



KENYA

KAKUMA OPERATIONAL UPDATE

14 TO 20 AUGUST 2015

HIGHLIGHTS

KEY FIGURES

46,566

Asylum seekers received since influx began in December 2013.

2,845

UAMS in Kakuma Camp.

1:15

The ratio of latrines to users in Kakuma 4

16.75

Litres of water provided per person per day in Kakuma.

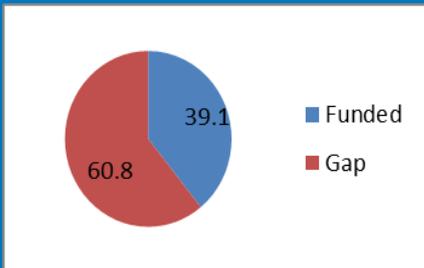
7,932

Number of roofed durable shelters in Kakuma 4.

FUNDING

USD 36.5 MILLION

Requested for the operation



PRIORITIES

- Monitor trends of daily new arrivals
- Maintenance of water network to ensure improved supply
- Close monitoring of malaria and watery diarrhea trends
- Roll out of electronic food vouchers to heads of households
- Preliminary surveys of new site and beaconing.

- As at 20 August 2015, Kakuma had received 46,566 asylum seekers from South Sudan. The activities at the border resumed and LWF staff are at the transit centre receiving the new arrivals from South Sudan. A total of 71 individuals from south Sudan were received during the reporting period.

UPDATE ON ACHIEVEMENTS

Operational Context

- UNHCR continued to conduct border monitoring visits to Nadapal three days a week (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday) to ensure that asylum seekers received at the border have unhindered access to asylum and are treated humanely. No cases of *refoulement* or ill treatment were reported; however immigration continued charging visa fees in compliance with the government directive.
- The trend of daily new arrivals has remained low; UNHCR has maintained a weekly convoy to the border to pick new arrivals. The trend of new arrivals continues to be monitored closely for any possible upsurge.

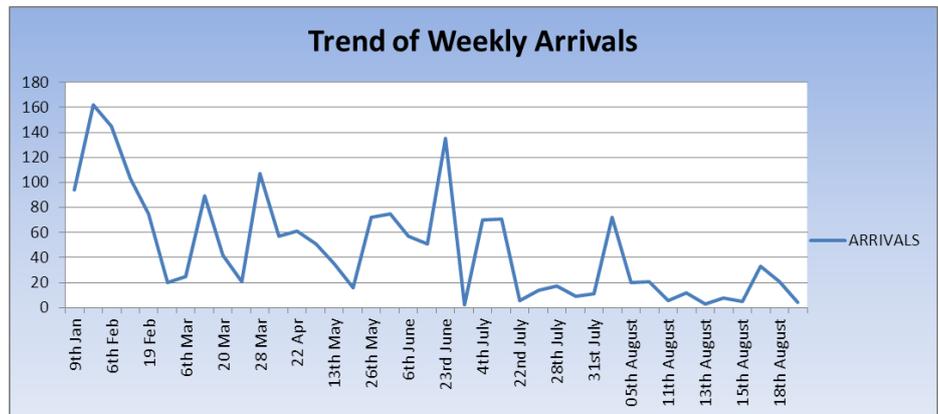


Fig 1: Trend of weekly arrivals

 Protection

1.1 Child protection data

Every week, the child protection data changes as new arrivals come in, some children are reunified with their family hence changing status leading to reduction/ increase in number of UASC.

1.2 Unaccompanied Minors:

As of 18 August 2015 there were **1326** UAMs including **914** (175 F & 739 M) South Sudanese UAMs who have been registered in ProGres since December 2013 influx bringing the cumulative number of registered UAMs in Kakuma to **2845**. The breakdown of the registered South Sudanese by area of origin is reflected in the graph below:

