The year 2020 brought us together with new disasters. It is the first time we have encountered a disaster that affected the entire planet. We had to quickly learn how to cope with it in the process. As Support to Life, I believe we managed this well.

We were able to move almost all of the services we provided in our support efforts to digital platforms. We went even further; thanks to our call center that we established specifically for COVID-19, we were able to reach and support refugees from all over Turkey. In this way, we have reached beyond the eight provinces in which we operate.

We did not leave the refugees, one of the groups most affected by the pandemic, alone. We provided cash aid for their increasing needs during this period. We continued our advocacy work for refugees to access equal rights.

The pandemic also had unexpected effects on our employees. In order to support them, we switched to the location-independent working model. We have developed special applications exclusively for this period to ensure well-being of our employees and are appreciated by the civil society community. We are happy to be a role model for civil society in workplace practices.

The year 2020 has taught humanity a lot. Most of all, it taught us how we all depend on each other for well-being. Perhaps the most important lesson we received was that solidarity is the main antidote to all kinds of social problems such as poverty, inequality, injustice, as well as humanitarian crises.

We survived in 2020 with your support, and we will do more in 2021. I would like to express my profound gratitude to you, our supporters, donors and partners, who have inspired and empowered us and made our achievements possible.

Chair of the Supervisory Board
Emel Şensezgin Mergen
AREAS OF WORK

Refugee Support
We provide support to refugees in Turkey based on their basic rights and needs. We provide vocational trainings that aim to support livelihoods, and implement employability projects. Aiming to empower individuals and contribute to social cohesion, we conduct psychosocial support based protection activities in our community centers. Our individual protection activities focus on facilitating access to services and increasing refugees’ awareness of their basic rights.

Child Protection in Seasonal Agriculture
We work to combat child labor in Turkey. While the overall focus of our activities is on children forced to work, or who are at risk, we focus especially on children of families working in seasonal agriculture. Our primary goal is to improve the living conditions of children dwelling in seasonal agriculture encampments and to sensitize families and employers regarding the harms of child labor. An indispensable component of our program is to uphold children’s right to be children, and to refer children to school for an empowered future.

Strengthening Capacities in Civil Society
We deem a participatory, inclusive and well-coordinated civil society ecosystem as a cornerstone for successful and sustainable humanitarian aid delivery. Accordingly, we seek to strengthen civil society to enable an effective humanitarian aid and disaster response strategy. In addition to delivering trainings on topics within our expertise, we build effective coordination networks and prioritize the collective flow of information, resource and expertise sharing, as well as boosting communication and coordination capacities.

Emergency Response
Following humanitarian crises, we conduct emergency response operations that seek to address the needs of disaster-affected populations. We provide food and non-food items, improve dwelling conditions; respond to needs related to water, sanitation and hygiene.
Throughout 2020, we have worked to improve the access of refugees living in Turkey to rights and services, to facilitate their access to livelihoods, to overcome the obstacles to living together and to strengthen social cohesion, by taking measures in line with the pandemic conditions.

Within the scope of our Refugee Support Program, we carried out our work in 8 provinces where we have Support to Life Houses and Support to Life Hubs and via the Information and Support Line and the hayatadestek.online website which allows remote access. Throughout 2020, as part of our refugee protection and livelihood support projects, we supported the lives of 28,491 people by working face-to-face in the field or through online tools.
PROTECTION

Case Management
With our case management support, we aimed to inform refugees about rights and services such as health, education, registration and legal aid through one-to-one interviews, to follow up directly the problems they encounter in accessing these rights and services, and to refer them to relevant institutions when necessary. With our social worker teams, we supported 4,826 people under risk through remote case management activities at 8 fields.

Legal Support
Within the scope of protection activities, we provided legal consultancy to those in need at our 8 fields on topics such as family law, registration, criminal law, women’s rights, child protection, accommodation, access to education, access to health, labor and social security law. We accompanied individuals at risk during their visits to public institutions or relevant private institutions. We have established cooperation with the Legal Aid Offices of bar associations in order to facilitate the beneficiaries’ access to legal aid and advocacy services. Our lawyers reached 1,193 people throughout 2020 and provided legal support on different topics.

