In 2021, the Yemen Humanitarian Fund (YHF) and the Central Emergency Response Fund (CERF) jointly provided approximately $149 million for lifesaving assistance in Yemen. Funding was allocated through a CERF Rapid Response (RR) allocation in May, followed by two YHF Standard Allocations as well as four Reserve Allocations launched between June and December, respectively. CERF and YHF funding were strategically prioritized to cover the needs of over 13 million vulnerable people, many of whom are living in the hardest to reach, and frontline areas. This pooled funding represents 6.6 per cent of the $2.27 billion contributed to the 2021 Yemen Humanitarian Response Plan (YHRP) in 2021, making it the sixth largest source of funding. Out of the total pooled funding allocated in 2021, $85.1 million (57.1 per cent) went to NGOs and Red Crescent Society (RCS) partners.

YHF and CERF funding was allocated in a strategic and complementary manner. The CERF RR allocation of almost $40 million was allocated to UN agencies and their partners in response to large-scale displacement and further deterioration of living conditions of already displaced populations in Al Jawf and Marib. The funding aimed to enable immediate scale-up of the response capacity in the two governorates through the provision of air transport and logistics for humanitarian partners, as well as the delivery of lifesaving, multi-sectoral services to address the most urgent needs of over 768,000 people displaced by conflict and members of host communities.

Complementing the CERF funding, in June, the YHF first Standard Allocation (SA1) of $50.5 million provided critical funding to 1.95 million people in need across 16 governorates in Yemen, of which a total of $7.1 million was allocated to support more than 290,000 people in Marib and Al Jawf specifically. Out of the total SA1 funding allocated, approximately $46.3 million (91.6 per cent) was allocated to NGOs and Red Crescent Society Partners.

In November, the Second YHF Standard Allocation (SA2) provided $44.5 million to 35 partners’ lifesaving activities targeting more than 1.5 million people across 10 governorates of Yemen. Approximately $11.7 million was allocated for Marib in particular in view of recent displacement and increasing humanitarian needs, targeting more than 475,000 people in urgent need of assistance. Combined, these three allocations provided a timely and effective response, leveraging on the funds’ comparative advantages of scale and reach.

The fast injections of funding from the YHF Reserve Allocations 1, 2, 3 and 4, respectively, between August and December 2021 provided a total of $14.3 million to meet urgent needs across Yemen, including in Marib and Al Jawf. In total, more than $46 million, or almost 31 per cent of the combined CERF and YHF allocations made in 2021, are supporting the humanitarian response in these two governorates.

$148.9 million
CERF and YHF allocations to the Yemen response in 2021

13 million
beneficiaries

2021 YHF AND CERF FUNDING TO YEMEN

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<td>$2.9M</td>
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<td>Reserve Allocation 4: lifesaving assistance to the most vulnerable people affected by conflict in Al Baydah and Marib Governorates as well as mine action clearance in Al Hodeidah Governorate</td>
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$39.9 M CERF Rapid Response Allocation: lifesaving activities in Marib and Al Jawf, and common services/ UNHAS and logistics

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$148.9 million
allocated

51 partners
113 projects

PROJECTS BY GENDER WITH AGE MARKER (GAM)

111 projects

1- Does not systematically link programming actions
2- Unlikely to contribute to gender equality (no gender equality measure but includes age consideration)
3- Likely to contribute to gender equality, but without attention to age groups
4- Likely to contribute to gender equality, including across age groups

1- Some beneficiaries may receive services from more than one allocation source and/or more than one cluster and therefore may be double counted. In addition, this number includes an estimated 7.5 million people benefiting from fuel support to health and WASH facilities funded through the First 2021 YHF Reserve Allocation. The number of people targeted under this allocation also includes all indirect beneficiaries from the catchment area.
2- Protection, including Child Protection and protection against gender-based violence (GBV), Health, Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH), and Shelter/Non-Food Items (WFI) services. The number of people targeted under this allocation thus also includes all indirect beneficiaries from the catchment area.
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### Number of Beneficiaries and Funding to Marib and Al Jawf

- **CERF Rapid Response Allocation**: $38.3M
- **YHF Allocations**: $23.7M
- **1,8 million beneficiaries**
- **$62.1 million allocated**

### 2021 YHF and CERF Funding by Cluster

- **Water, Sanitation and Hygiene**: 19.3% of $148.9M
- **Shelter/Non-Food Items**: 19.3%
- **Health**: 18.2%
- **Protection**: 12.6%
- **Food Security and Agriculture**: 7%
- **Education**: 5.7%
- **Rapid Response Mechanism**: 4.9%
- **Camp Coordination/Management**: 4.6%
- **Nutrition**: 4.6%
- **Logistics**: 3.2%
- **ETC (only CERF)**: 0.7%
- **Security (only CERF)**: 0.5%
- **Multi-cluster projects**

- **Total YHF Donations**: $96 million
- **29M Germany**
- **14.1M Netherlands**
- **8.6M Canada**
- **7.2M Sweden**
- **6.3M Belgium**
- **6.1M Ireland**
- **5.7M United States**
- **4.2M Denmark**
- **3.3M Switzerland**
- **2.5M Korea**
- **1.2M France**
- **1.9M Other donors**

### 2021 YHF Donors

- **66.3K beneficiaries under CERF only targeted in Marib and Al Jawf governorates.**
- **$1.7M CERF allocation for ETC, Security and logistics in several governorates and thus not reflected in the amounts.**

### Beneficiaries and CERF/YHF Funding by Governorate

- **3.2M beneficiaries**
- **$768.3M total 2021 contributions**

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