PROTECTION: MONTHLY UPDATE

June 2018



iii 1,392,933

Individuals

reached through Protection Activities





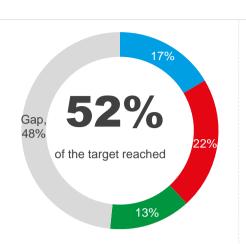




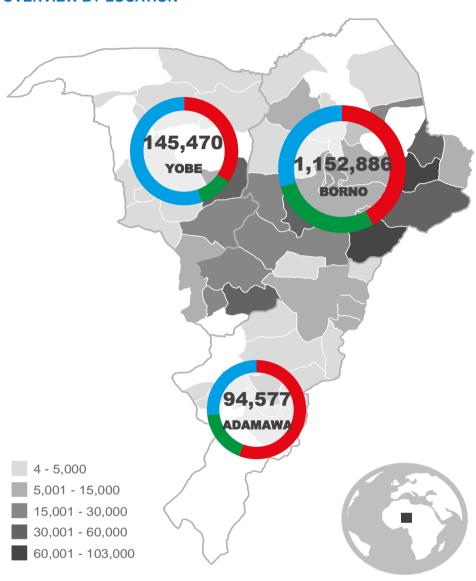


People Targeted

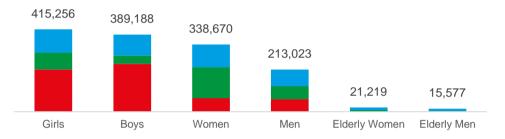




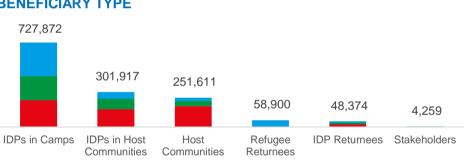
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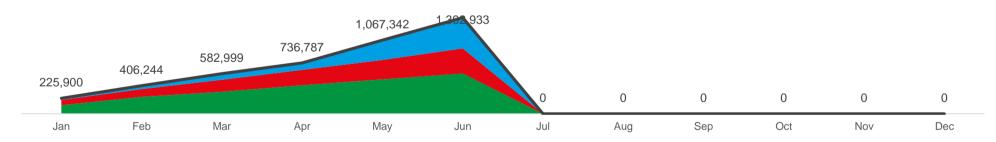
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BENEFICIARY TYPE



MONTHLY TRENDS (Individuals reached)



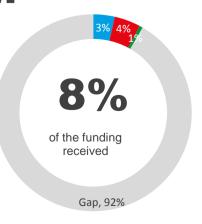
FUNDING



13.7M

Funding Required

Although the financial tracking system (FTS) denotes that the Sector has been provided with 8% of funding towards its target of 113.7 million, this does not reflect the full funding picture for Protection operations in 2018. Many Protection interventions have been funded thus far through internal agency sources, including unearmarked contributions, that are not included in the tracking system. Any such sources of funding will be reflected at years end within the financial tracking system.



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NIGERIA: PROTECTION OVERVIEW





Achievements: The protection sector collectively reached 1,392,933 (Protection: 445,523, CP:585,920, GBV: 361,490) individuals between January and June 2018. This amounts to 52% of the 2.7 million individuals targeted in the 2018 HRP. Resources remain scarce as there are many unmet needs. Numbers keep swelling with both spontaneous and involuntary movements thereby stretching the capacity of protection sector severely. The vast majority of the displaced are in Borno State, with a total of 1,153,953 reached; 144,681 in Yobe and 94,299 in Adamawa.

In June 2018 alone, 163,331 individuals were reached with protection operations, which includes 112,082 screened/registered through protection monitoring, vulnerability screening, refugee returnee registration and profiling of IDP returnees; 26,729 provided with protection-based material assistance; and 16,712 reached with protection messaging, including on core human rights principles, peaceful coexistence and housing, land and property rights.

