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# STATISTICAL REPORT JANUARY 2021

Number of beneficiaries of the Social Assistance Scheme by municipalities, age, gender and nationality

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## 1. ENTRY

The Social Assistance Scheme is support and provision of temporary financial assistance to families living in poverty. This Scheme is regulated by Law no. 2003/15 on the Social Assistance Scheme in Kosovo and Law no. 04 / L-096 on Amending and Supplementing Law no. 2003/15 on the Social Assistance Scheme in Kosovo.

The monthly payment of the beneficiaries of this Scheme is made according to the number of family members. The minimum amount is sixty (60) euros (families with one (1) member) while the maximum amount is one hundred and eighty (180) euros (families with fifteen (15) members). Plus extras of five (5) euros for each child aged 0-18 years. It is worth mentioning that in addition to the basic amount, the family selected for SNS, for each child aged zero (0) to eighteen (18) years, realizes a financial benefit of five (5) euros as a child supplement, in order to encourage of education and health improvement.

To exercise the right to social assistance, all family members must be citizens of the Republic of Kosovo, exceptionally, also foreign citizens who:

a) have a residence permit,

b) persons in the capacity of asylum seeker,

c) persons in the capacity of a refugee, and

d) persons who enjoy temporary and additional protection, and meet the conditions for categorization in one of the following categories:

**The first category** - the family in which all family members are dependent and none of them is employed; AND

**The second category** - a family with a able-bodied member, with at least one child under the age of 5 or who have a permanent caregiver under the age of 15.

The Ministry of Labor and Social Welfare, through the Department of Social and Family Policies, drafts the legal infrastructure, monitors, controls, inspects the quality of services provided by the CSWs according to the legislation in force and plans and allocates the necessary budget funds for aid payments. social, according to the requests of the municipalities-CSWs, in cooperation with the Ministry of Finance.

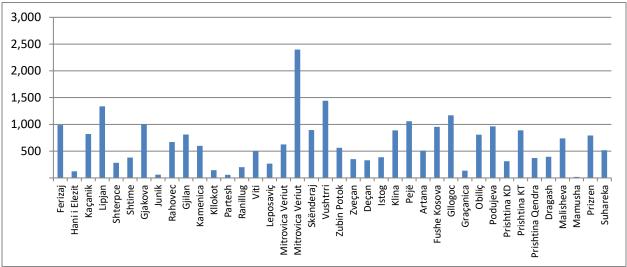
The main purpose of drafting this report is the fulfillment of the obligations that MLSW / DPSF has to report on the achievement of IPA 2019 indicators, namely the fulfillment of indicator number seven (7): "Transparent and gender-disaggregated statistical data for distribution of social assistance."

#### 2. NUBER OF BENEFICIARIES IN THE SOCIAL ASSISTANCE SCHEME, JANUARY 2021

In January 2021, 25,678 families with 103,303 members received social assistance. Even this month, the largest number of families, family members and the amount of funds has the municipality or the CSW of Mitrovica. In this municipality / CSW have received social assistance 2,339 families or 9.3% of the total families in the SNS, 9,922 members or 9.6% of the total family members in the SNS, while the amount of funds allocated for the payment of these families is 511,020.00 euros or 9.46% of the total amount. For more see Table 1 and Figures 1, 2 and 3:

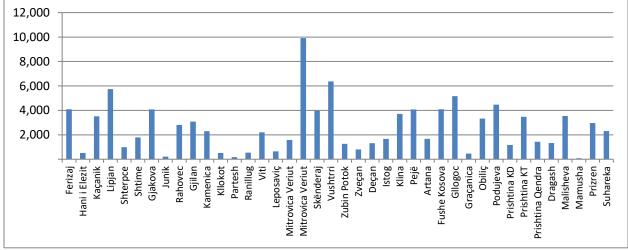
Region	CSW	Number of families	Number of family members	Amaunt in €
0	Ferizaj	988	4,092	212,272.50
	Hani i Elezit	125	509	26,580.00
FERIZAJ	Kaçanik	820	3,509	176,740.00
	Lipjan	1,337	5,745	290,377.50
	Shtërpca	282	986	54,900.00
	Shtime	381	1,779	85,125.00
	Under Total:	3,933	16,620	845,995.00
	Gjakova	1,006	4,078	216,740.00
GJAKOVA	Junik	61	208	11,600.00
	Rahovec	670	2,806	143,820.00
	Under Total:	1,737	7,092	372,160.00
	Gjilan	812	3,084	164,397.50
	Kamenica	599	2,296	122,920.00
GJILAN	Kllokot	146	518	28,557.50
	Partesh	57	175	10,995.00
	Ranillug	200	539	35,685.00
	Viti	501	2,205	108,042.50
	Under Total:	2,315	8,817	470,597.50
	Leposaviç	268	649	46,025.00
	Mitrovica Veriut	626	1,573	107,485.00
	Mitrovica	2,399	9,922	511,020.00
MITROVICA	Skënderaj	896	3,972	193,975.00
	Vushtrri	1,443	6,371	315,187.50
	Zubin Potok	563	1,261	92,785.00
	Zveçan	351	797	57,280.00
	Under Total:	6,546	24,545	1,323,757.50
	Deçan	331	1,313	69,765.00
PEJA	Istog	388	1,673	85,105.00
	Klina	889	3,704	191,402.50
	Peja	1,058	4,081	218,402.50
	Under Total:	2,666	10,771	564,675.00
	Artana	509	1,670	96,245.00
	Fushe Kosova	954	4,095	211,125.00
	Gllogoc	1,169	5,157	257,687.50
	Graçanica	135	458	26,010.00
PRISHTINA	Obiliç	807	3,331	173,772.50
	Podujeva	963	4,465	212,895.00
	Prishtina KD	311	1,168	63,567.50
	Prishtina KT	888	3,468	185,832.50
	Prishtina Qendra	373	1,434	77,070.00
	Under Total:	6,109	25,246	1,304,205.00
	Dragash	397	1,327	76,937.50
	Malisheva	738	3,538	168,315.00
PRIZREN	Mamusha	18	77	4,010.00
-	Prizren	792	2,964	158,750.00
	Suhareka	517	2,306	114,615.00
	Under Total:	2,462	10,212	522,627.50
	Total:	25,768	103,303	5,404,017.50

