

The current level of hunger in Yemen is unprecedented and is causing severe hardship for millions of people. Despite ongoing humanitarian assistance, over 20 million Yemenis are food insecure, of which nearly 10 million are acutely food insecure. The Covid 19 pandemic has further compounded existing vulnerabilities experienced by beneficiaries especially the under-five children, pregnant and lactating women and various operational challenges. According to the UN report, parts of Yemen are seeing their highest levels of acute malnutrition in children which heightening warnings that the country is approaching a dire food security crisis.



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Drivers of malnutrition in Yemen worsened in 2020, as the coronavirus pandemic, economic decline, floods, under-funding of this year's aid response have compounded an already bleak hunger situation after nearly six years of war.

However, it is noted, despite these challenges, generous resources by the donors, and efforts by MoPHP, UN agencies, NGO partners and the nutrition cluster coordination team, enabled and facilitated continued delivery of nutrition services in the country including remote locations. The MOHP also highlighted several challenges (logistic, supervision, implementation of services in COVID -19, timely delivery of supplies, delay in payments etc) that were expected to be addressed during the mid-year review.



Sanid Organization for Relief and Development (SORD), as an NGO working in Yemen, tries its best to reduce the malnutrition rate among under-five children and PLWs in Yemen in general and in Sana'a Governorate, in particular, where this project has been implementing :

**Save lives 3025  
children U5yr & 1,360  
PLW in Yemen**".

This project aims at contributing to the reduction of mortality and morbidity associated with acute malnutrition to children under 5, pregnant women and lactating mothers in the targeted areas that have high acute malnutrition rates. During the first quarter of 2020, children under 5 and PLWs suffering from acute malnutrition have been supplied with the proper nutrition supplementary. Community awareness have

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been raised among the pregnant women ,lactating mothers and Girls of childbearing age regarding the evils of malnutrition, both for child and mother, the importance of good nutrition for the mental and physical well-being, and how to use the available

All reached data and achievements regarding this project can be found in the following charts:

**Newly recruited children in program (CMAM), to treat malnutrition for April - June 2020.**

| Month | Program type                                       | Sex    | MUAC<11.5<br>Cm | Z-SCORE<3 | Total | Total of children<br>attending hospital |
|-------|--|--------|-----------------|-----------|-------|---|
| April | SAM without complications for<br>children <5 Years | Male   | 1               | 1         | 2     | 42                                      |
|       |  | Female | 3               | 10        | 13    | 96                                      |
|       |  | Total  | 4               | 11        | 15    | 138                                     |
| May   | SAM without complications for<br>children <5 Years | Male   |                 | 7         | 7     | 46                                      |
|       |  | Female | 2               | 8         | 10    | 96                                      |
|       |  | Total  | 2               | 15        | 17    | 142                                     |
| June  | SAM without complications for<br>children <5 Years | Male   | 19              | 4         | 23    | 115                                     |
|       |  | Female | 42              | 8         | 50    | 267                                     |
|       |  | Total  | 61              | 12        | 73    | 382                                     |
| Total |  |        | 67              | 28        | 105   | 662                                     |

Performance indicators in percentage for TFC/SC

## DETAILS STATEMENT for April - June, 2020

| Monthly summary of the number of children from 6 to 24 months |      |        |       |   |                          |        |                                 |                    |              |           |
|---|------|--------|-------|---|--------------------------|--------|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Month   | Sex  |        |       | Classification by color, location and measurement of the mid-arm in the measuring tape of the child |                          |        | Number of children with (Edema) | Number of children | Action taken |           |
|   | Male | Female | Total | Sever acute malnutrition (SAM)  | Average malnutrition MAM | Normal |                                 |                    | Referral     | Awareness |
| April   | 68   | 74     | 142   | 15  | 33                       | 94     | 0                               | 60                 | 0            | 141       |
| May   | 62   | 66     | 128   | 17  | 39                       | 72     | 0                               | 80                 | 0            | 128       |
| June  | 71   | 86     | 157   | 18  | 55                       | 70     | 0                               | 70                 | 0            | 157       |
| Total   | 201  | 226    | 427   | 50  | 127                      | 236    | 0                               | 210                | 0            | 426       |

### Monthly summary of the number of children aged 6 to 24 months according to the schedule at the level of the health center

| Month | Total | Female | Male |
|-------|-------|--------|------|
| April | 52    | 31     | 21   |
| May   | 44    | 26     | 18   |
| June  | 31    | 44     | 75   |
| Total | 127   | 101    | 114  |

| Month | The total number of pregnant and lactating mothers | Average less than( 23)cm |           | normal   |           | Action taken |           |
|-------|--|--------------------------|-----------|----------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
|       |  | Pregnant                 | Lactating | pregnant | lactating | Referral     | Awareness |
| April | 214  | 39                       | 30        | 64       | 81        | -----        | 85        |
| May   | 272  | 38                       | 26        | 52       | 156       | -----        | 250       |
| June  | 225  | 31                       | 51        | 49       | 86        | -----        | 225       |
| Total | 711  | 108                      | 107       | 165      | 323       | -----        | 560       |

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