



Annual Report 2023

Executive Summary



Fajer really likes the color red and playing with her sister. The 6 year old from Baghdad participated in an Ahlan Simsim School Readiness program implemented by the IRC with support from the Iraqi Ministry of Education.

Ameera,* a 15-year-old Syrian refugee who is visually impaired, works on a craft with an IRC staff member at a women's protection center in Lebanon.

*Name has been changed to protect the client's privacy



Dear Friends,

With your help, we have been able to serve 34.5 million clients in 2023. Their stories of courage and resilience inspire us, and the IRC is focused on delivering programs that help change lives—many lives—every single day.

I hope you will find inspiration in this summary and in the [full 2023 annual report](#), where you'll find updates on programs ranging from emergency response to refugee resettlement.

We are so proud of the staff and volunteers who meet new and growing crises with expertise, persistence and compassion. And we are so grateful to you, our partners and donors, who have been so steadfast and generous in your support.

Warmly,



David Miliband
President and CEO



WHERE WE WORK

Working in more than 40 countries, the IRC helps people whose lives and livelihoods are shattered by conflict and disaster, including the climate crisis, to survive, recover and rebuild their lives.

- Direct IRC programming ●
- Remote or partner-led programming □
- IRC office (no programming) ◆

IRC IMPACT IN 2023



34.5M
people reached
in countries
affected by crisis

2,828,438
people served through
built or rehabilitated
water systems



227,779

children supported
through IRC safe spaces
and other protection
programs—an increase of
over 130% since 2021



2023: 227,779 children supported



2022: 122,390 children supported

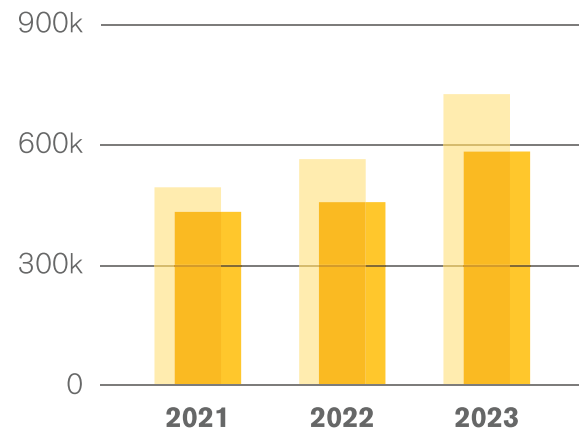


2021: 98,128 children supported

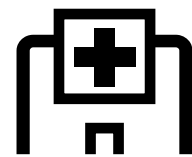
= 20,000 children

721,357

people admitted for nutrition
services—an increase of more than
200,000 people since 2021



● Children under 5 admitted
● Total people admitted



3,282
health facilities
supported



10,687,491
primary health
consultations provided



1,589,208

children and
youth enrolled in
learning programs

45,082

women survivors of
gender-based violence
received counseling



1,645,941

people reached with cash
assistance or vouchers



\$79,142,851

given in cash or vouchers



In northwest Syria, IRC staff quickly mobilize to support people affected by the 7.8-magnitude earthquake.

The IRC's staff rises to meet the moment

The IRC helps people affected by humanitarian crises to survive, recover and rebuild their lives through health care, education, economic support and resettlement programs. See how the IRC served clients with expertise, persistence and compassion in 2023.



RAPID AND EFFECTIVE EMERGENCY RESPONSE

When earthquakes struck Türkiye and Syria, the IRC immediately ramped up its programs to help survivors >



SIMPLIFYING MALNUTRITION TREATMENT TO SAVE MORE LIVES

IRC doctors are defying the odds, working around the clock to help malnourished children in Somalia >



PRIORITIZING THE SAFETY AND WELL-BEING OF WOMEN AND GIRLS

At an IRC safe space in Lebanon, a refugee from Syria learned that education is her right and chose not to marry early >



LIFE-CHANGING ASSISTANCE FOR REFUGEES IN THE US AND EUROPE

The IRC in Utah helped the Hussaini family reunite after being separated in Afghanistan 21 months before >

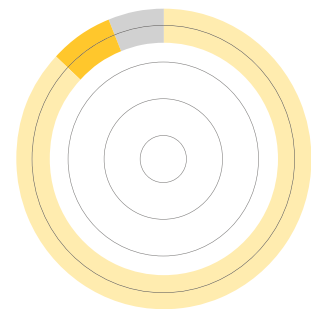
FINANCIALS

REVENUE, SPENDING AND ASSETS

Years ended Sept. 30, 2023 and Sept. 30, 2022 (Amounts in thousands)

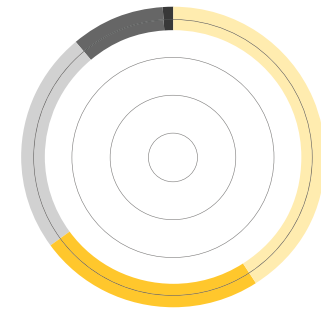
TOTAL REVENUE	TOTAL SPENDING	NET ASSETS (AT END OF YEAR)
\$1,405,236 FY 2022	\$1,291,435 FY 2022	\$384,295 FY 2022
\$1,362,967 FY 2023	\$1,481,483 FY 2023	\$298,402 FY 2023

EFFICIENCY AND SERVICES



THE IRC'S EFFICIENCY

- Program Services **87%**
- Management and General **7%**
- Fundraising **6%**



PROGRAM SERVICES

- Health, including physical and mental well-being **41%**
- Economic well-being, including the ability to provide basic material needs as well as income and asset growth **24%**
- Safety from physical, sexual and psychological harm **24%**
- Education, including literacy and numeracy, social-emotional and life skills, as well as providing safe schools **10%**
- Power to have influence over the decisions that affect their lives **1%**

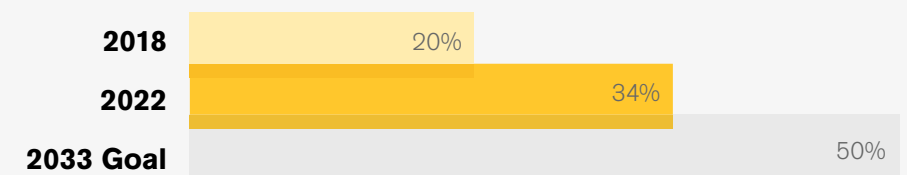
OUR FUNDING STRATEGY

Dear Friends,

The IRC has been—and continues to be—diligent about making sure every dollar from donors makes the greatest possible impact for the people we serve. To do that, we need the right kind of funding—funding that is flexible, innovative and stable.

Over the last five years, the IRC has invested in obtaining more flexible private sector funding, and the proportion of flexible funding to overall funding has grown.

Percent of the IRC's private sector funding by year*



Thank you for supporting us in our goal to bring better services to more clients.



Sincerely,
Madlin Sadler
Chief Operating Officer

*Percentages are approximate



Sanowbar Hussaini embraces her daughter at the airport in Salt Lake City nearly two years after they were separated in Afghanistan.

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