Mental Health and Psychosocial Support
With our mental health and psychosocial support activities, we aimed to strengthen the coping mechanisms and adaptation skills of both adults and children, to heal the negative effects of difficult living conditions, and to make people feel safe again.

We have redesigned our psychosocial group work, which aims to strengthen children’s development and basic life skills, in a way that can be applied remotely and that beneficiaries can participate via telephone and online tools.

When the pandemic started, we had 18 tablets in our office. In April, we uploaded Internet on these tablets, distributed them to children and started working with them remotely. We received new registrations 4 times, collected the tablets and distributed them to new children.

Dilek
Project Manager, Hatay

A young refugee woman from Şanlıurfa called our Information and Support line during the pandemic: “Provincial Directorate of Migration Management says we have to go back to Sivas. There is a curfew out of town. Even if we go, we have no place to stay there. I am not registered here either. A baby in my arms, two children in my hands, sickness everywhere…” This phone call was the new door opened in that difficult period for 34-year-old Meryem, who came to Şanlıurfa from Sivas due to economic difficulties. We moved Meryem and her children’s temporary protection registration to Şanlıurfa and got her newborn’s identity card issued. Then we directed Meryem to basic livelihoods. A woman and three futures are climbing the steps of a new life now…

Dilek
Social Worker, Şanlıurfa

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In 2020, we provided individual psychological counseling to 349 children and 642 adults. 5,369 children participated in our psychosocial support services, which aim to reinforce their sense of self, awareness and expression of their emotions, and strengthen their social interactions.

We delivered 2,424 psychosocial support packages to children in Batman, Diyarbakır, Hatay, Istanbul, Mardin and Şanlıurfa.
Information and Awareness Studies

In 2020, we carried our awareness-raising sessions, which we conducted by traveling from neighborhood to neighborhood, from village to village before the pandemic, to online environments and teleconference rooms so that refugees can have information about their rights and responsibilities in Turkey and how they can access the services offered within the framework of their fundamental rights. We reached 21,621 people in total by adding information about the COVID-19 to our sessions, which we organized on our teleconference rooms and other online channels that can be accessed free of charge, without the need for the Internet.

We have activated the Information and Support Line as of April 2020, in order to solve the problem of accessing accurate information, which has become even more critical with the pandemic. We answered 2,874 calls during the year through the hotline, where we provide information and support in Turkish, Arabic and Kurdish and presented information on 5,096 topics. We have prepared and disseminated informative content in Turkish-Arabic languages, focusing on the course of the pandemic, the ways to prevent the spread of COVID-19, the measures taken, and the regulations made within the scope of combating the epidemic. In order to enable our beneficiaries to access this information directly, we prepared the content in Turkish and Arabic, bilingual, and built the hayatdestek.online website. We prepared informational videos, audio recordings and written information notes available under 26 different titles that can be accessed on this website.

Information and Awareness-Raising Sessions | 19,848 adults | 1,773 children | 2,874 calls

My daughter was born during the pandemic period. Now I know the rights granted to children in Turkey. From now on, I will continue to work for my own child and all other children to have their education and health rights, social rights, and to grow up enjoying their childhood.

Narin (25), Şanlıurfa Support to Life Volunteer

Educational Support

As part of our protection activities, we continued our efforts to support school enrollment, school attendance and adaptation of refugee children throughout 2020. We directed 554 children out-of-school to return to school and enabled them to continue their distance education.

During this year, when we could not come together physically, we created new opportunities to support children’s well-being and participation processes. We published the Digital Children’s Newspaper, which we prepared together with the participation of children, in Turkish-Arabic languages. We reached 163 children with 6 issues of our newspaper, which is full of colorful content, informative notes, games and children’s shares.

School Registration Support | 554 children

We rolled up our sleeves after the forest fires in Hatay in October 2020. As Turkish and Syrian nature lovers, we came together as a symbol of friendship and brotherhood. We restored 1,000 saplings to the ground. With the pine, pine nuts and hornbeam saplings we planted in the Hatay Friendship Forest in Topboğazı area of Belen district, we tried to breathe into the future and reminded the importance of living together and social harmony.

