



# COMMUNITY RESPONSE PLAN

## Khadestan, Herat, Herat Province, Afghanistan

June 2022

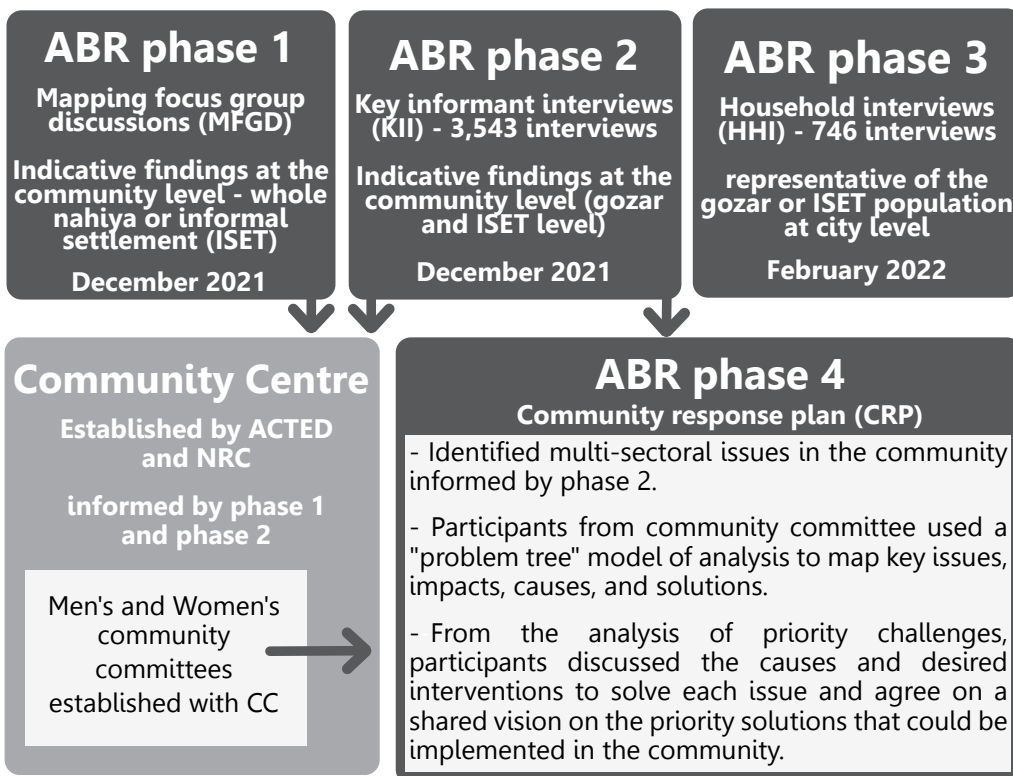
Area Based  
Response  
AFGHANISTAN

### Introduction and Background

Developed through community planning workshops with local community representatives following the completion of REACH Area Based Response (ABR) assessment from November 2021 to February 2022, Community Response Plans (CRPs) are reports that outline a shared local vision for community wide interventions.

Facilitated by a consortium of ACTED, NRC and IMPACT, CRPs take an evidence based approach to planning, effectively translating response gaps identified through REACH ABR into actionable intervention strategies, formulated as specific projects. Using a community-led planning approach, CRPs act as a road map for multi-sectoral interventions.<sup>1</sup>

### CRP Process Overview



### Demographics and composition

#### Composition of Herat (Phase 1)

Number of Nahiya	Number of gozars	Number of ISETs
15	321	30
Estimated total number of HHs		Estimated number of HHs in ISETs
72,310		11,348

#### Composition of Khadestan (Phase 2)

Number of gozars	Number of ISETs
3	3
Estimated total number of HHs	
520	

#### Displacement (Phase 2)

% of KIs reporting mixed gozars (displacement groups and host community together)

0% Displaced population is living in ISET within gozar boundaries

72% Population is mixed with economic migrants and host community across the whole gozar

