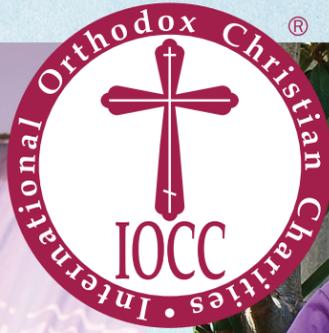


IOCC Relief in LEBANON

IOCC has been working in Lebanon since 2001 to address social issues such as community health and education. For the past three years, IOCC has responded to the growing humanitarian needs of Syrian refugee families fleeing civil war in their country and now living in Lebanon.



Education Support

This school in Bar Elias is one of 50 public schools being rehabilitated by IOCC to improve school conditions for more than 7,500 Lebanese children and to accommodate the swell of 5,000 Syrian refugee students enrolled this school year. IOCC is working to ensure a healthy and safe learning environment for Lebanese school children and their Syrian classmates.

Refugee Assistance

Since March 2012, IOCC has assisted more than 145,000 Syrian refugees in Lebanon with relief items such as food, blankets, heating stoves, hygiene and infant kits, as well as doing the utmost to protect the well-being of more than 32,000 of Syria's youngest refugees with malnutrition screenings and treatment.



Nutrition and Health

Safeguarding the early development and health of young children is at the core of IOCC health workers' efforts to educate Lebanese mothers and Syrian refugee mothers on the importance of infant nutrition and breastfeeding practices, particularly in times of emergency.



Water, Sanitation & Hygiene Awareness

IOCC is helping stem the spread of infectious diseases in overcrowded refugee settlements with the construction of sanitation systems, and better access to safe water for washing and drinking.

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