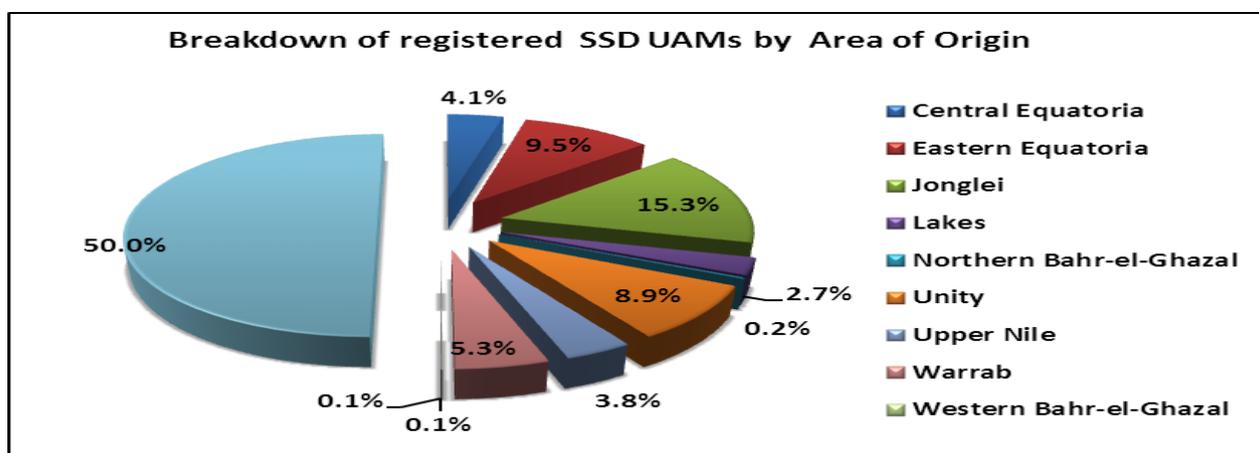


Fig 2: Breakdown of registered South Sudanese UAMs by area of origin

1.2 Separated Children:

As of 18 August 2015 there were **5936** separated children including **5195** (1870 F & 3325 M) South Sudanese separated children who have been registered in ProGres since December 2013 influx bringing the cumulative number of registered SC in Kakuma to **12863**. The breakdown of the registered South Sudanese by area of origin is reflected in the graph below:

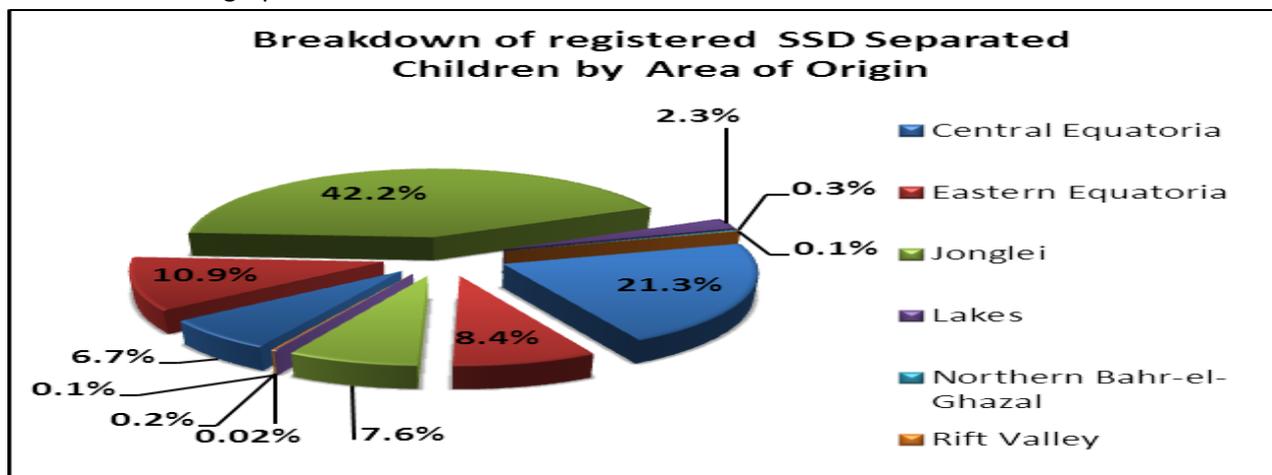


Fig 3: Breakdown of registered South Sudanese Separated Children by area of origin

4. SGBV

- During the reporting period, a total of 43 cases of SGBV were reported and assisted to access psychosocial counseling and 1 referral was made to the LWF Security for arbitration.
- IRC conducted a safety audit training for the incentive staff in preparation of data collection in Kakuma 1 and 3 to determine factors that may expose women and girls to risks in the camp. After the training data collection commenced in Kakuma 1 and 3 utilizing focus group discussions with women leaders. The exercise will also be conducted in K2 and K4 and thereafter findings will be analyzed.
- Psychosocial support to the survivors at various clinics and women centers in the camp was provided to improve on their emotional wellbeing and resilience.
- A 2 days training for Clinical Care for Sexual Survivors for the GBV Working Group partners was conducted during the reporting period. This will help on understanding the importance of the 72 hour rule in survivors accessing medical services.
- Coordination activities held during the week also included; case conferencing with GBV Working Group where difficult cases were discussed and the review of Safe Haven SOPs.
- One open group discussion with 35 women was conducted to discuss on basic concepts of GBV, referral pathway and the importance of reporting rape cases within 72 hours of the assault. 256 (210f, 46f) community members were also reached through home visits and discussions were done on the same.

