
JORDAN

Since the onset of the Syrian conflict, Jordan has provided refuge to over 1.2 million Syrians, 655,000 of whom are registered as refugees. Of these, approximately 15% reside in camps while the vast majority live in rural and urban communities. This influx of people is straining the Government of Jordan's ability to meet the needs of its citizens in critical sectors. This includes health, education, water and municipal service delivery.

Canada has a three-year strategy for comprehensive security, stabilization, humanitarian and development assistance in response to the crises in Iraq and Syria, and their impact on Jordan and Lebanon. In line with Jordan's national plans, Canada's programming in Jordan is strengthening the resilience and capacity of government, communities and people in:

- education;
- economic growth, with a focus on women's economic empowerment; and
- municipal service delivery.



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