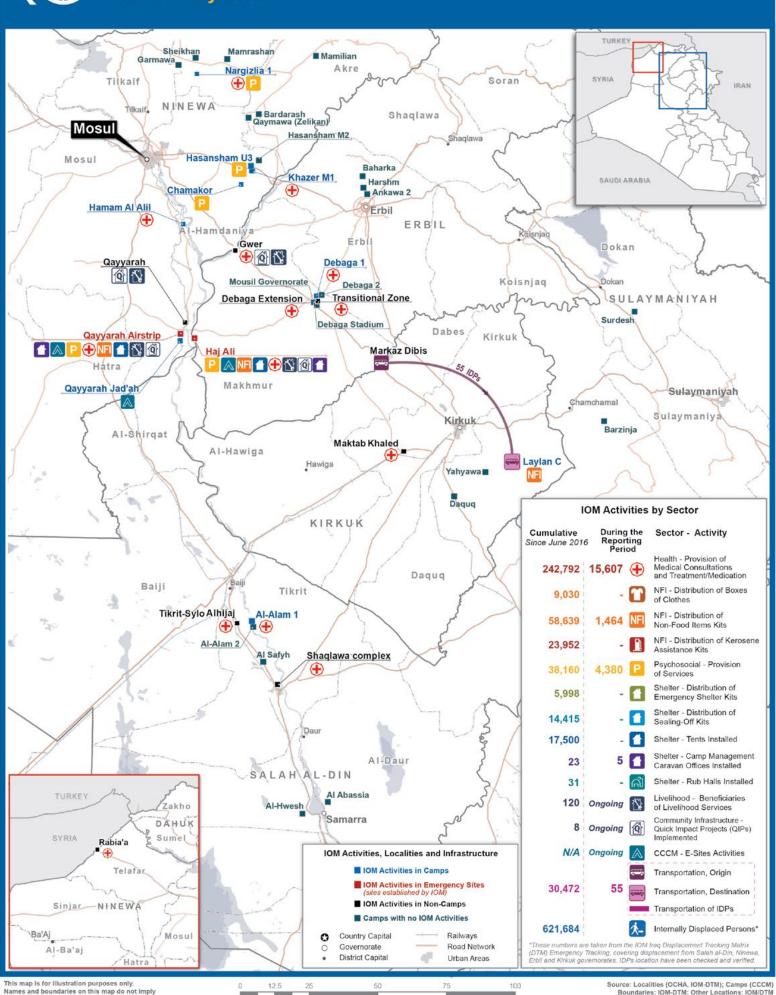


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Above: Ali was injured by shrapnel in Mosul. He was brought to the IOM-Qatar Red Crescent field hospital in Hammam Al-Alil where he underwent cardiovascular surgery. IOM-QRC field hospital is the only facility providing cardiovascular operations in Hammam Al-Alil. Supported by DFID and Kuwait, the hospital provides 100 consultations per week. (©Raber Y. Aziz / IOM Iraq 2017)



Above: Al-Salam hospital was completely destroyed in the fight to retake East Mosul from ISIL. Dr. Firas Agrawi, Director of the hospital said the hospital had lost five patients since the area was retaken by Iraqi forces because they did not have enough monitors. With support from the Government of Japan, IOM donated three monitors in addition to other life-saving equipment to the hospital. IOM is also providing catering during the holy month of Ramadan. This hospital is currently the only functional general hospital in the eastern part of Mosul City. (© Raber Y. Aziz / IOM Iraq 2017)



Above: Newly displaced families from Mosul continue to arrive in Qayara and Haj Ali. With Support from the United Kingdom, IOM distributed nonfood item kits to 110 families on 24 May in Qayara Airstrip emergency site. (©IOM Iraq, 2017)



Above: IOM, with support from the Government of Kuwait, installed five cabins complete with furniture and equipment to provide space for camp management offices in Haj Ali and Qayara Airstrip emergency sites. Haj Ali and Qayara Airstrip emergency sites, as of 31 May, accommodated over 32,000 and 49,000 displaced Iraqis respectively. (©IOM Iraq, 2017)

Stories of Displacement: Abu Bariq

"I used to work as a truck driver, transporting oil and oil products across Iraq's provinces. Before ISIL entered the city, our financial situation was good, but my business came to a grinding halt when they occupied Mosul.

I bought a small car to work as a taxi driver and earn some money, but shortly afterwards ISIL took it away under the pretext that I was transporting cigarettes. This seriously worsened our situation, and my 15-year-old son, Hamoudi, had to start selling cigarettes to earn some money. He was arrested by ISIL and they tortured him for 10 days.

Because of my anxiety thinking of what was happening to him, I got diabetes and high blood pressure. Then ISIL ordered us to leave our house; one of my sons refused, and he was detained for four days.

We tried to flee from West Mosul, and finally made it to the Iragi Army checkpoint. We were free of ISIL, at last! My house was shelled but we are safe. We are now here in Qayara Emergency Site and have been provided with assistance,".

Right: Abu Bariq inside his tent in Qayara Emergency Site (©IOM Iraq, 2017)

