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LIVELIHOOD SUPPORT

According to a study examining the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on refugees’ life in Turkey, while 18% of refugees across the country were not working before the epidemic, this rate increased to 88% after COVID-19 outbreak.

With our livelihood support projects, we aimed to increase the access of those in need, especially the refugee population, to secure and sustainable employment opportunities.

We have adapted our work to the pandemic conditions, taking into account the difficulties in accessing livelihoods, which is one of the most important problems we have observed during the pandemic. In order to increase the employment potential, we moved the trainings of our beneficiaries to online platforms. 354 of our beneficiaries successfully completed their Turkish language courses, while 566 of our beneficiaries successfully completed our life skills courses. Within the scope of the trainings, we provided information to young people on CV writing, job interviews, employment rights and business culture, communication and job search, and opened a space for them to share their knowledge and experiences with each other through peer support. We have created the opportunity to participate from all over the country by opening the trainings to remote access with our online platforms. In addition, we supported our 361 refugees by paying their work permit fees in order to enable those under temporary protection to participate in registered employment.

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We supported Development and Improvement of Women’s Labor Cooperative (KEKİK), whose activities were adversely affected by the pandemic in Mardin, to strengthen its capacity by switching to a new production concept. 31 female beneficiaries, who were both refugees and members of the local community in Hatay, successfully completed the food production vocational course offered at Altınozu Family Support Center and received their certificates. 21 of our beneficiaries attended the KOSGEB Basic Entrepreneurship Training offered in Altnözü and received their certificates.

In addition, 32 of our beneficiaries developed their vocational skills by participating in sewing-embroidery workshops in Şanlıurfa.

"During livelihood support trainings, I was with a group that I felt belonged to, regardless of my identity, where I came from and what language I spoke. I never felt like a ‘foreigner’. I also had the opportunity to practice in order to improve my Turkish."

Sheirin (30), Istanbul Vocational Skills Development Training Participant

"When I was studying foreign trade, I told a friend about education and he offered me a job in this field. In other words, this training, which I mentioned about in the middle of the talk, opened a new door for me in the business world."

Yusuf (30), Istanbul Life Skills Training Participant
It is very normal to feel sadness, anxiety, stress, confusion, fear or anger in times of crisis. We are all at home, not side by side, but together. We want you to support life by enjoying staying at home. #StayAtHome #SupportToLife

Information published by the World Health Organization, Psychiatric Association of Turkey and Psychologist Cemre Soysal was used.
CHILD PROTECTION IN SEASONAL AGRICULTURE

160 million children are employed in the world. With the COVID-19 outbreak, 8.9 million children are expected to be added to this number by the end of 2022. Moreover, it is seen that half of these children are employed in the dangerous sectors, including seasonal agriculture. Unfortunately, the problem has not been resolved in Turkey.

With our child protection in seasonal agriculture project, we aimed to improve the living conditions of children who are employed or at risk of being employed in different sectors, especially in seasonal agricultural areas in Adana province and Viranşehir district of Şanlıurfa, who have more difficult times due to the pandemic, while also protecting them from neglect and abuse and enabling them access their rights. We have supported lives of hundreds of children through our field activities, information sessions and advocacy works for children’s rights.

FIELD WORKS

Support for Children

In 2020, we supported the lives of 3,630 people in total, thanks to our remote protection efforts for families working in seasonal agricultural areas and their children. We reached 404 people with our case management activities for children at risk and their families. While providing legal consultancy support to 52 people, we supported school registration of 125 children and enabled them to continue their education. We reached 1,750 people with psychosocial support activities we prepared especially to reduce the negative psychological effects of working on children and to improve their well-being. We provided psychological support to 70 people. We distributed psychosocial support packages to 468 children so that they could access our psychosocial support activities, which we continued online during the pandemic.

In order to protect the children of families working in the seasonal agriculture sector from being employed, we provided a monthly conditional cash support of 500 TL for 3 months to families of 1,211 children in cooperation with the District Governorship of Viranşehir in Şanlıurfa, and enabled children to continue their distance education.