28% Only host community



% distribution of displacement groups within nahiya

Gozars

ISETs

3%

3%

7%

0%

0%

0%

0%

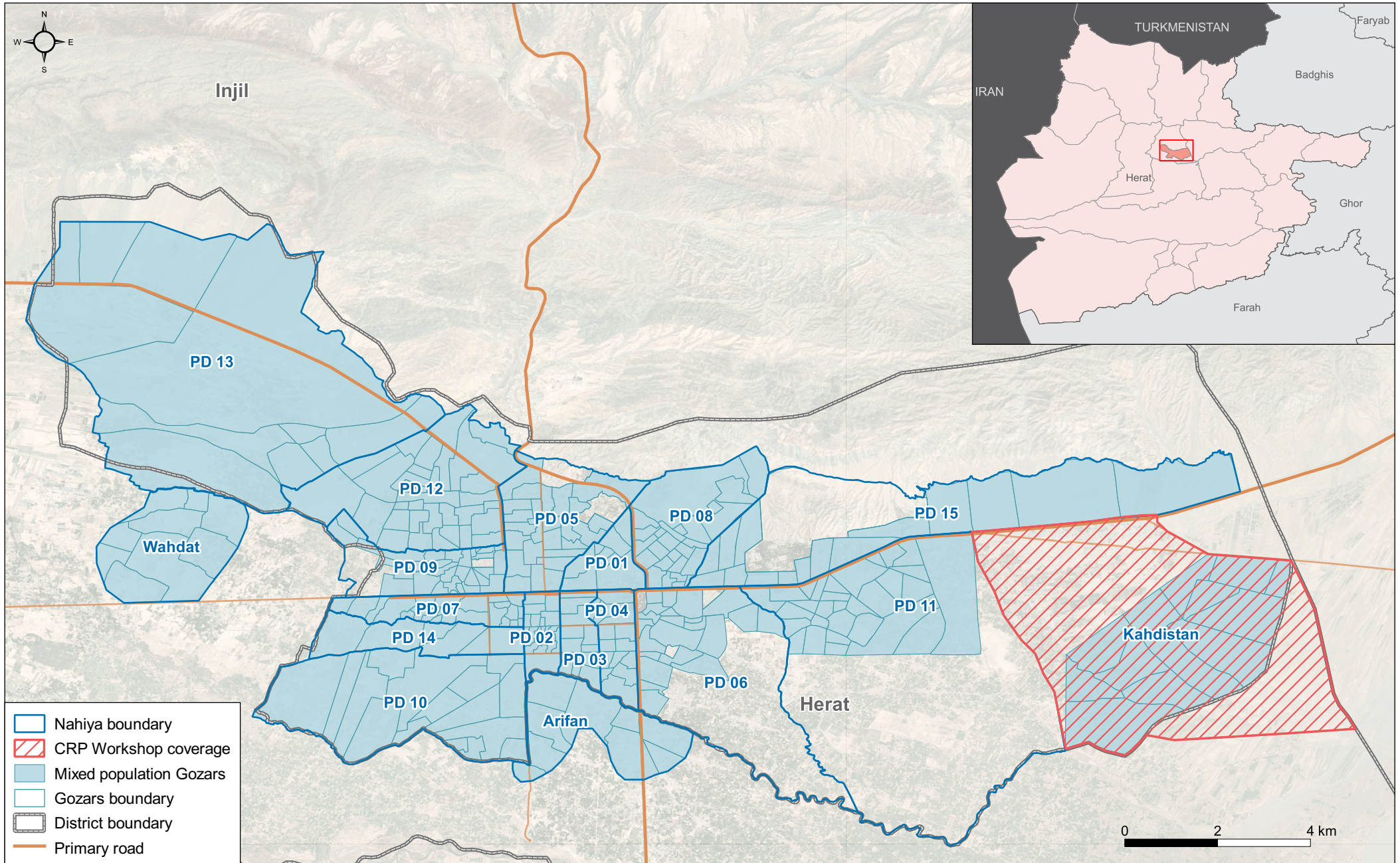
87%

IDP  
Prolonged IDP  
Protracted IDP  
Refugee  
Refugee returnee  
IDP returnee  
Host

No population data  
was available for the  
ISETs in Khadestan

1. REACH, Afghanistan ABR Terms of reference, 2021





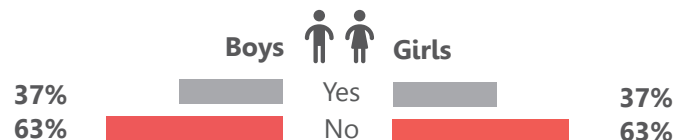




## Q KEY ISSUES &amp; RECOMMENDATIONS

## Education

% of KIs reporting **most school age children are able to attend primary school**:



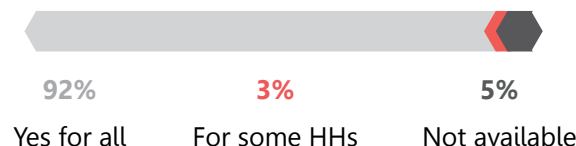
The most reported barrier by KIs for primary school aged boys was that children have to earn money (50%) and services were not functioning for girls (36%).

## Stakeholder recommendations:

Construction of primary school, literacy classes for boys and girls.

## Electricity

% of KIs who reported the **availability of electricity**:



72%

of KIs reported that most HHs experienced electricity shortages but rarely.

