



Association pour un Liban social, solidaire, acteur de sa reconstruction.

ALISSAR Emergency Response – Narrative Report

Since its establishment, ALISSAR (Association for a Social and Solidary Lebanon, Actor in its Reconstruction) has been committed to supporting vulnerable communities across Lebanon. Through its core programs in women’s economic empowerment, youth digital inclusion, environmental sustainability, and the rehabilitation of schools and community infrastructure, the organization has worked to foster resilience and long-term development.

However, with the recent escalation of violence and the ongoing crisis in Lebanon, the humanitarian situation has deteriorated dramatically. Today, more than one million people have been displaced, many of whom are living in overcrowded shelters and lack access to even the most basic necessities.

In response to this urgent situation, ALISSAR has initiated on-the-ground emergency support efforts, despite its primary focus on development work. These interventions, though modest in scale, have aimed to address critical and immediate needs among displaced populations.

At **Shakib Arslan Public School in Ras Beirut**, currently hosting approximately 1,200 displaced individuals, ALISSAR distributed essential hygiene items, including sanitary pads and baby diapers, to support women and infants living in difficult conditions.



At **LPS School in the Jnah area**, the team identified 60 infants in urgent need of baby formula. Alarmingly, some of these infants had been surviving solely on water due to the lack of access to proper nutrition. In response, ALISSAR mobilized resources to provide baby formula and prevent further health risks among these vulnerable children.



In parallel, ALISSAR has expanded its support to include **direct assistance to individuals** and families reaching out for help. Through this effort, the organization has been providing medication, food supplies, clothing, and personal hygiene items to those most in need, ensuring a more responsive and human-centered approach to the crisis.




To further scale up its response, ALISSAR is actively mobilizing its network of partners and volunteers to deliver essential aid, including food parcels, hygiene kits, baby products, blankets,

clothing, and critical medical supplies. While continuing its long-term development programs, the organization is adapting to the urgency of the current context to stand in solidarity with displaced communities.

ALISSAR remains committed to supporting the Lebanese population during this critical time, combining its development expertise with immediate humanitarian action to alleviate suffering and restore dignity.

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