Provision of services to PSN

- 3 (f) beneficiaries were supported with emergency cash assistance to meet their immediate basic needs which include food and clothes.
- 89 assistive devices were repaired and 21 (10f, 11m) were issued, which included walking canes, elbow crutches and backslaps. This is an endeavor to improve the independent living of persons with disabilities within the camp.
- 111 (47m, 64f) new arrivals received individual counseling to improve their psychosocial functioning hence improved resilience. 35(17m, 18f) were discharged after improving their emotional well-being



Health

- During the period under review, a total of 64 individuals among the new arrivals were vaccinated against measles, polio and other essential immunization at the reception centre. Mosquito nets were issued to 103 new arrivals.



Food Security and Nutrition

- During the reporting week ending on 16th August 2015, 24 children aged 6-59 months were screened by weight for height among the new arrivals, Two the children had Severe acute malnutrition and none had Moderate acute malnutrition.

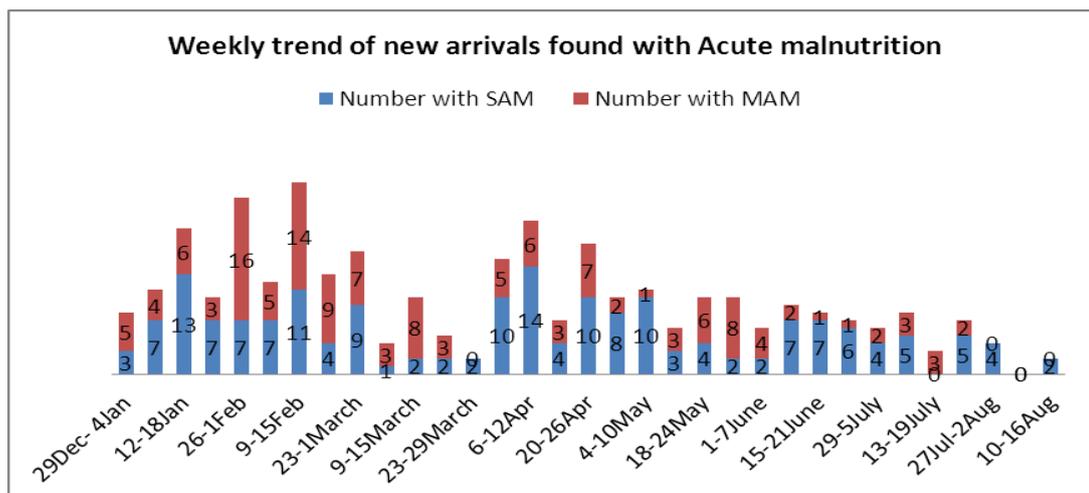


Fig 4: Breakdown of caseload of acute malnutrition among children screened at the reception centre.

Water and Sanitation

Total Quantity of water supplied to Kakuma 4 was 6326m³ which translated to consumption per capita of 17.0541 L/p/d. Water supply to the area reduced slightly due to breakdown interruptions at boreholes and pipelines. Regular monitoring of the whole water supply system is ongoing to ensure efficiency in water supply.

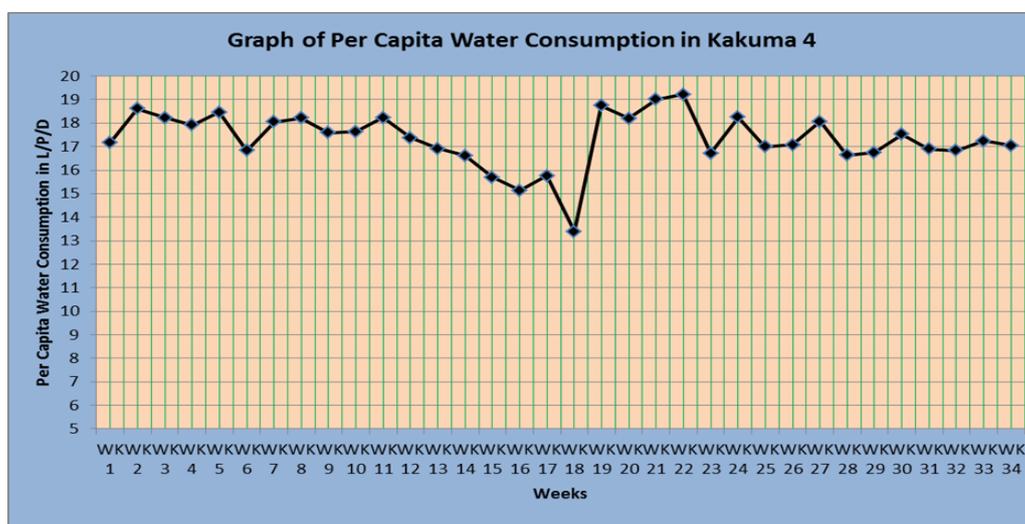


Fig 5: Per Capita water distribution in Kakuma 4

The following activities were carried out:

