RESPONDING TO THE SYRIAN CRISIS
EU SUPPORT
IN LEBANON



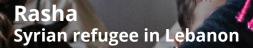
€1.8 billion

total EU assistance to Lebanon since 2011



230,000

Lebanese and Syrian children had access to **EDUCATION** 



Thanks to EU funds, Rasha took up studies in nursery education at the SPARK institute in Zeitouneh, Lebanon.

After completing her degree, Rasha was offered a job as a teaching assistant.

This job has improved our financial situation. I also personally benefited from it a lot. My personality is stronger now and I feel better integrated in this society. I did this to move forward in life, but also to achieve some of my dreams and aspirations."

Rasha is one of the almost 1 million Syrian refugees registered in Lebanon (UNHCR, 31/08/2019).



Over 1.6 million

Lebanese and Syrians benefited from **HEALTH** services



Over 170,000

Syrian refugees benefited from **PROTECTION** services

Data as of November 2019





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## Focusing on:

- Local social and economic development
- Investment in decent infrastructure and a stronger private sector
- Increasing the efficiency of institutions and the rule of law
- Support to civil society



## The EU responds to the most urgent needs of Syrians in Lebanon with:

- Assistance to cover basic humanitarian needs
- Access to healthcare, shelter, water and sanitation services
- Legal assistance, counseling and case management for Syrians facing legal concerns or having suffered violence and harassment



## The EU creates perspectives for both Syrians and Lebanese in the long term by:

- Promoting growth, job creation and social cohesion
- Supporting Lebanon in delivering access to improved education, health and water services
- Addressing the needs of refugees and Lebanese through the EU Regional Trust Fund in Response to the Syrian Crisis\*

\*About 10% of the budget of the EU Regional Trust Fund in Response to the Syrian Crisis is provided by EU Member States and Turkey.