Support for Children

Case-Based Interventions: 402 children, 2 adults
School Registration Support: 125 children
Conditional Cash Support (for 3 months): 1,211 children
Legal Support: 23 children, 29 adults
Psychosocial Support: 1,746 children, 4 adults
Psychosocial Support Package: 468 children

Information and Awareness-Raising Sessions

We reached 1,563 people with the awareness-raising sessions we organized for families and institutions to inform them about the negative effects of child labor and in order to eliminate the cultural and social norms that give rise to child labor. We also provided training to 53 agricultural intermediaries on the negative effects of child labor and legal procedures.

ADVOCACY WORKS

With our advocacy work about children’s rights, we aimed to raise public awareness and encourage the relevant authorities to take responsibility. In roundtable meetings, we brought together all stakeholders working to combat child labor, such as representatives of the public, civil society, academia and trade unions.

We took part in the ‘Commission for the Prevention of Child Labor’ established by the Viranşehir District Governorship in 2020. Thanks to this commission, we evaluated situations of 4,283 children working in seasonal agriculture; we carried out activities in 9 pilot schools. We prepared an action plan to protect children from working and thus prevented 352 children from migrating to seasonal agriculture.

We need to ensure all children get what they need. This can be done by families, the state, and non-governmental organizations such as Support to Life. For example, schools were closed when the curfew started. Like most of my friends, I needed tests, pens, notebooks. Support to Life brought us these, but there are many other children who need them as well. Also, if the people who employ children do not accept and employ them, the families send their children to school and these children access their right to education.

Sidra (15), Şanlıurfa Children’s Committee Member
EMERGENCY RESPONSE

Within the scope of disaster preparedness and post-disaster recovery activities, we continued our activities in 2020, which was a very difficult year, in cooperation with the coordination networks we are involved in.

We have carried out many emergency aid works this year, which has been very difficult due to the earthquakes in Elazığ and İzmir, the refugee movement on the Turkish-Greek border, and especially the COVID-19 pandemic.

After the needs assessment in the first 48 hours of the 6.8 magnitude Elazığ Earthquake that took place on January 24, 2020, we took action to ensure child safety in temporary shelter centers with volunteer teams within the scope of our emergency response operation; we carried out psychosocial support activities and protective-preventive studies. In addition, we provided animal shelters to 244 families living in rural areas of Elazığ and Malatya, whose barns were damaged, in cooperation with the Provincial and District Directorates of Agriculture. During the COVID-19 epidemic, we distributed hygiene packages to a total of 520 families in temporary shelters established by AFAD, the Disaster and Emergency Management Presidency, in Elazığ and Sivrice. Our teams, who were transferred to the area affected by the earthquake in İzmir on October 30, completed the needs assessment within 48 hours. Within the scope of our emergency response operations; with the coordination of AFAD and İzmir Metropolitan Municipality, we set up 72 temporary emergency toilets in the tent areas and distributed 1,200 hygiene packages. In order to lessen the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic, within the scope of our emergency response operations; we provided a one-time cash assistance of 1,000 TL to 2,492 households that were adversely affected by the epidemic and had various protection risks. In addition, we carried out jointly with the non-governmental organization Ahbap in Hatay during the epidemic, we gave smart cards loaded 250 TL to 174 families in need to support their market expenses. Again in Hatay, with the support of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), we delivered hygiene and kitchen packages to 102 families, baby diapers to 40 children, sanitary pads to 146 women, and beds and blankets to 257 people within the scope of the support program for newly arrived refugees in Turkey.

In cooperation with Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality, we distributed hygiene packages to 642 families working in seasonal agriculture and living in tent areas in Adana. In cooperation with Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality, we distributed 416 food and 396 hygiene packages provided by the municipality to families in need.

During the refugee movement at the Turkey-Greece border in the last week of February 2020, after the needs assessment of our emergency response teams, we distributed 15,360 baby food, 20 thousand ready-made canned food and 15,100 raincoats within the scope of the emergency aid operation we carried out under the coordination of the Edirne Governorship and the Directorate General of Migration Management. We supported the installation of mobile toilets and hand washing units for refugees waiting at Pazarkule Border Gate. We provided transportation support to 161 people who wanted to return to their cities from the provinces where they were quarantined due to COVID-19 and accommodation support to 19 people ahead of the transportation organization.

