



# Clean Shelter: Overview and Current Priorities



# OUR STORY LINE

## Motivation

We were personally affected by the events in Gaza, and began searching for meaningful ways to offer support and provide relief

## Needs

A need assessment was conducted by chatting with family and friends

## Strategy

We started to shape our direction giving the on-ground input

## 2024 Milestones

- Zomi Camp
- Registration
- Water dis and first desal unit
- 100 toilet project

# Key Achievements to Date



- **Emergency Shelter and Sanitation:** Delivered +1,000 facilities, including rehabilitation of schools and +250 toilet/shower units across Gaza, prioritizing women-led, elderly, and disabled households.
- **Winter Response Campaigns:** Raised €60,000 to insulate schools, cover tents, and provide winter clothing for displaced families.
- **Zomi Protection Camp:** Established a safe site for 95 vulnerable families with basic services and a community-run education center.
- **Water Grid Rehabilitation:** Restored municipal tap water to 120,000 residents in six Khan Younis neighbourhoods.
- **3,500 individual donors, many are reoccurring donations; why?**

# Challenges and Risk Mitigation: How Do We Manage?

- We operate only in designated “green zones” and closely monitor official evacuation alerts. Our components are mobile and can be relocated if needed.
- To avoid associations that may compromise safety, we screen all partners, vendors, and land-owners using the OFAC platform as well as local verification.



- Bottom-up approach.
- We work closely with local actors like community leaders, CBOs, and small enterprises.
- Grassroots-lead activities.

# Access to Clean Water for Residents in Al-Mawasi: A Critical Need of 6 Desalination Systems in 40 Sites, For 100,000 Families

Desalination Unit Installed: 8 m<sup>3</sup>/hour (60,000 L/day) capacity, fuel-powered. Connected four nearby camps via pipelines and tap points.

## Currently being done:

New Desalination Unit: 8 m<sup>3</sup>/hour at CMWU (serving 100,000 IDPs) with 5–8 outlet points and 5m<sup>3</sup> tanks. Water delivered via trucks.

Repairing 2 desalination units, and constructing a micro-distribution network to serve water to five nearby IDP camps, including Zomi Protection Camp.



# Join our mission



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- **Talk about us! Fundraise for us**
- **Donate to our cause!**
- **Connect us with donors, sponsors, and/or partners!**
- **Initiate a Clean Shelter Chapter where you live!**
- **Connect us with journalists, reporters and influencers to highlight our story and work!**

*we need your help!*



# Thank you!

We'd love to hear your thoughts, questions, or reflections - please feel free to share!