The sector has prioritized responses in areas receiving new arrivals in recent months, due to displacement by heightened military operations, namely in Pulka, Tungushe, Gwoza, Ngala and Monguno. NHF funds have been allocated in those areas to provide life-saving interventions with a focus on protection monitoring and response; referrals for specialized services such as medical, legal as well as addressing the needs of persons with special needs such as unaccompanied and separated children, the elderly, individuals with physical disabilities and mental health issues; protection-based material assistance, such as provision of charcoal and energy saving stoves to mitigate the risk of attacks on women when they go out in search of firewood; and documentation, registration, vulnerability screening and profiling. Eight key protection partners have provided scaled up protection interventions to the recently displaced populations in Pulka, Tungushe, Gwoza, Monguno and Ngala, namely, UNHCR, UNICEF, UNFPA, WFP, IOM, AIPD, GISCOR and FHI 360.

The Sector has gained headway in key advocacy initiatives in the first half of 2018, namely in working to support the passage of the Child Rights Law in Adamawa State, engaging the government to start an Access to Justice and Rule of Law Technical Committee in Yobe State to review critical laws, and on facilitating a dialogue with the military on gender-based violence issues through a regular meeting forum in Borno State. Further, the PSWG supported the drafting and finalization of the HCT Centrality of Protection Strategy and Action Plan. In 2018, the PSWG has further focused on expanding its coordination outside of the state capitals, with PSWGs now convening in Mubi, Adamawa State and in multiple LGAs in Borno.

Way forward: Funding remains critically low despite some great efforts made in the first half of the year. As it stands, the protection sector requires \$113.7 million for some 40 projects in the OPS. Only 8% has been received so far to enable the 8 protection actors deliver life-saving interventions in the specified areas. So far, the sector has submitted to NHF 7 projects under the Reserve Allocation, 2, 3 and 4 received \$2.1 Million for protection response for a targeted 87,450 most vulnerable individuals. This allocation covers Gender Based Violence, GBV and Child Protection, under a joint UNICEF/UNFPA proposal under Reserve Allocation 4.

Protection by presence in the deep field is an on-going concern coupled with staffing constraints in the sector. Lack of partners coupled with institutional capacity of predominantly local NGOs in critical areas in Borno marks a significant gap in the capability to ensure adequate coverage of protection response throughout the most affected LGAs.

OXFAM pulled out of the response in Tungushe and Pulka and UNHCR had to rapidly scale up to take over the two initial project proposals submitted by OXFAM and approved by NHF. The sector is advocating with its members to deploy to the deep field to strengthen the overall response.

Cases of forcible returns and refoulement continue to be registered and many refugee returnees are staying in situations of secondary displacement with huge gaps in assistance provided.

The planned facilitated returns of 4,000 Nigerian Refugees from Cameroon as part of the voluntary return envisaged by the Tripartite Agreement between Nigeria, Cameroon and UNHCR has stalled due to the government's decision to fly back the returnees as opposed to using road travel. This was agreed on by the Tripartite Commission in December 2017 and discussed during the meeting thereafter in June 2018.

The Child Protection Sub-Sector coordinator left the operation in January 2018 and the replacement is expected in Maiduguri in August 2018.



Child Protection

Achievements: During June, Child Protection organisations provided psychosocial support to 42,297 children, adolescents, and caregivers. Integrated case management services were provided to 1,894 children including 34 children who were reunified with their caregivers and 142 children who were either placed in alternative care or whose cases were followed up. In addition, 242 children formerly associated with armed groups or returned from administrative custody received socio-economic reintegration services.

In collaboration with Borno State Ministry of Women Affairs and Social Development (MWASD), the sub-sector carried out two trainings on GBV and PSEA in five LGAs. Some 64 females and 168 males, including religious leaders, traditional leaders and community members were trained on GBV, focusing on stigma reduction, social cohesion and reintegration of survivors of conflict related sexual violence. In June the sub-sector developed an inter-agency Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for the movement of separated and unaccompanied children for family reunification purposes using UNHAS. The draft SOP has been shared with the UNHAS Steering Committee for review.

Way forward: Capacity building training for child protection actors is planned for coming months in order to improve technical capacities.

The issue of accommodation in Rann, Kalabalge LGA, continues to impede sustained delivery of the child protection programme in Rann. To remedy this, UNICEF has renovated and will furnish a building allocated by the local government to be used as accommodation for Child Protection partners.