Basic Needs Package (hygiene, cleaning and food) 3,719 families
One-time cash support 2,492 families
PSYCHOSOCIAL SUPPORT
PRACTICE GUIDE for children

As Support to Life, we have developed a guide to provide play-based psychosocial support while supporting the development of children who are forced to work. Our psychosocial activity guide, which we aim to be a useful resource for institutions that focus specifically on child labor and work in the field of child protection in general, consists of four booklets. The first of these four titles includes theoretical background information, while the other three titles include contents that appeal to three different age groups: 6-8, 9-13 and 14-18.

The Psychosocial Support Practice Guide is available online on our website.

STRENGTHENING CAPACITIES
IN CIVIL SOCIETY

For an effective humanitarian aid and disaster relief strategy, we aim to both improve our internal capacity and contribute to the capacities of other institutions, and carry out activities to strengthen civil society.

While developing the capacities of our employees in the field of humanitarian aid, we provided trainings to other non-governmental stakeholders, public institutions such as social service directorates, guidance research centers and public hospitals, or professional chambers that support the field of humanitarian aid such as bar associations. In 2020, as Support to Life, we worked with 139 volunteers from Syria, Turkey, Palestine and Iraq in 8 fields. We organized 36 trainings for 33 different institutions, in 7 different cities, and reached 1,002 participants.

TRAININGS

In 2020, we supported 10 non-governmental organizations serving in the fields of awareness-raising, protection and social cohesion; we have developed capacities in many areas such as financial affairs, procurement, human resource management, conflict resolution, project cycle management, child safety, basic principles of humanitarian protection and basic humanitarian standards.

In our free online training program, where we aim to improve the capacities of individuals and institutions in protection work for refugees, we have reached 366 people with the trainings we provide on gender-based violence, psychological first aid and refugee rights.

We provided child safety training to a total of 119 employees of 15 institutions within the scope of the Child Safety Capacity Strengthening Project in Turkey, which completed its fourth year contributing to the child safety capacity in the field of civil society. In addition, we provided grant support to 5 non-governmental organizations to build and develop their child safety capacities.

GENDER EQUALITY

We supported gender-sensitive studies with the gender equality working group, which was established by Support to Life employees. Content of 14 bulletins prepared by the working group made us #SupportToEquality.

As Support to Life, we were careful to provide working conditions for all parents where childcare responsibility could be shared equally from a gender equality perspective, and as of September 2020, we expanded the scope of paternity leave.
We continued our work at the national and international level in 2020 by taking part in coordination networks, which are indispensable for a strong civil society.

We have carried out our work through the national platforms of the Refugee Council of Turkey, of which we are a member, the Balance and Control Network, the Seasonal Worker Migration Communication Network and the Partnership Network to Prevent Violence Against Children. In addition, as a founding member of the Disaster Platform, which was established in January 2020, we organized joint humanitarian aid and advocacy activities in the field.

We carried out our activities in cooperation with other non-governmental organizations during the Elazığ and Malatya earthquakes, the refugee movement on the Edirne border, the Izmir earthquake and the COVID-19 pandemic.

In disaster response, we worked in coordination with public institutions, especially AFAD and related municipalities.

We participated in online meetings hosted by ICVA (International Council of Voluntary Agencies), a global humanitarian aid platform, of which we have been a member since 2014. We continued to lead local capacity advocacy as a member of the NEAR (Network For Empowered Aid Response), which brings together local non-governmental organizations and experts in humanitarian aid on a global scale. Throughout 2020, when our Director, Sema Genel Karaosmanoğlu, assumed responsibility as the Chairman of the Board of NEAR, we continued our efforts for decentralization in the field of humanitarian aid, both at the global and local levels.

**COORDINATION NETWORKS AND ADVOCACY**

**ONCE AGAIN WITH MUSIC**

Thanks to the ‘Once Again with Music’ project designed by 17-year-old Aden, who believes in the healing and unifying power of music, we helped creating opportunities for children struggling with social difficulties in Support to Life areas in different provinces. Aya and Aden, who met at the music workshop Aden organized with children at Küçükçekmece Support to Life House in Istanbul, sang together Şebnem Ferah's song called “Sil Baştan” and crowned this duet with a clip.