## Stakeholder recommendations:

No projects were proposed during the workshop

## Environment

% of KIs reporting the **main environmental concern** in the ISET/gozar:

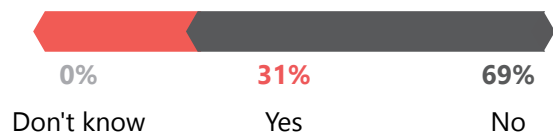


## Stakeholder recommendations:

planting of trees, restoration of drainage ditches, environmental awareness campaign in the local communities.

## Food security/markets

% of KIs reporting **ability of most households to access enough food** to meet daily needs in the past 30 days:



% of KIs reporting the **level of hunger** faced by most HHs in the settlement:

Hunger Level	Percentage
Hunger is worst it can be	0%
Hunger is bad	75%
Hunger is small	19%
Almost no hunger	6%

## Stakeholder recommendations:

No projects were proposed during the workshop

## Healthcare

% of KIs who reported that **most households had access to an active healthcare centre** close to their gozar/ISET in the past 3 months:



All KIs reported that households facing access barriers could not afford to access services (100%), could not access due to lack of transport (22%) or due to insufficient female medical staff (24%).

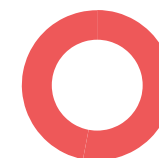
## Stakeholder recommendations:

Construction of health clinic, mobile community health team, provision of ambulance, provision of health facilities and equipment warehouse, mobile health awareness team on chronic diseases.

## Livelihoods

The **most common form of income** in the settlement reported by KIs:

90% Agriculture



% of KIs who reported that work for most residents had decreased in the last 3 months

100% Decreased

0% Increased

0% Remained consistent

## Stakeholder recommendations:

Establishment of 20 bio-climatic storages for seasonal fruits, establishment of small handicraft business centre, provision of livestock and tailoring equipment, establishment of cereal bank, restoration of damaged irrigation canal.



## Q KEY ISSUES &amp; RECOMMENDATIONS

## Protection

KIs reported being aware of very few **protection incidents** facing women, men, girls and boys.



% of KIs who reported that they were aware of any boys or girls who had been married under the age of 16:

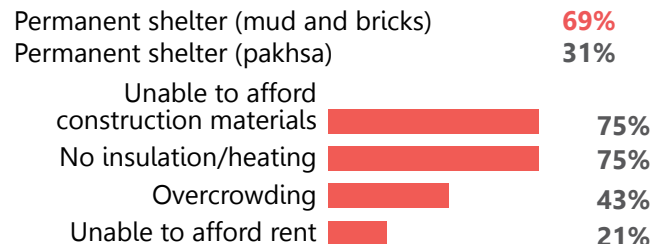
92% Yes  
8% No  
0% Don't know

## Stakeholder recommendations:

No projects were proposed during the workshop

## Shelter/NFI

% of KIs reporting the **main shelter concerns** in the ISET/gozar:

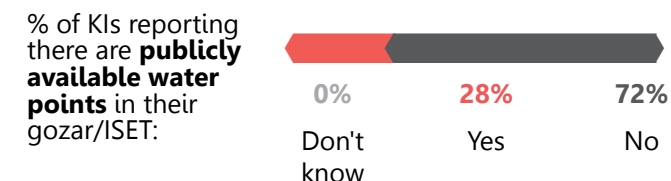


## Stakeholder recommendations:

Establishment of NFI market in partnership with business community, provision of solar system for shelters, wood and fuel warehouse, establishing tarpaulin supply point in partnership with business communities.

## WASH

The **most common reported problem related to access to water** by KIs: Water points are too far, not functioning or dried up



## Stakeholder recommendations:

Construction of latrines, construction of sewage canal, constructing clean water reservoir, installation of hand pumps on water wells, restoration of deep wells water pumps, digging additional deep water wells.

## Waste management

% of KIs reporting the **most common method of waste management**:



## Stakeholder recommendations:

Collection of garbage and responsible disposal.

## SECTORS



## RESOURCES





### % of KIs reporting the top 5 main concerns of the population



100%

Employment  
access



69%

Healthcare  
access



66%

Education  
access



50%

Healthcare  
quality



50%

Education  
quality

### Men's CRP workshop - PRIORITIZED PROJECTS

#### ACTIVITY

#### WHO AND HOW

#### RESOURCES

#### LOCATION

#### BENEFICIARIES

#### DURATION

AVAILABLE

NEEDED



Construction of  
primary school

NRC, ACTED, UNICEF, AKDN, DRC

**INGOs/IOs:** Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

Community Centre: Ensure project accountability with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.