Gender-based Violence

Achievements: GBV sub-sector partners reached 75,756 individuals during the month of June with a range of GBV response and prevention services including case management for psychosocial support and medical, safety and security services. Over 4,000 women and girls received material support including dignity kits. Some 4,500 women and girls have been engaged in various services within Women and Girls Friendly Spaces (WGFS), while 702 individuals have benefitted from skills acquisition programmes.

Contextualized referral pathways have been developed for Bama and Gwoza towns in Borno State and the referral pathway for Yola in Adamawa State has been revised. These referral pathways are pivotal to facilitating the process for GBV survivors to get in touch with an individual professional or institution about their case.

The sub-sector carried out a four-day GBV/PSEA training of Trainers for military focal persons from the Nigerian military's 7th Division. The 28 focal points were from Maiduguri, Bama, Konduga, Banki, Mafa, Gwoza, Pulka, Ngoshe, Chibok and Askira/Uba and will be working closely with field partners to facilitate reporting and referrals for survivor assistance and accountability. The focal points will also provide training to field-based officers to raise awareness and facilitate engagement. This training marks the foundation for the development of formal cooperation and information sharing initiatives with the military to enhance referrals and accountability through an integrated GBV and livelihoods intervention that seeks to strengthen survivors' resilience and provide income generation opportunities.

Over 700 women, men and adolescent girls are benefiting from economic livelihood opportunities in Borno and Adamawa states.

Way forward: The GBV sector will be finalizing and operationalizing the framework guidelines for GBV sub-sector interventions at RCs and transit facilities. The sector will also carry out a four-day training on GBV tools for data gathering organisations in Borno, Adamawa and Yobe states.



PROTECTION: DASHBOARD

June 2018



iii 445,523

Individuals

reached through Protection Activities

MONTHLY TRENDS (Individuals reached)

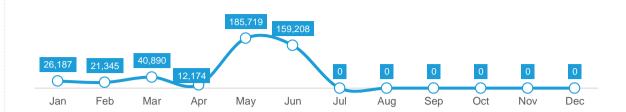
17%

23%

54%

58%

N/A



OVERVIEW BY SECTOR, OBJECTIVES AND INDICATORS

1. Targeted protection services are provided to vulnerable individuals and communities with critical protection needs.

Number of vulnerable individuals referred for specialised services

25,813 | **Target**4,348
21,465

Number of vulnerable persons provided with protection-based material assistance (solar lanterns, hygiene kits...)

276,106 | **Target**64,707 211,399

2. Enhance protection of people in need through livelihood, recovery, and social cohesion; promote a rights-based approach to durable solutions and strengthen justice systems.

Number of persons provided with legal aid and services (including access to justice and housing, land and property assistance)

10,228 | Target

Number of persons provided with access to legal documentation

5,490

134,923 | Target
151,356 - 112%

4,738

Number of vulnerable persons provided with livelihoods support

5,923 4,206

3. Protection issues are effectively addressed and protection is mainstreamed across all sectors, while respect for principled humanitarian action and space is enhanced through capacity building and coordination, including with the military.

Number of persons reached with protection messaging through sensitisations and community-based initiatives (including mine-risk education)

297,364 | Target

108,238 189,126 **36%**

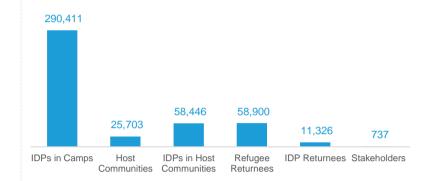
Number of vulnerable persons screened, registered or monitored