Today, support collected through the ‘Once Again with Music’ project make it possible to implement physical, mental and cultural activities that will support disadvantaged children’s acquisition of skills and complement their personality development.

**COMMUNICATION ACTIVITIES AND CAMPAIGNS**

We disseminated our advocacy messages throughout the year in our communication activities and campaigns.

We shared our field experiences in the webinar series titled ‘Evaluating the Fight Against Child Labor in Turkey 2000-2020’ organized by Bilgi University as part of June 12, World Day Against Child Labor. In addition, in the multimedia interview file we prepared for June 12 to contribute to social awareness in the fight against child labor, we took a glimpse into lives of six children working in seasonal agriculture; we once again said, ‘This business is not child’s play!’ in the light of the children’s testimonies.

On June 20, World Refugee Day, we organized a webinar where we talked with experts, academics and civil society workers about refugees’ access to education and health, legal problems in deportation and administrative detention processes, and the general state of refugees in Turkey.

On August 19, World Humanitarian Day, we asked 10 members of our association working in different fields what it means for them to be a humanitarian worker. With this content, which we have disseminated with the slogan of #RealLifeHeroes, we thanked all humanitarian aid workers in the presence of our association team.
PEOPLE AND CULTURE

We have made the focus areas of our people and cultural approach are feedback and appreciation, sharing and belonging, development and talent management and employee well-being. In 2020, we continued to carry out our recruitment processes by adhering to our principle of providing equal opportunities to everyone. We were careful to offer education and career opportunities to the 345 people we work with.

FINANCE

As Support to Life, we continued our work adhering to the principle of accountability this year as well. We conducted corporate audits covering all our expenditures and shared our audit reports on our website.

INCOME

| Donations (Corporate, Individual Donations, Events, etc.) | € 43,942,01 |
| Institutional Grants | € 158,681,52 |
| Livelihoods | € 4,900,858,38 |
| Emergency Response | € 6,400,858,38 |
| TOTAL EXPENSE | € 6,441,376,87 |

INCOME By type of source

| Project Expenses | € 6,441,376,87 |
| Support to Life General Administrative Expenses | € 159,481,52 |
| TOTAL | € 6,600,858,38 |

EXPENSE By field of activity

| Productivity | € 6,441,376,87 |
| Donations (Corporate, Individual Donations, Events, etc.) | € 43,942,01 |
| TOTAL | € 6,600,858,38 |

INCOME By type of source

| Livelihoods | %97,6 |
| Emergency Response | %2,4 |
| TOTAL | 100% |

As of 31.12.2020, the CBRT rate of 31.12.2020 was used when converting from TL to EUR.

* All numbers are for informational purposes only. Support to Life accounting records should be used as base on official records.
destekar is the shopping point of those who want to support life. All «profits» of destekar is to support life. With the social design market it has created, it invites both the consumer and the producer to be ‘supporters’; turns your shopping into an opportunity to support a more just and equal world for all.

All destekar designs serve to reach one or more of the Global Goals for Sustainable Development. destekar, is a brand of Support to Life.

product - All destekar products are born out of the meeting of talented designers from different disciplines with disaster-affected people or their agendas.

art - In addition to offering original products, destekar functions as an art gallery, making art accessible to everyone. It brings together a limited number of illustrations, signed books, paintings or other works by artists who think about a more just and equal world with those interested.

workshop & training & consultancy - destekar, disseminates skills and knowledge by organizing artistic workshops and specialist training for individuals and institutions. It cares to inspire the production of micro projects for a fairer and more equal world through its consultancy service.

YOU CAN SUPPORT LIFE TOO!

For 16 years, we have been striving to ensure disaster-affected communities access their basic needs and rights.

Your support will ensure the continuity of our work and enable us to reach more people.

Start supporting life today!

You can support our efforts to reduce disaster risks, provide emergency response needs, combat child labor and improve the living conditions of refugees in different ways.

With your credit card, you can send your support from www.hayatadestek.org/bagis, once or regularly, in any amount you wish.

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In return for donations, Support to Life prepares tailor-made celebration cards for occasions like new year’s, mother’s day, father’s day, weddings and delivers them to whomever they are addressed. You can make your special day more special by supporting life.

run, perform or play: make your own campaign
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