Table 1: Number of households, family members and amount of funds by municipalities (January 2021)

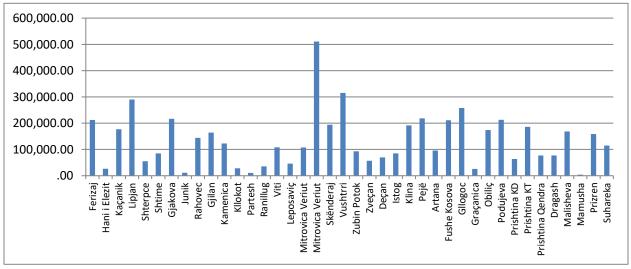


#### Figure 1: Number of households in SAS by municipalities (January 2021)





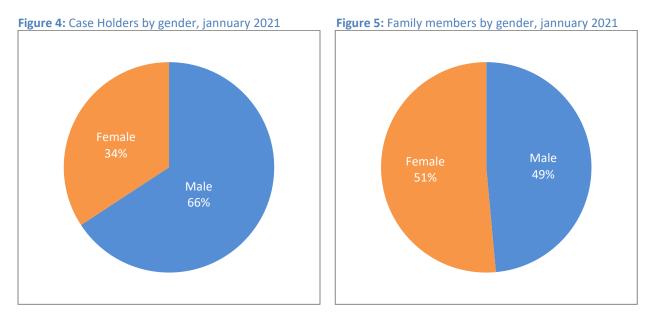




## 2.2. Case holders and family members by gender

	CSW	No. of Families	Case Holders by gender (Janua Case Holders by gender		No. of	Family members by gender	
Region			Male	Female	members of families	Male	Female
	Artana	509	300	209	1,665	802	863
	Fushe Kosova	956	638	318	4,092	2,006	2,086
	Gllogoc	1,167	948	219	5,152	2,541	2,611
	Graçanica	135	75	60	458	225	233
Prishtina	Obiliç	807	624	183	3,333	1,639	1,694
	Podujeva	963	661	302	4,475	2,108	2,367
	Prishtina K.D	311	171	140	1,170	508	662
	Prishtina K.T	888	480	408	3,471	1,658	1,813
	Prishtina Qendra	373	196	174	1,436	678	758
	Under Total:	6,109	4,096	2,013	25,255	12,168	13,087
	Deçan	331	182	149	1,313	635	678
	Istog	388	304	84	1,675	793	882
Peja	Klina	889	704	185	3,697	1,831	1,866
	Peja	1,058	698	360	4,078	1,940	2,138
	Under Total:	2,666	1,888	778	10,763	5,199	5,564
	Dragash	397	261	136	1,324	623	701
	Malisheva	738	577	161	3,532	1,702	1,830
Prizreni	Mamusha	18	8	10	77	35	42
	Prizren	792	447	345	2,954	1,391	1,563
	Suhareka	517	291	226	2,305	1,115	1,190
	Under Total:	2,462	1,584	878	10,192	4,866	5,326
	Ferizaj	988	592	396	4,079	1,943	2,136
	Hani i Elezit	125	99	26	510	246	264
	Kaçanik	820	597	223	3,509	1,733	1,776
Ferizaj	Lipjan	1,337	1,008	327	5,811	2,886	2,925
	Shtërpca	282	170	112	984	484	500
	Shtime	381	303	78	1,782	861	921
	Under Total:	3,933	2,769	1,162	16,675	8,153	8,522
	Gjakova	1,006	676	330	4,063	1,983	2,080
Gjakova	Junik	61	33	28	208	99	109
	Rahovec	670	473	197	2,801	1,398	1,403
	Under Total:	1,737	1,182	555	7,072	3,480	3,592
	Gjilan	813	380	433	3,085	1,469	1,616
	Kamenica	599	401	198	2,290	1,134	1,156
<u></u>	Kllokot	146	76	70	519	271	248
Gjilani	Partesh	57	31	26	172	79	93
	Ranillug	200	94	106	542	284	258
	Viti	500	324	176	2,240	1,084	1,156
Under Total:		2,315	1,306	1,009	8,812	4,285	4,527
	Leposaviç	268	134	134	652	308	344
	Mitrovica Veriut	626	255	371	1,578	727	851
	Mitrovica	2,401	1,754	647	9,912	4,931	4,981
Mitrovica	Skënderaj	896	697	199	3,966	1,943	2,023
	Vushtrri	1,443	890	553	6,371	3,151	3,220
	Zubin Potok	563	236	327	1,272	589	683
	Zveçan	351	156	195	816	381	435
Under Total:		6,548	4,122	2,426	24,567	12,030	12,537
	TOTAL:	25,768	16947	8,821	103,303	50,148	53,155

