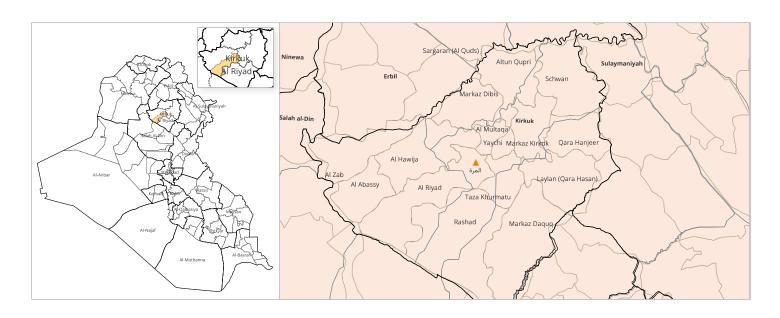
LOCATION PROFILE TEMPLATE-DEEP DIVE PRODUCT AL-MURRA, KIRKUK



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NUMBER OF RETURNEE		ESTIMATES OF IDPS REMAIN IN THE MAIN AOD	GOVERNORATES OF LAST DISPLACEMENT	
Al-Murra	98 individual returnees (14 families)	700 individual IDPS (100 families)	Kirkuk	

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES	NEEDS (REACH ABA, 2021)	IMPLEMENTED/ONGOING	PLANNED INTERVENTIONS	REMAINING GAPS
Basic services Education	 There was a need for the rehabilitation of six -classrooms school. Back to school programmes is required to encourage dropped out students to return the school. 	The local government established a temporary tents school.	UNDP started Rehabilitation of Six-Classroom School in Al-Murra Village	Implementing awareness programmes that Encourage students to return to school is highly in demand. It provides opportunities for those students who have missed out
Basic services Electricity	Lack of electrical cables Lack of electrical poles Lack of electrical transformers	The local government supplied 45 poles with 1 transformer 250 KVA for the returnees, and supply temporary power source (covering the returnee's part of the village)	UNDP Supplied and Installation of Two Transformers with Electric Cables and Accessories	Providing electrical distribution network and transformer 250 KVA are still needed to cover the other part of the village and removing the voltage drop results from increase loads regarding to the returnees
Basic services Health	Lack of PHCC. UNDP planned to establish a PHCC in the village, but the health department in Kirkuk informed UNDP that on unavailability of Health staff to run the PHC. Establishing a PHCC may also benefit other eight neighboring villages. Deploy a mobile clinic could be a temporary solution to provide the health services for the returnees in the village.			Lack of health services in Al Murra and other neighboring villages is a big challenge for the returnees.

Basic services Infrastructure	Internal streets need asphalt pavement.	The Government paved 2km and approx. 9 Km of the internal streets are cleaned and opened		Internal streets need asphalt pavement.
Basic services WASH	There is a shortage of water network in the village		UNDP is going to Extend the Water Network and Pipeline from Maktab Khaled WTP to Al-Murra Village	Extension of water network inside the village
Housing and HLP	160 houses are totally demolished due to military operation	Recently the government of Kirkuk implemented Debris removal project.	UNDP started the rehabilitation of 80 Houses in Al-Murra Village	80 Houses will remain unrehabilitated.
Documentation and rights	The newly born children of the IDPs have no IDs. They were forced to drop out the schools.			Most of the residents of Al-Murra village live in informal settlements in Kirkuk, and many of their children dropped out of schools due to a lack of documentations or because there is no desire to return to schools, therefore support is required in: First: Complete the official documents for all residents of Al-Murra
Livelihoods	Agriculture Sector: Returnee farmers have lost their machineries. They need capacity building in Agriculture skills. Cleaning and repairing the irrigation canals CFW, as the existing irrigation canals around the village are blocked. Rehabilitation of the agricultural lands and providing incomes for the house holders. Vocational training for the female headed families is needed.			 Implementing Cash for work project will support the returnees and encourage the IDPs to return Vocational training programmes will assist the vulnerable families. Supporting the agri. Sector will improve the living condition of the returnees.
Safety and security	No security issues reported in the village			
Protection (not a standing alone SO, but better to distinguish it from safety/ security)	No security issues reported in the village			
Social cohesion	Social cohesion is highly needed in the village.			Support in social cohesion and reconciliation.
Government leadership				

Important considerations

	•	Income generation programmes is a priority for the		
Main challenges	•	returnees. Providing the health services either through establishing a PHCC or mobile medical team		
Intentions of IDPs in AOD	•	The IDPs of the village is willing to return if the services are available.		