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**Subject: Update on Humanitarian Response and Recent Damages at Community Centers**

As you are aware, since the ceasefire that took effect on December 27, 2024, Lebanon has been navigating the aftermath of intense conflict, which has significantly impacted communities across the region. Despite the overall improvement in the situation post-ceasefire, several community centers, including our center in Rashidiya camp, have sustained considerable damage.

**Damage Report:**

**1. Rashidiya Camp Center:**

- The ceiling has developed cracks, resulting in water leakage. Immediate repairs are necessary to prevent further deterioration.
- Solar panels were damaged, including one that needs replacement, alongside three malfunctioning inverters.

**2. Other Centers:**

- Doors and windows have been broken in the Rashidiya center and similar damage has been reported at our centers in Baalbeck and ElBus.

**Community Impact:**

Following the ceasefire, many displaced families have begun returning home, although the ongoing violence prior remains a poignant reminder of the conflict's

toll. For instance, during the weeks leading up to the ceasefire, significant casualties were reported, with many still requiring assistance.

As of November 29, 2024, 3,961 fatalities and 16,520 injuries had been reported since the onset of Israeli aggression. The number of registered IDPs has dramatically decreased by 76.97%, with 33,758 currently residing in 713 shelters. A total of 578,641 IDPs have returned to their homes since the ceasefire.

### **Ongoing Humanitarian Efforts:**

We remain steadfast in our commitment to support affected communities. Our teams are engaged in needs assessments to address ongoing humanitarian challenges, with particular attention to providing:

**- Basic assistance and food parcels**

- Fuel diesel for heating during the winter

- Essential health services for individuals with chronic conditions (e.g., cancer, thalassemia, kidney failure)

All centers are operational and already resumed activities to serve our communities. Attached are the recent reports for your reference, outlining the situation and our response strategies.

Your support during these challenging times is greatly appreciated. We will keep you informed of any developments.

Warm regards and solidarity,

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