434,101 | **Target**150,370 283,731 **35%**

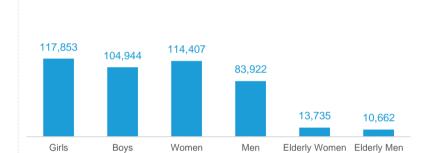
Number of persons trained

N/A | Target

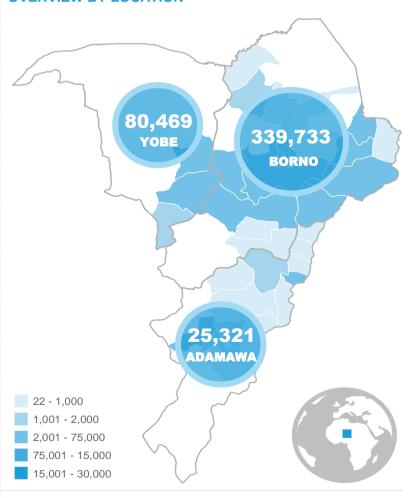
REACHED BENEFICIARY TYPE



DEMOGRAPHICS



OVERVIEW BY LOCATION



PARTNERS

Danish Refugee Council, International Rescue Committee, Norwegian Refugee Council, OXFAM International, United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, Nigeria Bar Association, Ministry of Womens Affairs and Social Development, National Human Rights Commission, State Emergency Management Agency, American University of Nigeria, Family Health International, Action Initiative for Peace and Development, Centre for Caring, Empowering & Peace Initiative, Grassroots Initiative for Strengthening Community Resilience, Institute for Peace & Conflict Resolution, Sanitation & Hygiene Education Initiatives





CHILD PROTECTION

Jan

1,600 | Target

8,000 | Target

Feb

June 2018





Individuals

reached through Child Protection Activities

125,249 120,015 93,392 84,846 87,297 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Jun

OVERVIEW BY SECTOR, OBJECTIVES AND INDICATORS

1: Conflict-affected children, adolescents and caregivers receive quality protection services, including psycho-social care, life skills and livelihoods support to enhance their resilience to cope with the protracted crisis.

Number of children, adolescents and caregivers benefitted from psycho-Social Support, life skills and/or livelihood support $$^{770,000}\ |\ Target}$

Number of community members and caregivers of conflict affected children who

benefit from child care and child protection information

85,000 | Target

Number of children, adolescents and caregivers benefiting from mine-risk education.

250,000 | Target

471,265

212,182 37,818 **85%**

2: Children facing protection risks (violence, neglect, abuse and family separation) receive integrated case management and referral to specialised services.

Number of children facing protection risks (family separation, violence, neglect, abuse) who received integrated case management services. $_{15,000~|~\text{Target}}$

13,958 1,042 **93%**

Number of Unaccompanied and separated children reunifed with their families

325

Number of Unaccompanied, separated and children with other protection risks who have been placed in laternative care and/ or follow up have been made

2,251

Number of children and adolescents referred to legal services, nutrition services, specialized health services and other specialized support

3,000 | Target

3: Grave violations against children are monitored and reported; and children and adolescents who have suffered from such violations, including those formerly associated with armed groups or those returning from captivity, are supported to successfully reintegrate into their communities.

Number of children and adolescents suffering from grave child rights violations, including those formerly associated with armed groups or returning from captivity, who benefited from socio-economic assistance to successfully reintegrate into their

7,000 | Target 4,000 4,000 4,000

Number of children, adolescents and adults reached through awareness raising campaign on grave violations against children and women 100,000 | Target

Number of children, adolescents and women who are survivors of conflict related sexual violence who benefit from quality survivor

 centred GBV services
 7,000 | Target

 2,435
 4,565

REACHED BENEFICIARY TYPE

May

MONTHLY TRENDS (Individuals reached)

Mar

39%

30%

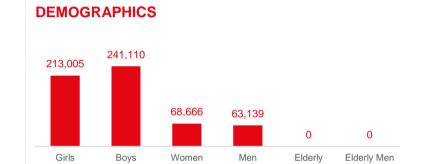
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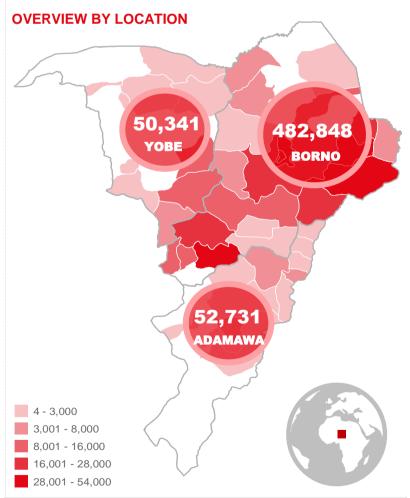
28%

