNTABILITY TO THE AFFECTED POPULATION

Community Contact Centre (373):

- A total of **2,536** messages were received and processed through the toll-free (373) line from various locations.



SPREADING KNOWLEDGE OF AND PROMOTING HUMANITARIAN PRINCIPLES AND IHL

- Over **2,090** community leaders, women, youth, beneficiaries and SRCS volunteers were sensitized on the Fundamental Principles and informed of ICRC and SRCS activities and programs.
- Some **1,000** members of the Somali armed and security forces were briefed on humanitarian principles and IHL, as well as on ICRC and SRCS activities in the field.

The ICRC helps people around the world affected by armed conflict and other situations of violence, doing everything it can to protect their dignity and relieve their suffering, often with its Red Cross and Red Crescent partners. The organization also seeks to prevent hardship by promoting and strengthening humanitarian law and championing Universal humanitarian principles.

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