

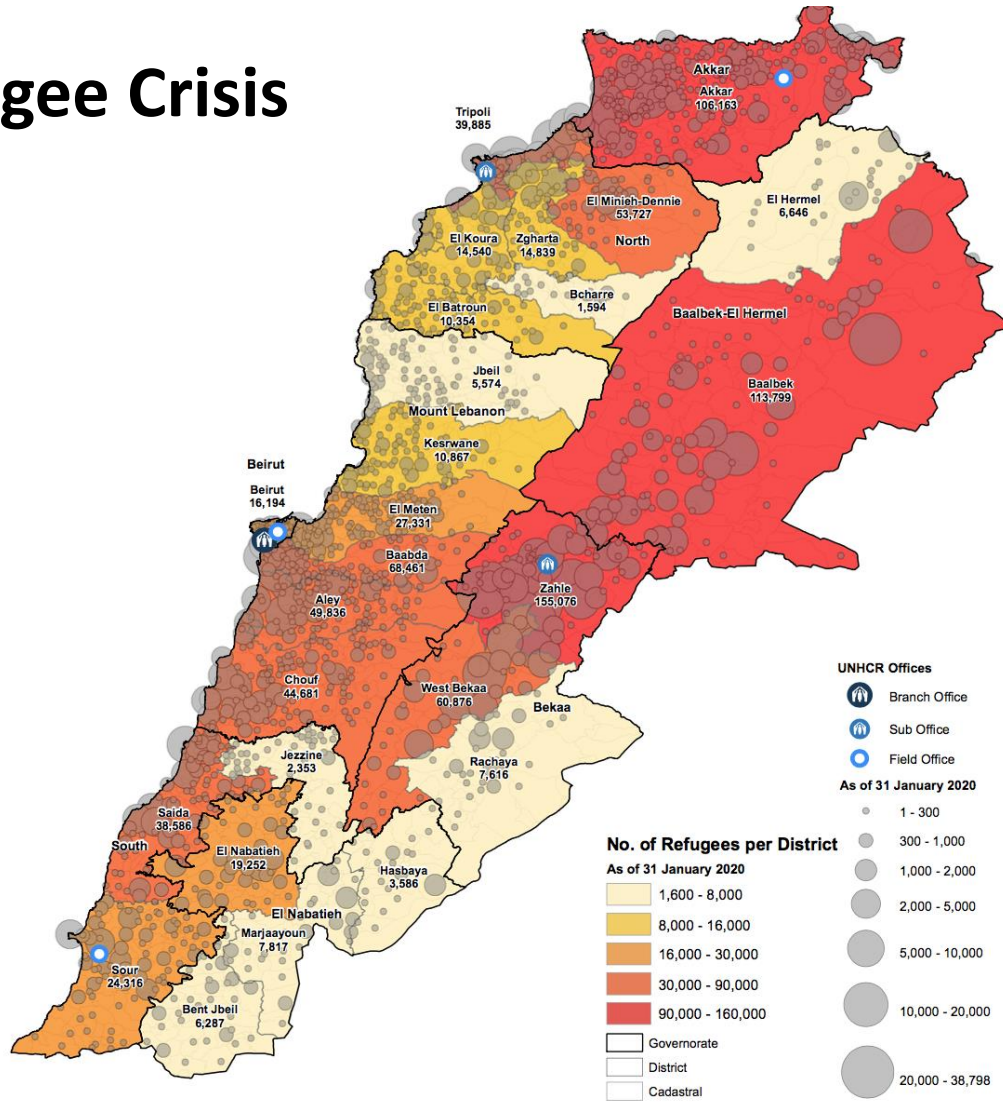
Social, Educational and Economic Empowerment of Refugee Women in Lebanon to Combat COVID-19

