

Côte d'Ivoire

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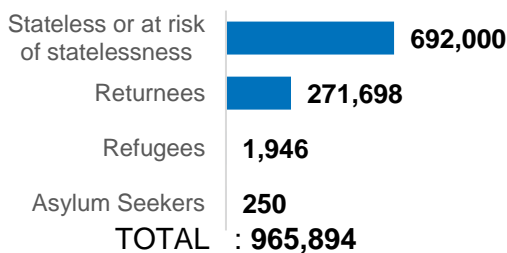
A series of awareness-raising campaigns on statelessness

Since 31st January, UNHCR assisted with the voluntary repatriation of 2300 Ivorians

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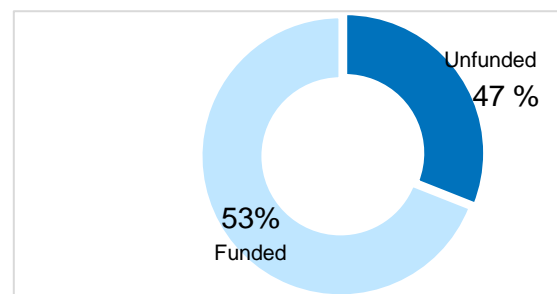
POPULATION OF CONCERN :

Côte d'Ivoire



COTE D'IVOIRE AS OF 22ND NOVEMBER 2019

\$16.6 MILLION UNHCR FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS 2019*

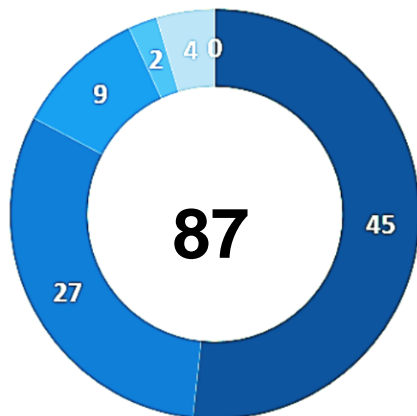


*The financial requirements for Côte d'Ivoire are those of the operation's regular programme.

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Staff:

- 45 National Staff
- 27 National UNV
- 9 International Staff
- 02 IUNV
- 04 Interns
- 00 Consultant



UNHCR office:

- 1 Branch Office in **Abidjan**
- 1 Sub Office in **Guiglo**



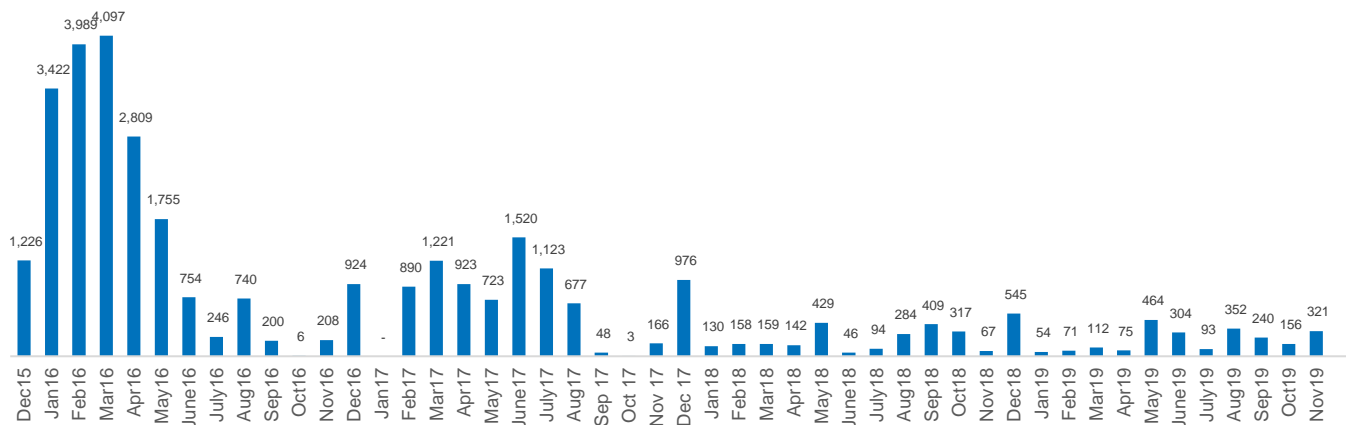
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UNHCR Côte d'Ivoire works in close partnership with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of Justice and Human Rights, Caritas-CI, World Food Program (WFP), the United Nations Volunteers Programme (UNV) and Association des Femmes Juristes de Côte d'Ivoire (AFJCI).

