World Vision calls on Governments, the UN and the international community to:

- Continue to scale up global COVID-19 prevention and response measures for children and their families by strengthening health systems, engaging and communicating effectively with children and their communities to provide critical child protection interventions and mental health and psychosocial support.

- Adopt policies and fund COVID-19 response plans that holistically address the secondary impacts of the pandemic on children and families, particularly with respect to child protection, gender-based violence, education, water and sanitation, food security, and livelihoods.

- Ensure access to humanitarian assistance for the most vulnerable children and their families. Find alternatives to humanitarian programme suspensions where COVID-19 prevention policies are required.

World Vision in Afghanistan, in coordination with WHO and Ministry of Haji and Religious Affairs, conducted training for 60 religious leaders and families on COVID-19 prevention. These leaders shared their knowledge and passed educational messages to 1,300 people (950 female/350 males). Information, education, and communication materials (IEC) materials were located at the gates of places for worship.

World Vision Syria Response’s “WASH UP!” programme reached 1,600 children through disseminating regular SMS/WhatsApp texts to parents delivering awareness and prevention messages.

World Vision in Lebanon signed an agreement with WFP for food distribution to 4,197 households for 6 months.
**COVID-19 Emergency Response Highlights**

**OBJECTIVE 1: Scale up preventive measures to limit the spread of COVID-19**

- **239,082** People reached through promotion of preventive behaviours
- **91,866** Information, education, and communication materials printed and distributed
- **219,040** Community members provided with preventive materials
- **237,532** Handwashing supplies distributed
- **694** Cleaning kits distributed to vulnerable communities
- **48** Faith leaders disseminating preventive measures

(Based on figures as of 15 June 2020)

**OBJECTIVE 2: Strengthen health systems and workers**

- **1,709** Community health workers trained and supported
- **10,954** Medical personnel provided with personal protective equipment (PPE)
- **130,543** Masks distributed, including to health facilities, health workers and communities
- **745,537** Glove sets distributed, including to health facilities, health workers and communities
- **1,392** Disinfectant kits distributed to health care facilities
- **854** People supported with the securing of safe quarantine and/or isolation spaces
- **1,448** People provided with transportation support
- **195** Medical facilities assisted

(Based on figures as of 15 June 2020)
**OBJECTIVE 3:** Support for children impacted by COVID-19 through child protection, education, food security, and livelihoods

- **481,822** People reached with information, education, and communication psychosocial support materials
- **12,523** Education materials provided to enable or support remote learning
- **42,260** People provided with education support or training
- **13,382** Children reached with targeted, age-specific health education
- **1,141** Teachers provided with education training and support
- **22,195** People reached with cash and voucher assistance
- **62,135** People reached with food security assistance
- **7,249** Children supported with child protection programming
- **654** frontline actors reached or trained on child protection programming
- **1,217** Households provided livelihoods assets
- **6** Savings groups organised

*(Based on figures as of 15 June 2020)*

**OBJECTIVE 4:** Collaborate and advocate to ensure vulnerable children are protected

- **10** Global, regional and national policy changes achieved through advocacy and external engagement to improve the international responses to COVID-19
- **65** External engagements where World Vision is advocating on priorities, including ending violence against children in the context of COVID-19
- **25** External actions, including sign ons and public statements
- **232** External engagements with Tier 1 and Tier 2 stakeholders where World Vision is chairing, presenting or leading
- **10** External engagements with faith actors where World Vision is chairing, presenting or leading

*(Based on figures as of 15 June 2020)*

*Examples of Tier 1 and Tier 2 stakeholders include WFP, WHO, Global Fund, UNICEF, UNHRC, UNOCHA, and national governments*
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