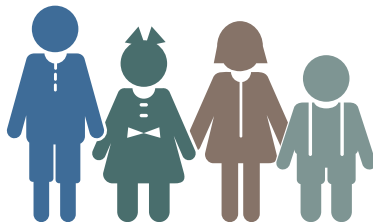


Children

4 million in need
out of 8,7 million people affected



Internally Displaced **161.000**



Children in Iraq suffer terrible physical and spiritual pains that no child should experience: orphanhood, material poverty, disease and other health issues, abuse (including but not limited to: female genital mutilation, kidnappings, child trafficking, labour or military service).



Violence against Children 2017



2.000
verified
violations
against children

279
killed



1036
detained



3
incidents of
denial of
humanitarian
access



109
recruitment by armed
non-state actors



517
maimed



32
cases of
abduction



9
cases of
sexual
violence



Education



3,5 million children
attend school irregularly or not at all

2 million children out of school

More than 1 in 5 schools
have been damaged or destroyed
while others are being used as refugee
shelters and for other purposes.



Decades of conflict and under-investment of Iraq have destroyed what used to be the best education system in the region and severely curtailed Iraqi children's access to quality learning.

