

Ukraine Conflict | ACT Appeal UKR211**Name of ACT member: Hungarian Interchurch Aid**

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Highlights

Please list 5 key points that you want to communicate to ACT Alliance network

- **In the first 100 days of the crisis, HIA has reached 105,720 people so far**, providing emergency access to **basic humanitarian aid, protection activities and other services** both in Ukraine and in Hungary.
- Soon to open **HIA Refugee Support and Integration Centre in Budapest** will provide assistance to refugees from Ukraine through various services (in-kind support, social work, accommodation referral, labour market programmes, vocational trainings and community space) to support their integration into the society; special attention will be paid to the needs of unaccompanied minors, people with disabilities and the elderly.
- With the **two types of cash assistance** – the Flexible Small Grant and multipurpose cash assistance – HIA empowers people and communities to flexibly meet their urgent basic needs. It offers the simplest, most direct method of meeting a crisis-affected community's diverse needs, such as in-kind support, restoration and protection activity.

Situation Overview

Please give a short overview of the overall situation (security, number of IDPs/Refugees, economic) in the countries where you are responding

In Ukraine, a significant missile threat remains across the north-central regions as the Russian army continues missile strikes on critical infrastructure, especially railway objects. In Kharkivska Oblast, the Russian army continued to engage the city of Kharkiv and other settlements with long-range artillery, resulting in damage and multiple civilian casualties. Russian forces intensified their missile attacks on Dnipropetrovska Oblast as well, and continued its offensive efforts in Donetska and Luhanska Oblasts, aiming to capture the whole territory of these oblasts. In South the Russian army is reinforcing in the direction of Zaporizhzhia, Polohy and Hulyaypole. Humanitarian operations and delivery of aid remain constrained in the NGCA. In the western part of the country the risk of further raids remains. Further attacks on critical and military infrastructure are assessed possible.

As of 01 June, 6,983,041 refugees have crossed from Ukraine into neighboring countries. The major numbers are: Poland (3,690,089), Hungary (698,420) Slovakia (466,264), Republic of Moldova (483,306) Romania (587,219), the Russian Federation (1,041,095) and Belarus (16,648), the majority women and children, as well as elderly people and those with disabilities.

The overall number of IDPs in Ukraine decreases to 7.1 million as IDP and refugee returns increase. Movements back into Ukraine are being well observed. The number of returnees as of 1 June 2022 is 2,102,047. The number of refugees from Ukraine who registered for Temporary Protection or similar national protection schemes in Hungary is 23,237.

The UN begins negotiations with the Government of the Russian Federation to secure exports of Ukrainian grain from Black Sea ports to mitigate risk of widespread deterioration in global food security.

Appeal Financing

Please fill out information on Funds Received. ACT Secretariat will fill out the information on Pledges.

Funds Received

Outside the Appeal

- EUR 5,1 million from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Hungary Helps Agency and private donors, companies through HIA's fundraising campaign in Hungary
- In kind donation in the value of EUR 1,12 million (food, NFI and other aid items)
- Christian Aid: 2,65 million GBP

Inside the Appeal

- Act Church of Sweden: 5,552 million SEK
- Dan Church Aid: 988 K EUR
- Kerk In Actie: 1,5 million EUR

Total ACT Response

Please provide topline information of your current response such as number of people already reached indicating the areas, planned interventions, type of assistance. For example: HIA provided hygiene kits in Lviv, Beregovo, and Budapest for 500 persons

Please provide details on all activities (ACT Appeal and non-appeal funded) for ACT members information about our Total ACT response.

The key actions carried out by HIA and its local partners on Week 22:

HIA continued to assess potential cash distribution locations after completing its pilot MPCA distribution in Sambir region. Disbursement of FSGs to CSOs, NGOs is in progress supporting local initiatives like caring children with disabilities, providing psychological assistance and counselling service to parents, improving living condition in a shelter or humanitarian aid procurement.

In Zakarpattia HIA distributed food, hygiene and baby items to 27 community shelters reaching out 949 IDPs in Tiachiv and Rahiv rayons. Also continued its restoration support of shelters improving the living condition of the accommodated people. Alongside these components, identifying shelter reconstruction needs is in progress.

In Ivano-Frankivsk during the reporting period 2 PSS group sessions were held for adults with 15 participants, and 8 PSS session for children with 52 participant. Individual counselling was also organized by the local implementing partner for 4 individuals, 3 of them were children. In Kalush psychological support was provided to a family with 7 children. On 1st of June PSS webinar was set up where 14 participants took part and received support.

In Cherkasy HIA provided social protection counselling to 123 households through its partner organization. 97 households received legal assistance and information, thus the total number of beneficiaries reached out is 550 in this oblast.

In Hungary, HIA accommodated 472 refugees in community shelters and helped them with information services, in access to transportation, job search and family reunion. Also continued the

provision of food aid and information services in BOK arena to 395 refugees, arriving in Budapest. In the Child Friendly Space at Budapest Airport HIA provided safe hub for 151 refugees arriving from Ukraine.

Thus far these efforts have reached **105,720** people since the beginning of the crisis, providing emergency access to basic food and non-food items, information, shelter, WASH and health support, protection and links to transportation services.

ACT Appeal Please provide a programme update under the relevant sectors below

Implementing partner	Country	In country site	Sector	Achieved targets In reporting period (#beneficiaries <u>direct/indirect</u>)	Cumulative Achieved targets (#beneficiaries <u>direct/indirect</u>)	Within appeal /outside of appeal
HIA	Ukraine		FSL	1366	66955	50%-50%
HIA	Ukraine		WSH	49	56785	50%-50%
HIA	Ukraine		H&N	0	700	outside
HIA	Ukraine		Shelter+NFI	23/0	198/2879	outside
HIA	Ukraine		Protection	674	2542	50%-50%
HIA	Ukraine		Livelihood	0	345	outside
HIA	Hungary		FSL	395	10487	50%-50%
HIA	Hungary		Shelter+NFI	472/0	7539/1412	outside
HIA	Hungary		WSH	0	5921	50%-50%
HIA	Hungary		Protection	151	4319	50%-50%
HIA	Hungary		Logistics	0	847	outside

*People received both food and hygienic support in Ukraine: N/A for this week.

FSL – Food Security & Livelihoods

WSH – Water, Sanitation and Hygiene

C/FP – Child/Family Protection – incl. into Protection

H&N – Health & Nutrition

Sitrep completed by (name & job title):

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