- 160m distribution pipeline was laid and installation of two tap stands in Kakuma 4, Zone 1 blocks 9 and 10 was done.
- Repaired a total of 5 bursts /leakages equivalent to replacement of 30m pipeline in Kakuma 4
- Repairs and fixing of leakages in 2 x 100m³ elevated steel tanks constructed by Team & Team after testing are ongoing.
- Construction of valve and flow meter chambers are ongoing for remaining two elevated steel tanks in Kakuma 4.

- Operation and maintenance of water systems done through servicing, maintenance and monitoring of pumping equipment at boreholes to ensure smooth operation.
- Cleaning of engine radiator for Borehole 4B.
- Serviced chlorine dozer for Borehole 12
- Water treatment was conducted in all boreholes for water abstracted prior to distribution to beneficiaries via in-line chlorine dozers. All the dozers were monitored to ensure efficiency in chlorine injection to the water system.
- FRC test conducted at 18 tap stands in Kakuma 4 zone 1 block 6, 7, 8,9,10 and zone 2 blocks 1, 2, 3 and 4. 9 of the results indicated chlorine residual level at 0.4-0.7mg/l while 9 had a range of 0.5-1.0 mg/l. At household level 12 household had chlorine levels between 0.1-0.5mg/l while 12 had less than 0.1mg/l.

Latrine construction in Kakuma 4

- Latrine user ratio stands at 1:14 for both communal and household latrines.
- Latrine coverage improved slightly to 35.48% for both communal and household latrines.
- Latrine coverage at household level is 17.1%.

Hygiene promotion

- 200 house to house visits were conducted.
- The key message was hand washing with soap and running water, proper solid waste management. Mobilization of the community on latrine digging continued during the week.

Vector Control

- On vector control, 38 communal latrines were doused with lime.
- The community members were educated on the importance of latrine dousing using lime or ash and covering of latrines with a lid to prevent flies breeding.

Education

- Training of 15(11m,4f) teachers (certificate level) by the Kenya Institute for Special Education started on 10 August 2015 and will end on 22 August 2015, at the Social Service Centre (Kakuma). Modules being covered include; Attachment for Individualized Programme, Teaching and Learning Strategies for learners with special needs and disabilities, Development and Independent living skills, Behaviour Management, Curriculum Development and Adaptations and Basic Braille. These efforts are geared towards building the capacity of the teachers to respond effectively to the special educational needs of the pupils.
- 18(17 m, 1f) ECD teachers attended a 3 weeks second session of DICECE training on 10 August 2015 at Turkana Resource Centre in Lodwar. They are being trained on Curriculum Development, Child and Development II, Community Development, Research Studies and activity areas which include Science, Mathematics and Language Activities. Again these trainings are aimed at building the capacity of teachers to effectively respond to the educational needs of primary school children.
- 46 (3f) primary teachers undertaking a Diploma in Primary Education offered by Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology sat for their session 2 examinations which started on 10 August and ended on 15 August 2015. The courses that were being examined included Language, Environmental and Science Education, Educational Administration, Social Studies History, Entrepreneurship, Educational Technology, and Applied Mathematics.
- An evaluation meeting of the Skype program was held on 14 August 2015 at Film Aid offices. Of the piloted schools only Ngundeng (Mogadishu) Primary School is utilizing the innovation because of the availability of network connectivity. The rest of the piloted schools are experiencing challenges in network connectivity and ways are being explored to redress the situation.
- An analysis of the examination results indicated that the class 8 means score rose from 242 scored in the District Mock to 257 in the End of term Examination.



Community Empowerment and Self-Reliance

- 210 farmers (149m, 61f) were trained in modern agricultural production methods in an endeavor to improve on their agricultural practices that will result in increased yields.
- 35(15 f, 20 m) new PoCs were profiled at the reception center. The skills and business interest identified include tailoring and agribusiness. The information is being inputted into a database and will be used for planning and targeting purposes.
- A total of 28 (23m, 5f) business people were trained on business skills and entrepreneurship that will enable them to strategically position their business.

Working in partnership

- UNHCR continues to work closely with the Central and County Governments, DRA and other partners to ensure protection and wellbeing of refugees and asylum seekers. Bi-monthly Inter-Agency meetings continue to be held as well as meetings with refugee leaders in the camp.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Total recorded contributions for the emergency operation amount to **US\$ 14.3 million** representing **39.1%** of the requested funding.

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