**KEY FIGURES**

- Cluster Members: 12
- People in need / targeted: 2.7 M / 1.2 M**
- NFI Reached: 6,388 (Indvs)
- Shelter Reached: 30,429 (Indvs)

**FUNDING** (source: OCHA Financial Tracking Service)

- Total funding required: 8.8 M
- Funded: 100%
- Gap: 0%

**HIGHLIGHTS**

- On 1 July 2019, Shelter, Energy and NFIs Cluster was officially activated. Prior to the activation of cluster, the Shelter and NFI working group was hosted under the Protection Sector.
- So far, the Global Shelter Cluster has sent two missions to support the preparations for the sector and the HRP 2019 and one third mission within 72 hours of the cluster activation (4 July). A longer-term Cluster Coordinator will arrive to Venezuela during August and the recruitment of a Cluster IM, a Technical Support Officer and a Sub-National Coordinator are already under recruitment.
- For the HRP 2019, the “Shelter, Energy and NFIs Cluster” developed one key objective and specific activities under the Protection Sector to facilitate the monitoring of progress. A total of 8,876,226 USD (13% of the Protection Sector’s budget) has been requested under the Cluster for the HRP through 4 project submissions.
- On 5 June, the Cluster Coordinator along with the Protection Cluster Coordinator held a meeting with government officials and ministries’ representatives. The purpose of the meeting was to present the objectives of the HRP that focuses on shelter and energy. This meeting paved the ground for further engagement with institutions that could potentially improve the sector coordination.
- The interim Cluster Coordinators have already conducted field missions to States of Zulia, Táchira, Amazonas and Apure, between April and June.
- The Cluster is working on developing an NFI catalogue to centralize and coordinate distribution efforts across clusters. A tool has been developed to collect information from cluster members to identify capacity and coverage, targeting and type of NFIs currently being distributed.
- The Cluster is developing an activity matrix based on the HRP activities to determine the scope of work within the Cluster. It aims to be a planning tool as well as an implementation guideline for new members. The activity matrix includes definitions, costs, geographic areas of intervention, type and target of population in need, and lengths/duration of the activity.

**CLUSTER PRIORITIES**

- Develop the methodology of the baseline for the Shelter, Energy and NFIs Cluster assessment. The baseline will also guide the revision of the HNO for 2020 and other activities within the Cluster.
- Develop the NFI catalog and activity matrix.
- Conduct a field mission to the south-east of the country.
- Develop the Cluster’s information, communication and advocacy tools.
- Build the capacity of cluster members.

**GAPS / CHALLENGES**

- Cluster members are mainly focused on NFIs, however there is an opportunity to incorporate members from other clusters that have experience in rehabilitation of public infrastructure.
- There are only few cluster members that have conducted assessments at household level, however there is plan on conducting a shelter needs assessment using primary and secondary sources.
- While there are numerous national cluster members, they are all small in scale and capacity thus limiting the capacity to implement in relation to needs.

**COVERAGE AGAINST TARGETS (Individuals)**

- Shelter: 43% Achievement YTD, 57% Gap
- NFI: 9% Achievement YTD, 91% Gap

*Achievements includes NFIs and Shelter activities from partners across sectors, from January to June.** PIN and Target represent figures before the separation and activation of the Shelter, Energy and NFIs Cluster. It will be updated.