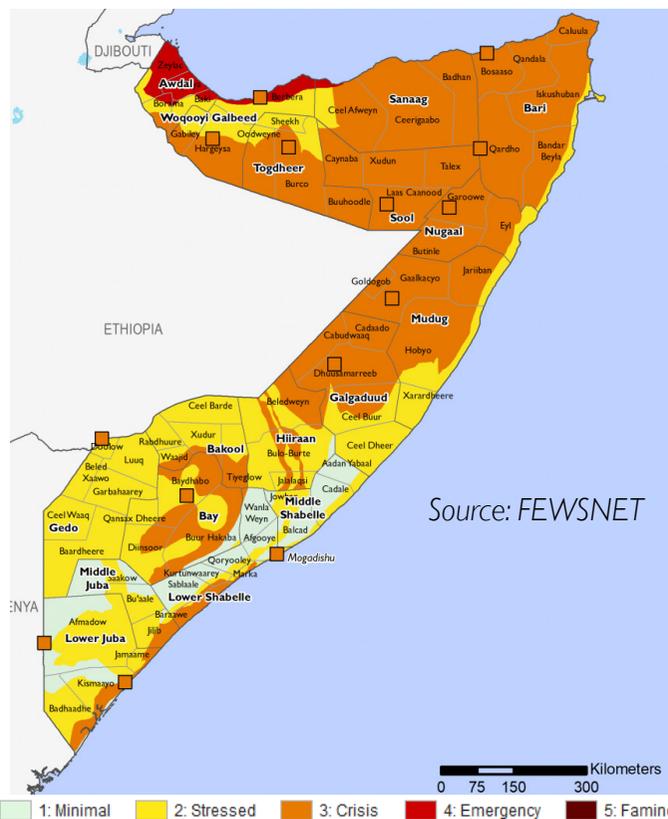


Key messages

- Overall situation:** Delayed and sporadic rainfall is jeopardising livelihoods and food security of thousands of Somali families. The Gu cereal harvest failed in most regions, leaving most poor agro pastoral and riverine households unable to meet their minimum food needs. In pastoral areas, the impact of the drought on livestock has led to a lack of access to milk, and many poor households have accumulated large debts while struggling to feed their families and rescue their remaining livestock.
- Food security:** Somalia continues to experience extreme levels of food insecurity with 5.4 million people of the population being food insecure. As a response to the drought, the office scaled up drought response projects funded by WFP from June to December covering more beneficiaries in Somaliland, South Central and Puntland. A total of 182,046 beneficiaries will benefit from this activity.
- Malnutrition:** Nearly a million children under-5 years are projected to be acutely malnourished if no timely humanitarian aid is availed.
- The Federal Ministry of Health in collaboration with the World Health Organisation (WHO) launched Somalia's road map for Universal Health Coverage (UHC) in Mogadishu on 15 September. The new road map is expected to pave way for 'health for all, by all' by improving access to basic health care and reducing financial hardships associated with health care in Somalia.
- There are settlements which are reported to have insufficient latrine services, forcing the displaced to practice open defecation. Waste management in Gaalkacyo, on the border between Galmudug and Puntland, is also constrained. Most latrines are shallow and cause recurrent challenges. Additionally, town is also in need of boreholes, pipelines, solar panels and a new landfill.

Food Security Outlook

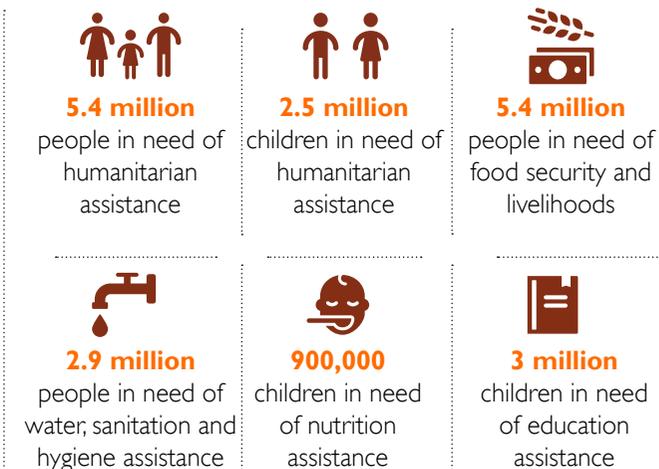
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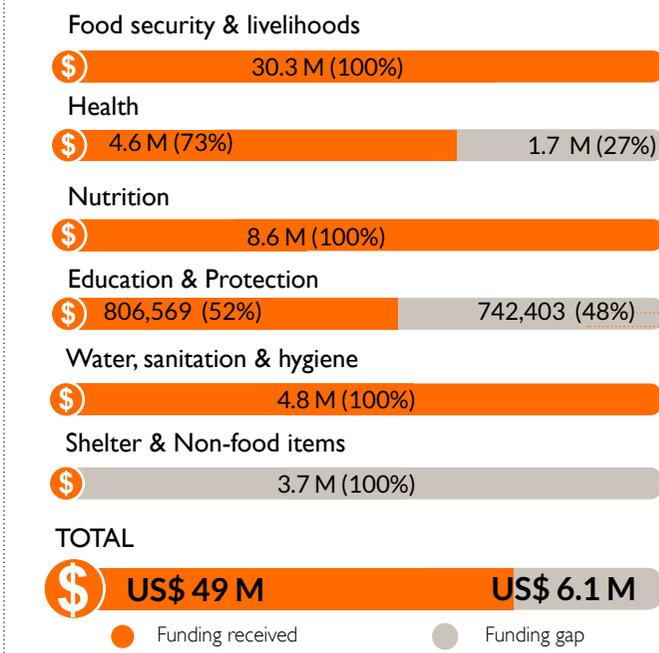
Gaps and needs