 Table 2: Number of case holders and family members by gender (January 2021)



Based on Table 2 and Figure 4, we find that out of 25,678 case holders / families that were in January 2021 beneficiaries of the Social Assistance Scheme, 16,947 case holders or 65.77% are male while 8,821 case holders or 34.23% are female. So, the number of male carriers is higher by 8,126 carriers or 31.54% compared to the number of female carriers.

As for the gender of family members, we find that out of 103,303<sup>1</sup> family members, 50,148 or 48.54% are male while 53,155 or 51.46% are female. So, in family members we have a greater inclusion of women for 3,007 members or 2.91% compared to male members. See Table 2 and Figure 5.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> **Note:** this number also includes case holders

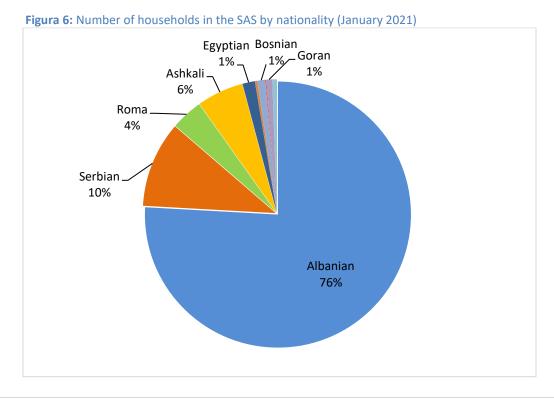
### 2.3. National structure of families and family members in social assistance

According to Table 3, the largest number and percentage of families and family members, beneficiaries of social assistance, are Albanian families / residents, with a total of 19,553 families or 73.48% and with 81,243 family members or 78.68%, followed by Serb families. with 2,688 families or 12.80%.

Thus, non-Albanian families in the Social Assistance Scheme participate with 6,000 families or with 23.28% (2,688 or 12.80% Serbian families and 3,382 or 13.12% families of other minority communities in Kosovo). See Table 3 and Figures 6 and 7:

Nationality	nality Number of		Number of	%	Amaount	%
	families		members			
Albanian	19.553	73.48%	81.243	78.68%	4,168,372.50	77.29%
Serbian	2.688	12.80%	6.866	6.65%	461,047.50	8.55%
Roma	994	3.91%	4.466	4.33%	223,287.50	4.14%
Ashkali	1.464	5.90%	7.009	6.79%	341,215.00	6.33%
Egyptian	390	1.63%	1.881	1.82%	91,612.50	1.70%
Turkish	70	0.26%	213	0.21%	12,570.00	0.23%
Bosnian	251	0.97%	760	0.74%	45,122.50	0.84%
Montenegro	3	0.01%	6	0.01%	515.00	0.01%
Croatian	14	0.05%	38	0.04%	2,425.00	0.04%
Goran	196	0.80%	561	0.54%	35,220.00	0.65%
Others-	145	0.18%	321	0.20%	22,630.00	0.21%
TOTAL:	25.768	100	103.303	100	5,404,017.50	100

**Table 3:** Number of families and family members in te SAS by nationality (January 2021)



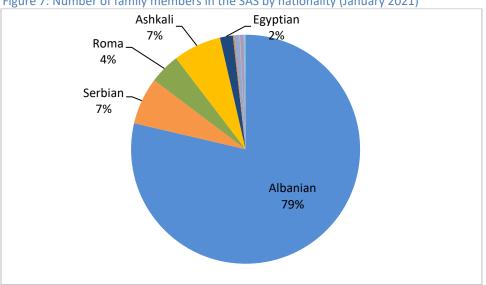


Figure 7: Number of family members in the SAS by nationality (January 2021)

#### 2.4. Family members in the SAS, by age group

Out of a total of 103,303 household members in the SAS, the largest number and percentage are 19-65 years old with a total of 51,665 members or 49.94%, while the smallest number and percentage are over 65 years old with a total of 1,124 members or 1.09%. See Table 4 and Figure 8:

Table 4: Number of famil	members in the SAS by age	group (January 2021)
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AGEE- GROUP	0-5 years	6-14 years	15-18 years	19-65 years	up 65 years	TOTAL
Number of members	14.890	25.904	9.766	51.665	1.124	103.303
%	14.42%	25.09%	9.46%	49.94%	1.09%	100%