Apr



Aug





PARTNERS

Cooperazione Internazionale, Danish Refugee Council, International Alert, International Organization for Migration, International Rescue Committee, Plan International, Save the Children, United Nations Children's Emergency Fund, Ekelisiyar Yanuwa A Nigeria, Center for Community Health Development, NEEM Foundation, Women in New Nigeria, NEYIF, HERWA CDI, Nigeria, FOMWAN, American Univeristy of Nigeria, Terre de Homes, Street Child, Mines Advisory Group; United Nation Development Program, Ministry of Women and Social Development, Borno & Adamawa, Ministry of Youth, Social sector and Community Development, Yobe, Gender Equality Peace and Development Center, Health Care Development Focus Initiative, Ministry of Local Government and Emirate Council Affairs, Borno, Youth Federation for World Peace



GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE

June 2018

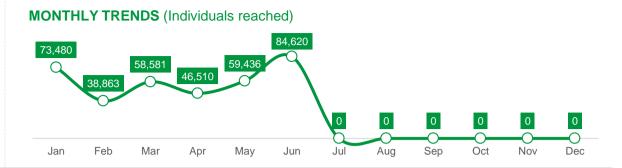




Individuals

51,2

reached through Gender-Based Violence Activities



OVERVIEW BY SECTOR, OBJECTIVES AND INDICATORS

1: Increase the geographical reach and quality of life-saving gender-based violence response services.

of locations having specialised GBV response services for survivors (at

least one facility)

of beneficiaries reached through provision of specialised and multisectorial services

547,193 | Target

35,000 | Target

7,817

63

163 | Target

61%

9%

60%

73%

129%

29%

104%

of functional referral pathways in place that includes multi-sectoral services

495,908

15 | Target

of beneficiaries reached with critical material support (dignity and hygiene kits)

25,561

9,439

2: Enhance strategies that empower women and girls, promote resilience, risk mitigation and prevention of GBV/SEA.

of persons benefiting from empowerment, skills-building and livelihoods programmes

25,000 | Target **69%**

of beneficiaries accessing women-, and girls-, and youthfriendly spaces within

the communities 10,000 | Target

12,948

of persons reached through sensitisation on GBV and SEA protection principles, prevention and reporting 1,035,231 | Target

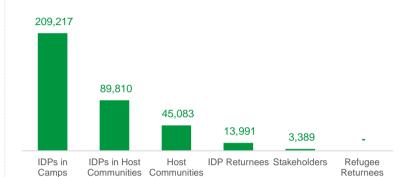
304,179 731,052

3: Strengthen GBV response and prevention through capacity-building, mainstreaming, advocacy and coordination.

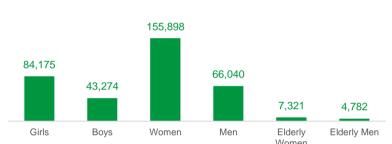
of persons (specialists and non-specialists) benefitting from training/capacitybuilding initiatives

1,500 | Target

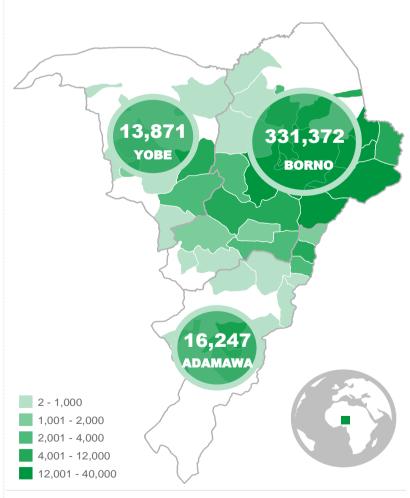








OVERVIEW BY LOCATION



PARTNERS

Family Health International, International Medical Corps, International Rescue Committee, Mercy Corps, Médecins du Monde France, Plan International, United Nations Population Fund, Danish Refugee Council, Gender Equality Peace and Development Center, State Ministry of Women Affairs, Nigerian Red Cross Society, ActionAid, State Ministry of