Nigeria hosts urban refugees that are mostly individually recognized through refugee status determination by the Government of Nigeria. They live in cities including Lagos, Ijebu, Abuja, Kano and urban areas in other States. They originate from 41 countries with majority from Democratic Republic of Congo, Niger, Central Africa Republic, Cameroon, Syria, Turkey, Mali, and 34 other countries.

**TOTAL URBAN REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS REGISTERED**
12,008

**URBAN REFUGEES**
- **6,296**
  - **1,666** WOMEN
  - **2,181** CHILDREN
  - **2,449** MEN

**URBAN REFUGEES by Age, Gender & Diversity**
- **00 - 04 years**: 164
- **05 - 11 years**: 572
- **12 - 17 years**: 379
- **18 - 59 years**: 1,600
- **60+ years**: 66

**URBAN REFUGEES by Country of Origin**
- Cameroon: 1,602
- Niger: 1,439
- Central African Republic Democratic: 952
- Republic of the Congo: 676
- Syrian Arab Republic: 576
- Türkiye: 409
- Mali: 145
- Côte d'Ivoire: 137
- Others: 360

**ASYLUM-SEEKERS**
- **5,712**
  - **1,628** WOMEN
  - **2,640** CHILDREN
  - **1,444** MEN

**ASYLUM-SEEKERS by Age, Gender & Diversity**
- **00 - 04 years**: 522
- **05 - 11 years**: 519
- **12 - 17 years**: 271
- **18 - 59 years**: 1,469
- **60+ years**: 159

**ASYLAM-SEEKERS by Country of Origin**
- Cameroon: 4,340
- Syrian Arab Republic: 800
- Central African Republic: 210
- Democratic Republic of the Congo: 80
- Lebanon: 58
- Chad: 35
- Sudan: 33
- Türkiye: 33
- Others: 123

**With the ongoing L2 registration exercise in Adamawa State, 4,093 individuals have been registered by UNHCR and NCFRMI as part of the response to the influx of Asylum-seekers from Cameroon.**

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