**Local community:** Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety. Assist with designation of land.  
(Tri-party agreement)



Khadestan  
(To be decided  
during the  
feasibility  
survey)

500  
students

1 year



Establishment of  
literacy centre

NRC, ACTED, UNICEF, AKDN, UNDP

**INGOs/IOs:** Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

**Community Centre:** Lead on the implementation of the project in partnership with civil society organizations (CSOs). Also oversee project activities and ensure project accountability with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.

**Local community:** Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety.  
(Tri-party agreement)


















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## Men's CRP workshop - PRIORITIZED PROJECTS

ACTIVITY	WHO AND HOW	RESOURCES		LOCATION	BENEFICIARIES	DURATION
		AVAILABLE	NEEDED			
 Shelter provision to IDPs living in open space	UNHCR, DoRR, NRC, ACTED <b>INGOs/IOs:</b> Ensuring funding and implementation activities. <b>Community Centre:</b> Lead and facilitate the shelter provision process in cooperation with community (Host + IDP) and some coordination with local officials. <b>Local community:</b> Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety. (Tri-party agreement required)	   		Khadestan (To be decided during the feasibility survey)	1000 HHs (prolonged and protracted IDPs)	1 year
 Construction of a Health Clinic	NRC, ACTED, WHO, UNICEF <b>INGOs/IOs:</b> Ensuring funding and implementation activities. <b>Community Centre:</b> Lead on the implementation of the project with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials. <b>Local community:</b> Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety. (Tri-party agreement required)	   		Khadestan (To be decided during the feasibility survey)	2000 HHs (IDP and host communities)	6 months
 Establishment of vocational training centre	NRC, ACTED, UNICEF, UNESCO, AKDN <b>INGOs/IOs:</b> Ensuring funding and implementation activities. <b>Community Centre:</b> Lead on the implementation of the project and project accountability with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials. <b>Local community:</b> Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety. Assist with designation of land. (Stakeholders by law agreement)	   		Khadestan (To be decided during the feasibility survey)	500 persons (500 HHs indirectly)	6 months










## Women's CRP workshop - PRIORITIZED PROJECTS

ACTIVITY	WHO AND HOW	RESOURCES		LOCATION	BENEFICIARIES	DURATION
		AVAILABLE	NEEDED			
 Shelter provision to IDPs living in open space	UNHCR, DoRR, NRC, ACTED <b>INGOs/IOs:</b> Ensuring funding and implementation activities. <b>Community centre:</b> Lead and facilitate the shelter provision process in cooperation with community (Host + IDP) and some coordination with local officials. <b>Local community:</b> Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety. (Tri-party agreement required)	 	 	Kahdestan (to be decided during project feasibility survey)	4000 HHs (prolonged and protracted IDPs)	1 year
  Vocational and Industrial trainings	NRC, ACTED, UNICEF, UNESCO <b>INGOs/IOs:</b> Ensuring funding and implementation activities. <b>Community centre:</b> Lead on the implementation of the project and project accountability with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials. <b>Local community:</b> Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety. Assist with designation of land. (Stakeholders by law agreement)	 	 	Kahdestan (to be decided during project feasibility survey)	200 HHs (IDP and host communities)	1 month
 Construction of a Health Clinic	NRC, ACTED, WHO, UNICEF <b>INGOs/IOs:</b> Ensuring funding and implementation activities. <b>Community centre:</b> Lead on the implementation of the project with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials. <b>Local community:</b> Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety. (Tri-party agreement required)	 	 	Kahdestan (to be decided during project feasibility survey)	1400 HHs (IDP and host communities)	1 year



## Women's CRP workshop - PRIORITIZED PROJECTS

ACTIVITY	WHO AND HOW	RESOURCES		LOCATION	BENEFICIARIES	DURATION
		AVAILABLE	NEEDED			
 Digging additional deep-water wells	<p>NRC, ACTED, DACAAR, UN-Habitat</p> <p><b>INGOs/IOs:</b> Ensuring funding and implementation activities.</p> <p><b>Community centre:</b> Lead on the implementation of the project with the engagement of local communities, other community groups and coordination of officials.</p> <p><b>Local community:</b> ensure sustainability and accountability by being actively involved in maintenance and management. Wider community to ensure safety and security.</p>			Kahdestan (to be decided during project feasibility survey)	500 HHs	6 months
 Distribution of livestock	<p>NRC, ACTED, DRC, MAIL</p> <p><b>INGOs/IOs:</b> Ensuring funding and implementation activities.</p> <p><b>Community centre:</b> Ensure project accountability with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.</p> <p><b>Local community:</b> Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety. Assist with designation of land. (Tri-party agreement)</p>		 	Kahdestan (to be decided during project feasibility survey)	100 HHs	3 months