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This dashboard provides a weekly update on UNHCR-assisted Afghan nationals returning from Pakistan. It details both voluntary repatriation as well as forced returns. It categorizes the total numbers of returns by age, gender and documentation type, offering a clear demographic snapshot. Additionally, the infographic traces the flow of returnees from January to present, highlighting trends and changes over time. This visual representation serves as a vital tool for understanding the dynamics of Afghan nationals return, aiding stakeholders in making informed decisions and assessments regarding their integration and support.

Key Figures

1,503 UNHCR-assisted returns from Pakistan

- **856** Total VolRep returns **(VRF)**
- **647** Total FARE returns **(Non-VRF)**
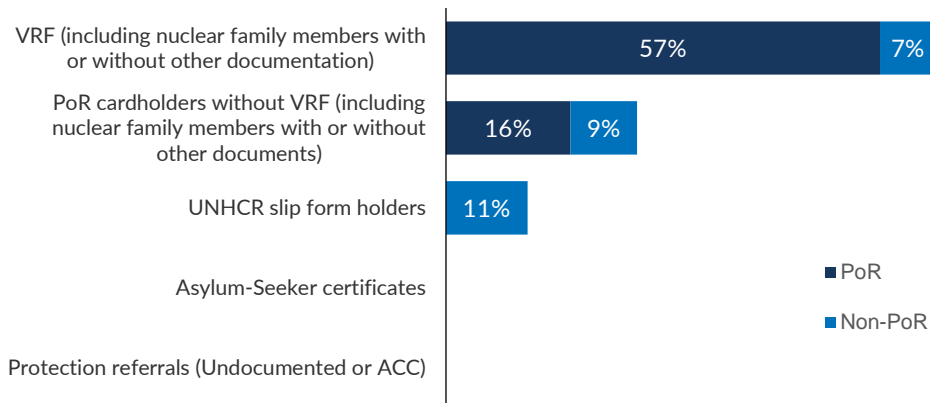- **215** Daily average (VRF+ non-VRF) returns

Age and Gender Analysis of returnees
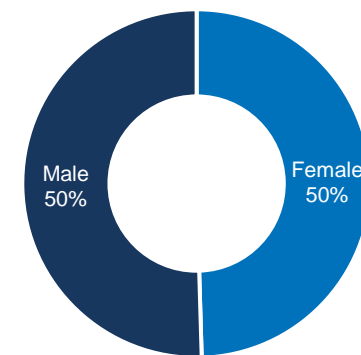
- **50%** of returnees are female
- **29%** of returnee households are female-headed
- **55%** of returnees are below 18
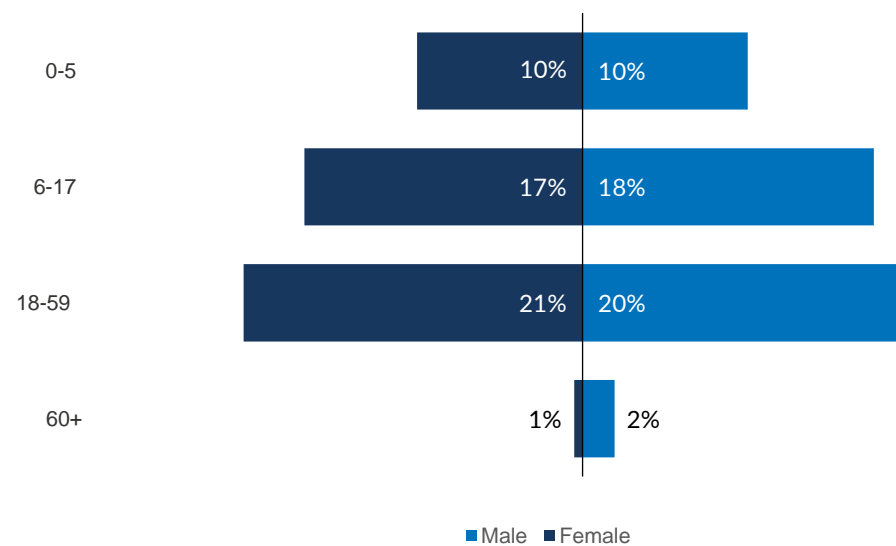
Demographic Breakdown

Returnees by documentation type

Category	PoR	Non-PoR
VRF (including nuclear family members with or without other documentation)	57%	7%
PoR cardholders without VRF (including nuclear family members with or without other documents)	16%	9%
UNHCR slip form holders		11%
Asylum-Seeker certificates		
Protection referrals (Undocumented or ACC)		

■ PoR
■ Non-PoR

Gender breakdown of returnees

Male 50%
Female 50%

Gender Breakdown of returnees by Return Category

Return category	Male	Female	Total
VRF	419	437	**856**
POR cardholders (inc. family members with or without other documents)	200	177	**377**
Slip holders	87	74	**161**
Undocumented member of VRF family	53	56	**109**
Asylum seeker certificate holder	0	0	**0**
Protection referral	0	0	**0**
Grand Total	**759**	**744**	**1,503**

Age and Gender breakdown of returnees

Age	Male	Female
0-5	10%	10%
6-17	17%	18%
18-59	21%	20%
60+	1%	2%

■ Male ■ Female

Year-to-date Return Trends

■ 23% ■ 77%

The holy month of Ramadan

Week	Total	Bottom	Top
1 - 7 Jan	1,702	308	1,394
8 - 14 Jan	3,633	242	3,391
15 - 21 Jan	2,761	228	2,533
22 - 28 Jan	3,066	141	2,925
29 Jan - 4 Feb	2,036	240	1,796
5 - 11 Feb	865	23	842
12 - 18 Feb	896	202	694
19 - 25 Feb	1,034	377	657
26 Feb - 3 Mar	819	307	512
4 - 10 Mar	853	446	407
11 - 17 Mar	331	188	
18 - 24 Mar	286	143	
25 - 31 Mar	263	102	
1 - 7 Apr	397	224	
8 - 14 Apr	29		
15 - 21 Apr	677	374	303
22-28 Apr	1,497	818	679
29 Apr - 5 May	1,503	856	647