World Vision started operating in Lebanon in 1975. Since then, it has been assisting Lebanese families and refugees through long-term development projects, emergency relief, and advocacy, complementing the efforts of the government and other humanitarian partners.

World Vision has been working with the poorest communities in Lebanon for nearly 45 years, and has established strong relations with communities and local stakeholders. World Vision's development program focuses on empowering local communities to become agents of change. World Vision programmes in Lebanon are designed to strengthen a child-sensitive social protection system for vulnerable girls and boys, through evidence-based interventions in child protection, education, water, sanitation & hygiene (WASH), basic assistance and livelihoods.

Since 2012, World Vision has been responding to the Syrian Crisis by assisting Syrian refugees and vulnerable members of local host communities through humanitarian relief programs across sectors. In 2020, World Vision responded to the COVID-19 pandemic and reached 540324 individuals including 229304 children to limit the spread of the virus and reduce its impact on vulnerable children and families. World Vision also responded to the Beirut Explosion and delivered assistance to 169313 beneficiaries including 67234 children.

And currently, World Vision is responding to the socio-economic situation in Lebanon.

ESSENTIAL NUMBERS FOR FY22

- **31** projects
- **845,710** beneficiaries including **449,283 children**
- **18,125** children registered in Sponsorship Programme
- **5** disasters managed including Global Hunger Response
- **$20,3million** annual budget in addition to $115,344,835 in non-cash transfer value
- **278** staff members
- **300+** local partners: schools, municipalities, CBOs, NGOs
- **Donors:** UNICEF, WFP, UNHCR, EU, USAID-BHA, GIZ, DFAT
CHILD PROTECTION
World Vision Lebanon is committed to create a protective environment that supports the wellbeing of children, by focusing on:
• Violence Against Children, specifically violent child discipline at home and in schools
• Child Labour especially the worst forms of child labour
• Mental Health and psychosocial wellbeing of children and caregivers
• Working with faith leaders and key community stakeholders to promote child protection

EDUCATION
World Vision Lebanon aims to improve access and quality of education so that children have the skills and knowledge to succeed through supporting:
• Enrolment in formal education
• Non-formal education through learning programs related to Early Childhood Education and Basic Literacy and Numeracy skill growth
• Homework and retention support
  • Cash for Education

LIVELIHOOD AND BASIC ASSISTANCE
World Vision Lebanon aims to improve economic opportunities for host and refugee communities, by focusing on:
• Food and Multipurpose cash assistance
• Cash for work assistance as temporary income generation
• Improved access to the labour market
• Support producers to improve production and access to markets
• Access to finance

WATER, SANITATION AND HYGIENE (WASH)
World Vision Lebanon seeks to address gaps in water infrastructure, basic sanitation facilities and hygiene, by focusing on:
• Humanitarian WASH (water distribution, construction of latrines, desludging etc.)
• Hygiene promotion and community mobilization (including Cholera)
• Support the water establishment and other institutions to strengthen infrastructure
• Strengthen water governance

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