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Background

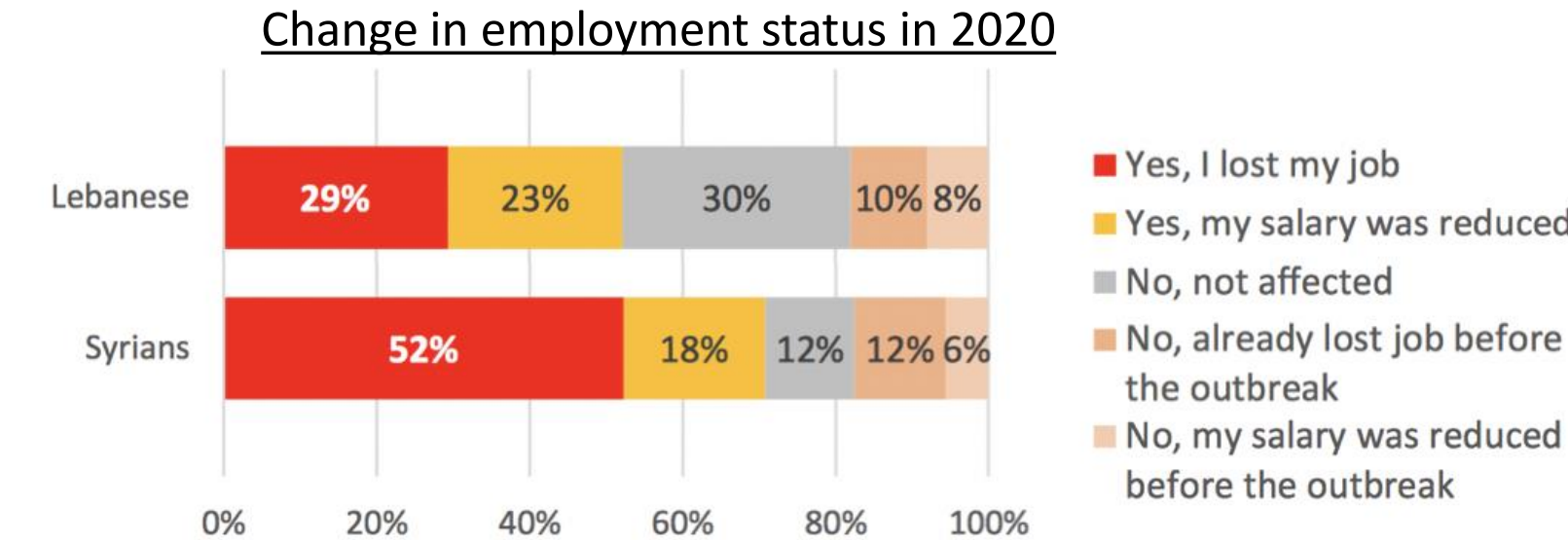
Refugee Crisis



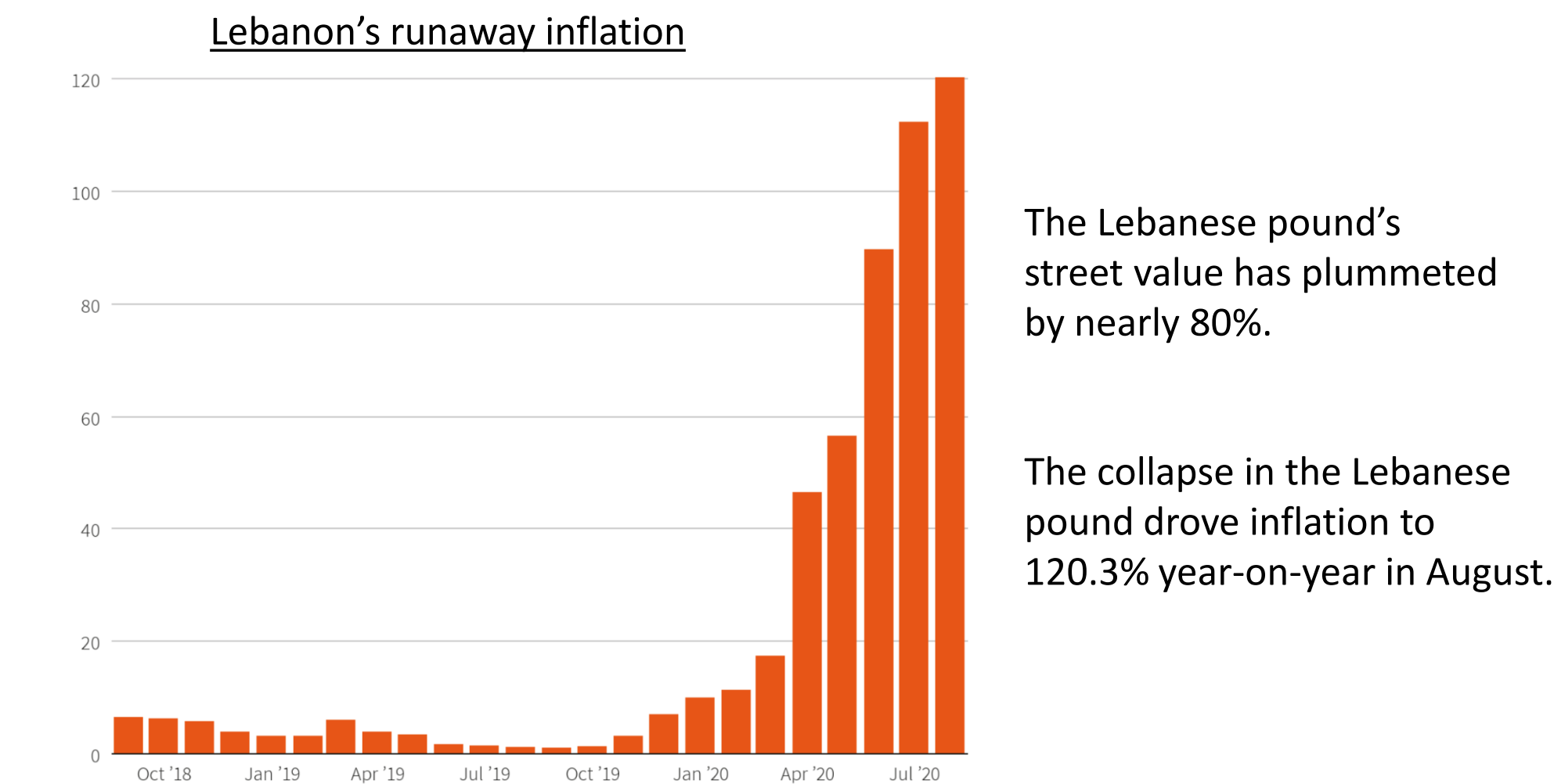
Poverty levels among Syrian refugees are estimated to have risen from 55% previously living below the extreme poverty line to 83% in 2020.

