



**Standing with Syria**  
Meeting the needs for  
a successful transition  
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## EU support in Syria

### Nearly €37 billion

have been allocated by the EU and its Member States since 2011, for the Syria crisis response. This includes almost €2.55 billion in EU assistance inside Syria.

The fall of the Assad regime offers a unique opportunity for the Syrian people, both inside Syria and in the host countries, to reunite, stabilise and rebuild their country.

Today, the EU is committed to supporting an inclusive, Syrian-led political process and the country's stabilisation, inter alia by scaling up efforts to assist in Syria's socio-economic recovery and reconstruction.

Further priorities will include maximizing the role of the civil society in driving an inclusive transition as well as creating the conditions for the voluntary, safe and dignified return of Syrian refugees.



### €1.758 billion

in Humanitarian assistance

The EU provides lifesaving humanitarian aid inside Syria only via UN agencies, NGOs and international organisations to support:

**Emergency health services**, including trauma, maternal and child healthcare, sexual and reproductive health, and Mental Health and Psycho-Social Support (MHPSS).

**Food assistance** and security.

**Support for livelihood opportunities**, including multipurpose cash assistance.

**Access to safe drinking water and sanitation** services.

**Emergency shelter** and winterisation support.

**Protection programmes**, including individual case management, child protection, prevention and response to gender-based violence, as well as protection monitoring.

**Education in emergencies.**

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*"Dreams are not what we see while sleeping but what keeps us awake. The AQL project, with the generous EU funds, sponsored a psychiatric nursing diploma program, which I completed with joy".*

**Halah Monla Mohammad**, 29, is a Psychiatric Nursing graduate, thanks to the EU-funded Advanced Quality Learning for Mental Health (AQL) project, implemented by the Syrian American Medical Society (SAMS). Today, she runs a project in psychiatric nursing and autism treatment at the Al-Zahrawi Center in Raqqa, Syria, contributing to mental health support in her community.



### €782.8 million

in Recovery, Dialogue and Accountability

The EU has been the largest donor in creating opportunities for Syrians by addressing longer-term needs through:

**Supporting agriculture and farming**, while creating livelihoods opportunities.

**Building skills** through education and vocational training.

**Improving access to and the quality of health services**, and strengthening the health workforce.

**Supporting the protection of the civic space** and promoting social and community cohesion.