Assisted Voluntary Returns from December 2015 to November 30th



33,668 returnees assisted by the UNHCR from December 2015 to October 2019



Voluntary Repatriation of Ivorian Refugees

VolRep –Recap November 2019

Date	CoA	Total Assisted	Returnees	Household	NoC*
Monday, November 11, 2019	Guinea	166	166	34	0
Friday, November 15, 2019	Liberia	35	35	13	0
Thursday, November 21, 2019	Ghana	120	120	67	0
TOTAL FOR DECEMBER ,2019		321	321	114	13

* **NoC** (Not of Concern) refers to returnees relatives accompanying their Ivorian families



Welcoming of a convoy from Liberia, at Tabou /Tabou@ Aptaunhcr.org

MAIN ACTIVITIES

■ PROTECTION

Refugees

➤ **Medical assistance**

- 55 refugees of whom 18 in Tabou and 18 in San Pedro, received 83 assistance. Of the 26 refugees, 31 were assisted at 80%, and 24 were assisted at 100%.
- DAARA Guiglo carried out 3 health assistance sessions for 2 people in Daloa (1) and Guiglo (1).

➤ **Multisectoral assistance**

- One refugee was assisted on a one-off basis with 60,000 CFA francs for the rehabilitation of her house in Tabou; in San Pedro, 4 (3 women, 1 man) were assisted in accommodation.
- In the West, 3 assistance in accommodation, including 2 in Guiglo and 1 in Daloa
- 28 home visits, including 16 to the refugees in San Pedro and 12 in Tabou were conducted.
- DAARA paid for the transport of a refugee from Tabou to Abidjan for a medical appointment.

➤ **Protection/ SGBV**

- The protection committees carried out 10 awareness-raising campaigns on GBV, the harmful effects of smoking and drugs towards above 700 people (420 men and 280 women);
- DAARA Tabou organized a training session on GBV on Friday, November 29, 2019 at the Tabou Transit Center for refugee women. This activity was attended by 98 women, most of whom were accompanied by their spouses. Ultimately, 150 refugees were present.

Statelessness

➤ **Prevention**

- DAARA Guiglo alongside AFJCI took part in two(2) mass sensitization campaigns on statelessness that gathered 219 people in Blolequin (117) and Daopleu/Guiglo(42)
- UNHCR`s Field Protection Assistants and partners AFJCI and DAARA deployed in the Sub-Delegation`s coverage area sensitized a total of 464 persons on the importance of birth registration and the profile of persons at risk of statelessness.



Mass and local sensitization on statelessness in Danane @unhcr.org

➤ Identification

- During the reporting period, UNHCR Field Protection Assistants identified 71 persons at risk of statelessness, including 6 foundlings and 34 other profiles of persons at risk.
- 06 in Man including one foundling ,07 in Gagnoa including 2 foundlings ,25 in Danané ,23 in Soubré including 03 foundlings,10 in San Pedro.

➤ Documentation

- AFJCI MAN proceeded with handing over 06 supplementary birth certificate judgments to YAPLEU.
- UNHCR and AFJCI proceeded with handing-over of 12 supplementary birth certificate judgements, 30 certificates of nationality and 02 consular cards to persons at risk of statelessness at the prefecture of Man.



Handing over of supplementary judgements of birth certificates and certificates of nationality to (man).

 **Integration / Reintegration****➤ Shelters**

Progress of Shelters and latrines

- 102/105 shelter and 102/105 latrines are completed.

➤ IGRs

- The construction work on the cassava processing unit of a 07-unit pigsty in Danané-ville has been completed.
- The installation of the crusher for the cassava processing unit remains to be completed.
- The construction of 03 ladies' hair salons in Yoccobo2 (Tabou), Goulaleu (ZouanHounien) and Zéaglo (Blolequin), as well as the pastry shop in Danané city are completed. To this end, the associations ESPOIR (lady's hair salon) of Zéaglo and RESTITUTION of Yoccobo 2 have received their start up kits.
- Financial support was provided to 07 groups and 05 associations for the opening of their savings accounts at COOPEC.
- In Tuambly, the construction of the pigsty of 07 lodges is 100% completed.

➤ Professional trainings

- Trainees from all the training programmes at the Tabou Vocational Training Center were subjected to a final evaluation. UNHCR and DAARA were involved in this activity. The presence of the representative of the Departmental Director of Youth Promotion and Youth Employment and the President of the Chamber of Trades was noteworthy.



Hands-on exercise in making a hairdresser by rainees in the Carpentry Programme

 **Communication**

- UNHCR's Protection Assistant and AFJCI Focal Point based in MAN hosted a programme on "The importance of birth registration and the causes and consequences of statelessness" on 20 November 2019 on Tonpki FM radio;
- UNHCR Field Protection Assistant based in Danane hosted a programme on "The importance of birth registration and the causes of statelessness" on Danané Star Radio.

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