- Without adequate and timely funding, World Vision will not be able to respond to the continuous nutrition crisis or to reach the most vulnerable children in need of health, education, protection and WASH services. Additional funding will also provide critical services to the internally displaced persons facing the spread of diseases and scale up activities in all regions.

Humanitarian needs



Funding needs



Response highlights



WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE

- 61,805 people including 16,120 children benefited from various WASH activities including hygiene awareness training and rehabilitation of water facilities in South West State, Jubaland, Puntland and Somaliland.
- In South West State under GAC Project, 1500 sets of WASH NFIs targeting 2,745 individuals were procured and distributed
- In Somaliland, 1,200 (624F, 576M) beneficiaries were provided with access to safe water through construction of new earth dam at Barcad community
- In Puntland, WASH, education and protection sector staff distributed 28 sets of cleaning material benefitting a total of 2,912 students.



HEALTH

- 93,250 people (29,675 children) received various health services including out-patient, antenatal, immunization and health education in health centres and mobile clinics supported by World Vision.
- In South West State and Jubaland, a total of 15,156 people benefitted from outpatient medical services in health facilities supported by World Vision.
- In Puntland, 11,431 people received out-patient treatment at 15 health centres and 4 mobile clinics and 6,317 children were immunized.



EDUCATION

- 1,043 individuals including 300 adults benefited from education interventions in South West State and Puntland.
- In South West State, 110 students continued undertaking Institute-based technical training in tailoring, computer studies, mobile repairing, beauty salon and tie and dye.
- In Puntland, 102 teachers were supported with incentives. This is aimed at keeping teachers in school and promoting learning among students as well as improve on the quality of education.
- Separately, World Vision also facilitated school debating clubs at the village level to improve the children's communication skills.



FOOD SECURITY & LIVELIHOODS

- 180,360 people in South West State, Jubaland, Puntland and Somaliland benefitted from food security and livelihoods interventions.
- In Somaliland, 73,308 beneficiaries in Odweine, Burao, Gabiley and Berbera were supported with food vouchers. In the reporting period, cumulative savings of USD \$297,034.50 were recorded under Savings for Transformation (S4T) across Jubaland and SWS.
- In Puntland, 3,435 Households (20,610 individuals, 6,684M, 13,926F) benefitted from in-kind food distribution in Dangorayo, Eyl and Godobjiraan Districts.



NUTRITION

- 39,977 people including 15,486 children were screened and treated of Severe Acute Malnutrition (SAM) and Moderate Acute Malnutrition (MAM) in South West State, Somaliland and Puntland
- Over this reporting period, in Jubaland and South West State, 6,175 under the age of 5 children, received malnutrition screening whereby 454 were found to be severely malnourished (SAM) without complications and referred to OTP sites.
- In Somaliland, World Vision supported 27 health facilities, one stabilization centre and 10 mobile teams with nutrition screening and case management benefitting 33,747 people.

