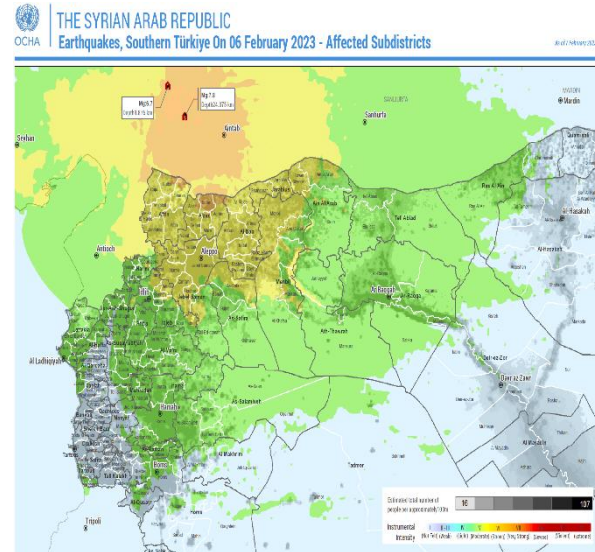


Sitrep (1) :- Food Security Sector – WoS EQ Response

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Overview Situation: -

- Many of the buildings already damaged by the crisis are at high risk of collapse. The earthquake came as the Middle East is experiencing a snowstorm that is expected to continue until Thursday (9 February). Additional earthquakes and tremors were felt through the afternoon of Monday and evening of Tuesday (7 February).
- UN Disaster Assessment and Coordination (UNDAC) team has deployed and will arrive in Aleppo on 9 February.
- Immediate needs identified include machines and equipment for debris removal, food assistance, shelter and non-food items and WASH support.



Response: -

In HCT hub, WFP and their partners supported 4,500 beneficiaries with hot meals and provided 2,500 RTEs (including preventative nutrition supplies and date bars) in Aleppo, Latakia, Tartous, and Hama, during the first three days of the response, in total 23 partners informed the sector on planning to support with food emergency assistance. In Homs, a committee was established at the section level to assess the building damage. There has been evacuation for some of the cities where buildings were already damaged from the crisis and those families will be evacuated to the shelters that were prepared to cover 3,000 people from other governorates as a preparedness plan. In Aleppo, around 18 collective centers have been established, the sector is arranging for sub-national partners to meet in Aleppo to coordinate resources and responses planned by multiple key FAS partners. In Lattikieh, the sector has called for ad-hoc meeting to highlight the needs.

In Northwest Syria:- WFP proposition 25,000 RTE's and distribution of 1000 RTEs, 600 in Harim and 400 in Jendaris. Partners is planning to establish mobile kitchens. Partners are expected to scale up the response on Feb,9th including RTE's and Cash activities.

Two ad-hoc Earthquake emergency response meetings were arranged by the sector, coordination at national and hub level have started in particular to respond to the most affected population by the earthquake.

Assessments: -

In HCT hub,

Partners are conducting RNA assessments, and markets assessments in Aleppo

In Northwest Syria:-

bakeries functionality and market analysis, as well as conducting a Wheat to Bread facilities mapping and assessment in NWS.