18% of Syrian refugee households are female-headed.

COVID-19 Crisis



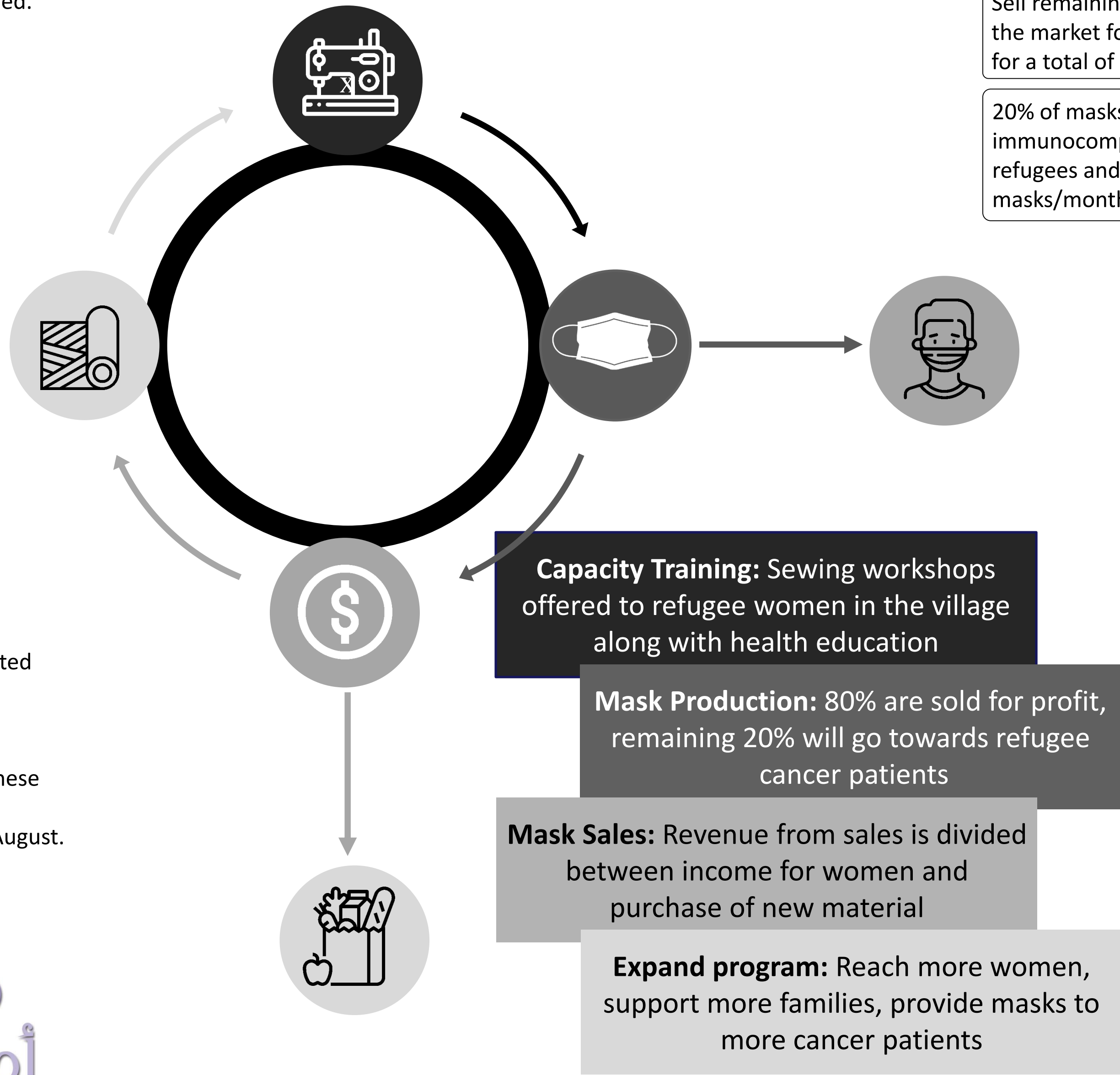
Economic Crisis



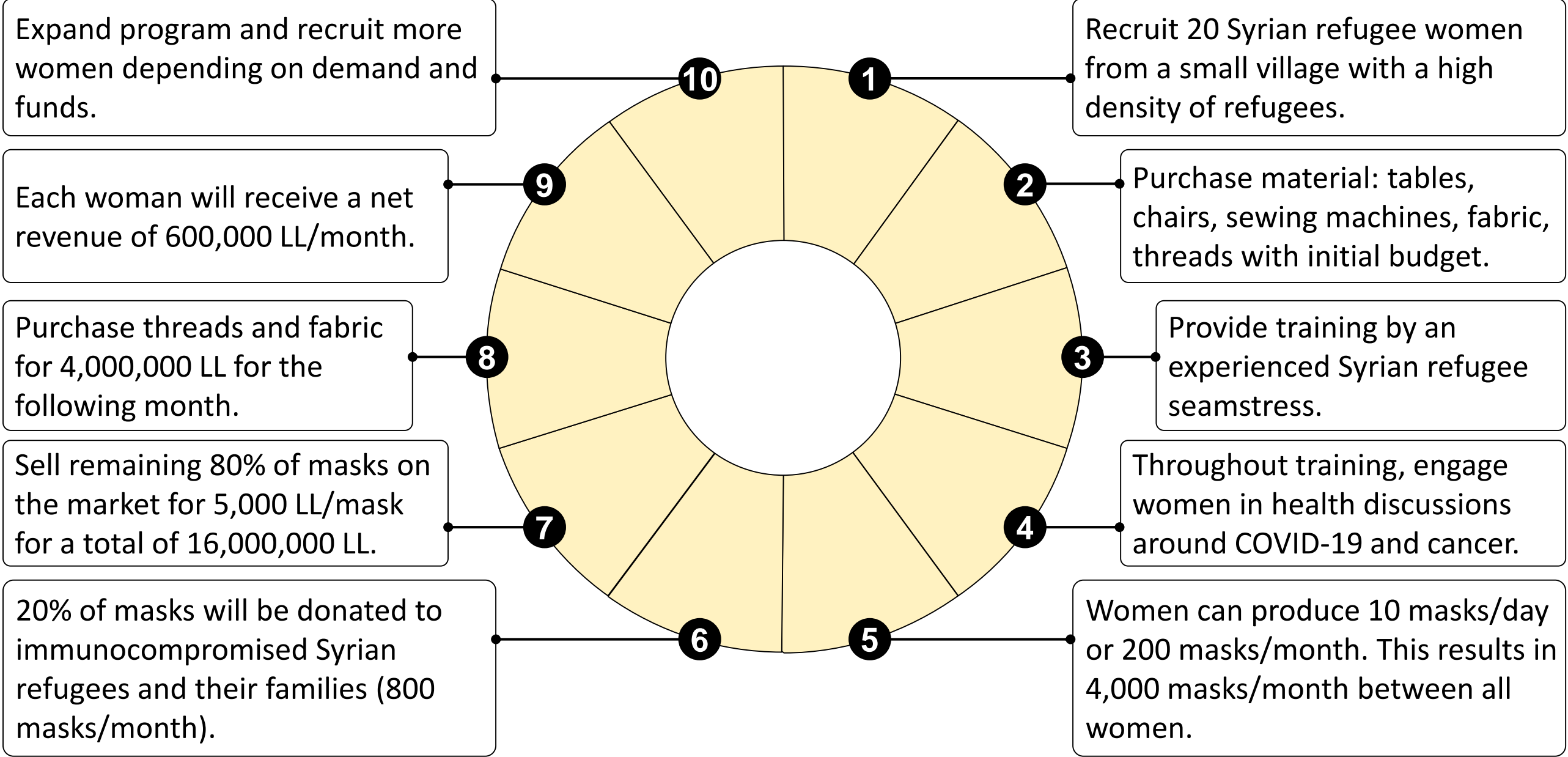
Goals

1. Invest in underprivileged Syrian women basic skills of sewing to produce masks.
2. Secure free of charge masks to refugee cancer patients and their families.
3. Provide health education around COVID-19 and cancer.

Strategies and Activities



Project Plan



Implication

Empowering refugee women to sustain themselves and their families will increase their financial independence and help in preventing the spread of COVID-19 in a particularly vulnerable community.