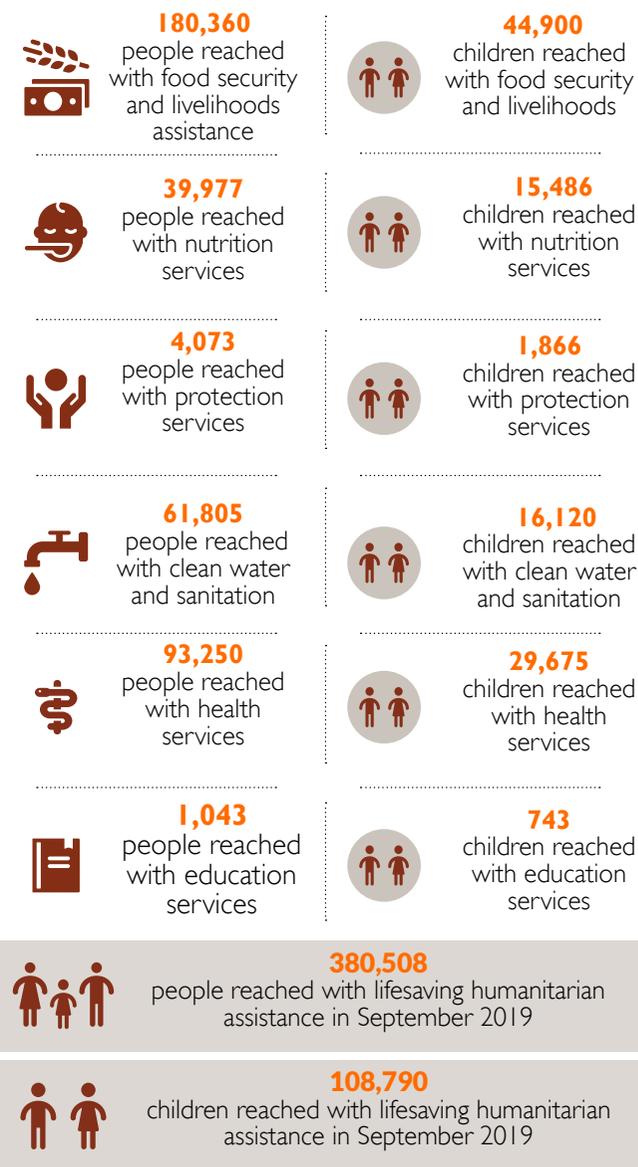


PROTECTION

- 4,073 people including 1,866 children benefited from protection interventions in Puntland, South West State and Jubaland.
- In Puntland, 657 community members benefitted from different education sessions on child protection, gender and child rights.
- World Vision supported an abandoned new born baby at Towfiq MCH with GIK by giving him towels, baby bed, mattress, soaps and dinnerware and provided the foster mother with counselling.
- In Somaliland, a total of 510 children have been reached through awareness creation and messaging sessions on FGM, Child marriage and Fistula in different locations.

Response achievements

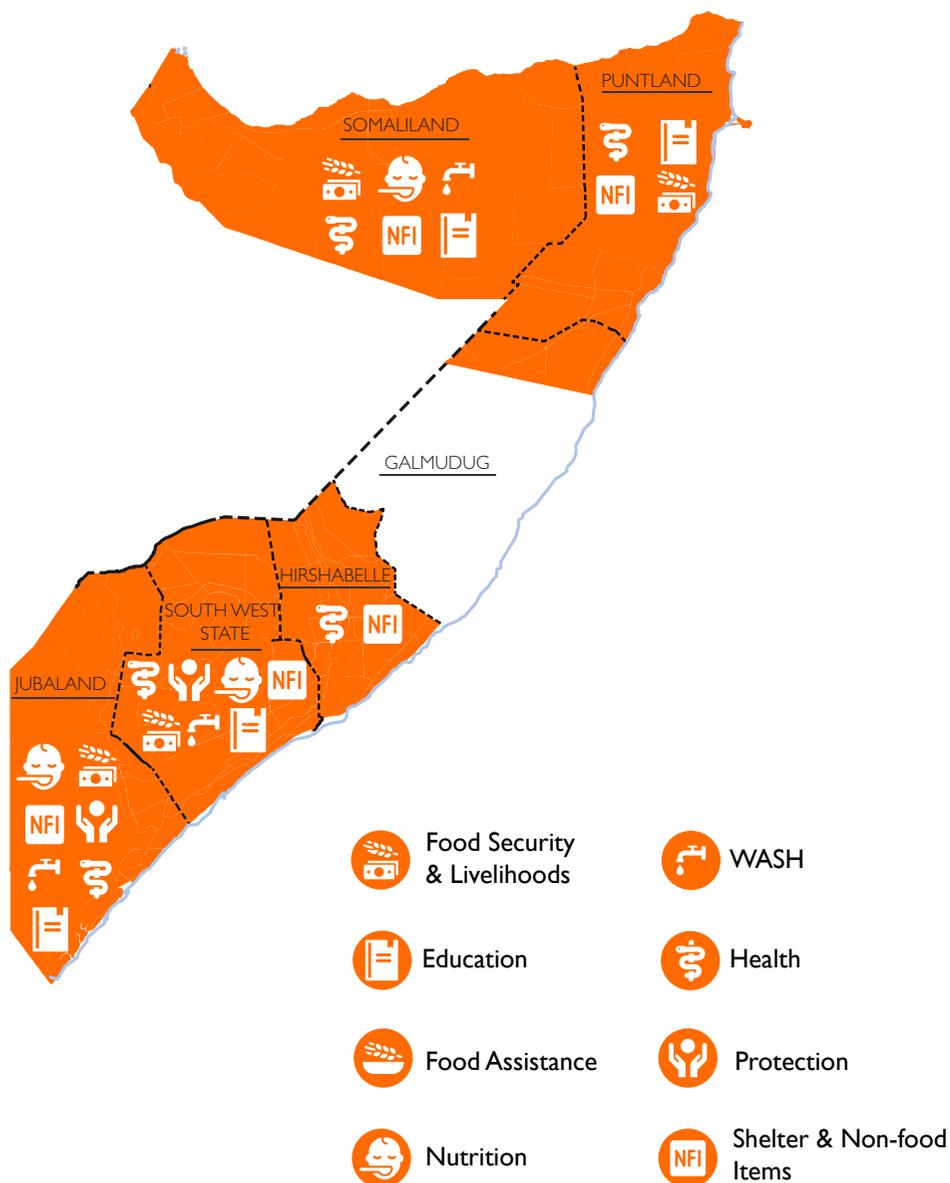
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