



## Foundation of United for Relief and Sustainable Development (FUAD)

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### Fields of Activity

Child Protection, education, livelihood.

### Vision and mission

FUAD's vision is to become the best and most **effective organization in the field of human development**. To actualize this objective, FUAD is working on supporting capacities of the most vulnerable groups to achieve human dignity, sustainable livelihoods and quality education.

### ACTIVITIES

FUAD program and activities contribute to improve the **quality of education**. Provide easily access to **clean water** for everybody. Build a strong civil society based on **justice and equality**. Contribute to protect children from dangers and preserving their rights. Achieve **equality between genders**, empowerment for women and young girls, and protection from all forms of violence.

### MAIN ACHIEVEMENTS

- ❖ Emergency Relief operations especially during the waves of displacements in 2003, 2006 and 2014.
- ❖ 3750 children and adolescents got benefits from child protection center which provided from the project child protection support for children and adolescents affected by conflict.
- ❖ Strategic and organizational support project for civil society organizations, where 22 FUAD employees and 7 members of administration board were trained.
- ❖ Training for unemployed youth of both sexes was conducted for 252 individuals including 40 trainers on professions that could provide them with income (men's Hairdressing, women's hairdressing, women's sewing).
- ❖ Building partnerships for the integrated recovery of vulnerable communities, which conducted capacity building course for local authorities (18) employees, training course for 30 community leaders and community dialogue sessions for 82 beneficiaries.
- ❖ A project based on providing health and social that supported children, mothers and fathers for total 6000 beneficiaries.



Country: Iraq



Year of foundation: 2003



Areas of intervention:

Baghdad, Kirkuk, Mosel, Salahaldin, and Diyala districts.



STAFF: 40 employees, 33 are women



Partnerships

Oxfam, UNICEF, and IRD organizations



Website : <https://fuad-iq.org>

FUAD's Contributions to Naseej's workstreams:

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Service Delivery




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## FUAD's activities supported by Naseej: an overview

### Locations

 AL-Izi (AL-Banjani), AL-Jihad, AL-Nidal (Blour) are areas located within Al-Muqdadiyah district in Diyala governorate.

### Budget



€ 150.000


### Timeframe




16 months

### Naseej's workstreams

#### Stream 1 (Services Delivery)

Strengthening support and referral services and reporting systems for women and girls GBV survivors 

#### Stream 2 (Community Engagement)

Transforming the social norms that perpetuate GBV with a special focus on youth engagement 

#### Stream 3 (Policy Change)

Strengthening development and implementation of national GBV legislation



#### Provide psychological support to **200 women and adolescents girls**

Establishing a center equipped with necessary furniture and materials for individual **psychological, social support to GBV survivors**.

#### Economic empowerment for 50 women

Providing job opportunities for 50 GBV survivors, and **economic support** to start small project by training and qualifying them. Providing **financial support** by granting of 357 IQD to start small projects in order to raise the standard living of GBV survivors.

#### Provide legal assistance to **200 GBV survivors including adolescent girls**

Providing **legal assistance** and consultations to GBV survivors. This work will be carried out by legal representation, as well as providing legal advice if necessary.



#### Awareness sessions to reduce GBV and sexuality for **(2000) women, girls and youth**.

Awareness raising about **Women's Rights**, GBV and reproductive health to reduce the Gender-Based Violence, where specialists in the field of protection will lecture. These sessions will target 2000 from different group; women between (18-50), adolescent girls between (14-18), and young men between (16-24) years old. Sessions will contribute to **preventing** violence against women, **improving** their status, working to **achieve full equality** for women before the law and in public life, and combating the dominant gender-based belief.

#### Creating a Facebook page to **address and combat gender-based violence**

The page will use as a platform to **raise awareness** of women's rights. Publishing interviews and dialogues with activists in the field of women's rights to educate and encourage women to overcome violence in any form, creating videos which aims to reduce the gender-based violence.



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