













Afghanistan



HELPING HAND
FOR RELIEF AND DEVELOPMENT

277,157 Lives Changed

HHRD Programs from 2014-Dec 2021

-  **Aqeeqa & Sadaqah Qurbani Food**
1,778 beneficiaries
-  **COVID-19**
(Education & Awareness, Food & Hygiene Kits, PPEs)
12,150 beneficiaries
-  **In-Kind Gifts**
6 shipments • 73,770 beneficiaries
-  **Orphan Support**
1,270 orphans assisted
-  **Ramadan Food**
13,004 beneficiaries
-  **Skills Development And Livelihood**
832 trainees
-  **Udhiya / Qurbaani**
62,088 beneficiaries
-  **Water For Life**
95 projects • 54,334 beneficiaries
-  **Winter Provisions**
13,747 beneficiaries
-  **Emergency Relief & Disaster Management**
45,000 beneficiaries
 - ▶ **2014: Land and Mountain Slide**
Badakhshan Province
 - ▶ **2015: Earthquake**
Kunar Province
 - ▶ **2020: Covid-19**
Laghman, Nangarhar, Herat, Balkh, Badakhshan
 - ▶ **2020: Floods Response**
Parwan, Kapisa, Wardak, Sorobi district of Kabul
 - ▶ **2021: Internally Displaced People Response**
Kabul and Kunar provinces

HHRD in Afghanistan

HHRD works globally with a particular focus in countries where most of the population lives below the poverty line. HHRD has been a registered International NGO (INGO) in Afghanistan since 2014. HHRD has successful relief and development programs in Afghanistan, including Orphan Support, Water For Life, Skills Development & Livelihood, Emergency Relief & Disaster Management, Seasonal (food distribution during Ramadan, Eidul Adha meat distribution, and Winter Provisions Relief), and In-Kind Gifts. We responded to the Covid-19 pandemic promptly and continue to provide numerous relief and support programs to help curb the spread of the virus. During the American withdrawal from Afghanistan in August 2021, we saw an increase in displaced persons and in turn, HHRD stepped up to assist these families.

HHRD Status

HHRD has been registered as an international NGO with the Ministry of the Economy in Afghanistan since 2014. Additionally, HHRD has been certified by the Ministry of Women Affairs and has membership with UNHAS-WFP.


200 Million
lives changed


85+
Countries served


4-Star
Top Rated Zakat Charity in US
by Charity Navigator


16 years
of service



Country Context

Afghanistan faces one of the world's most complex and prolonged humanitarian emergencies, characterized by escalating armed conflict, displacement, and natural disasters. Forty years of war, recurrent natural disasters, increasing poverty, and COVID-19 are devastating the people of Afghanistan. Food insecurity, forced displacement, low access to health services, and poor access to water and sanitation have also led to a sharp decline in the nutritional status of children. The economic and social conditions created by the COVID-19 pandemic have exacerbated protection risks for vulnerable families, many of whom had already depleted limited financial, mental, and social coping capacities due to prolonged conflict or recurrent natural disasters.

Key Figures



18.4 million

in need of humanitarian assistance



4 million

internally displaced people



16.9 million

people suffering from food insecurity



154,712

Covid-19 cases

Our Impact

Orphan Support Program

Hadia is an HHRD sponsored orphan student who lives in the 12th district of Kabul province in Afghanistan where she attends fourth grade at the Ahmad Shah Baba Girls High School. She lost her father when she was only seven years old and became a sponsored orphan with HHRD in 2018. Her academic achievement is noteworthy as she scored a perfect 900 out of 900 in all her subjects. We extend our heartfelt thanks to her donor as well as, all the generous donors of our Orphan Support Program.



Water for Life Program

The students of Nasrat High School have been faced with a lack of drinking water inside the school since January 2019. The school's well was useless because it had no water, and also, it was too risky to re-dig the same well. As a result, they contacted HHRD through the Nangarhar Directorate of Education to provide drinkable water by digging a well and installing a hand water pump. Finally, after investigating the school, HHRD approved the project. As a result, we provided them with a well and a water pump which now benefits approximately 3100 students.