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The United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestinian Refugees in the Near East (UNRWA) is one of the largest United Nations programmes in the Middle East. UNRWA provides basic social services to the 3.6 million Palestine refugees registered with the Agency in Jordan, Lebanon, the Syrian Arab Republic, the West Bank and Gaza Strip. In this episode of **World Chronicle**, Peter Hansen, UNRWA Commissioner-General, looks back at the Agency's fifty years history and its contribution to the welfare and human development of four generations of Palestine refugees.

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