Rohingya refugee population dashboard

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Rohingya refugee population in Bangladesh

1,197,411 individuals

249,024 families

1990s registered refugees

39,737 individuals

8,686 families

In early 1990s, Rohingya flee violence and persecution in Myanmar's Rakhine State. While most return, some remain in Bangladesh with the status of 'registered refugees'.

Post-2017 refugees (FDMN) [1]

1,005,645 individuals

200,457 families

In August 2017, more than 740,000 refugees flee military clearance operation in Myanmar's Rakhine State, in what was the largest and swiftest forced movement in the region in decades.

New arrivals (BIE) [2]

152,029 individuals

39,881 families

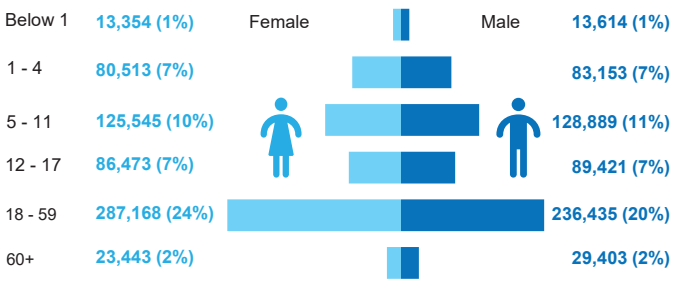
Renewed displacement of Rohingya fleeing an upsurge in generalized violence in 2024 in Rakhine as well as targeted violence. Newly arrived Rohingya, while biometrically identified, are not considered fully registered and are only issued family cards to access life-saving assistance.

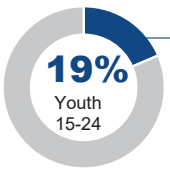
Demographics (age and gender)

78% Women & children

25% Young adults (25-44)

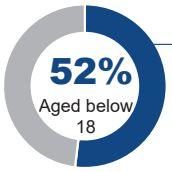
4% Elderly (60+)





aged 15 - 18: 48,232 / 49,370

aged 19 - 24: 62,573 / 62,063

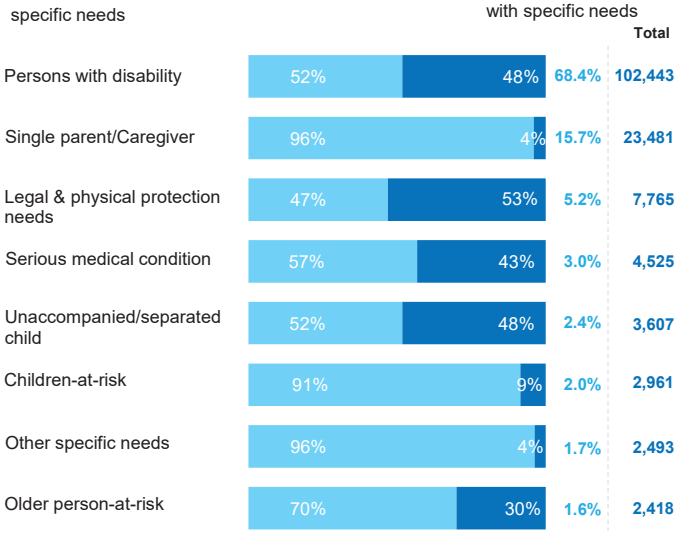


305,885 / 315,077

Persons with specific needs (PSN)

12% Persons with specific needs

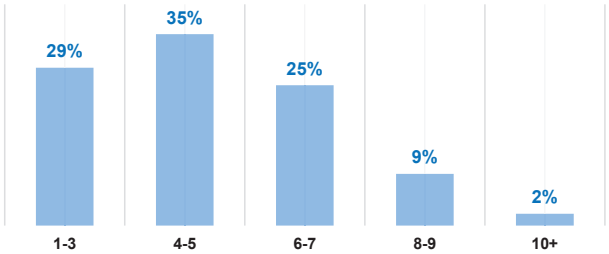
139,672 [3] Total unique persons with specific needs



Family size

5 Average family size of the total population

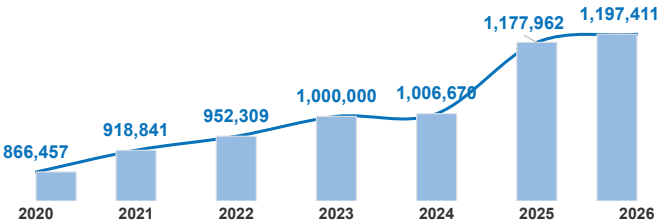
11% Families with more than eight members



Family composition (in members)

Trend analysis

The population rose from 899,349 in December 2018 to 1,197,411 as of May 2026, surpassing 1 million in 2023.



1. Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals (FDMN) refers to all the refugees registered by the Government of Bangladesh (GoB) and UNHCR since September 2017.
2. Biometric Identification Excercise (BIE)
3. An individual may have more than one specific need

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Camp/settlement and block population density

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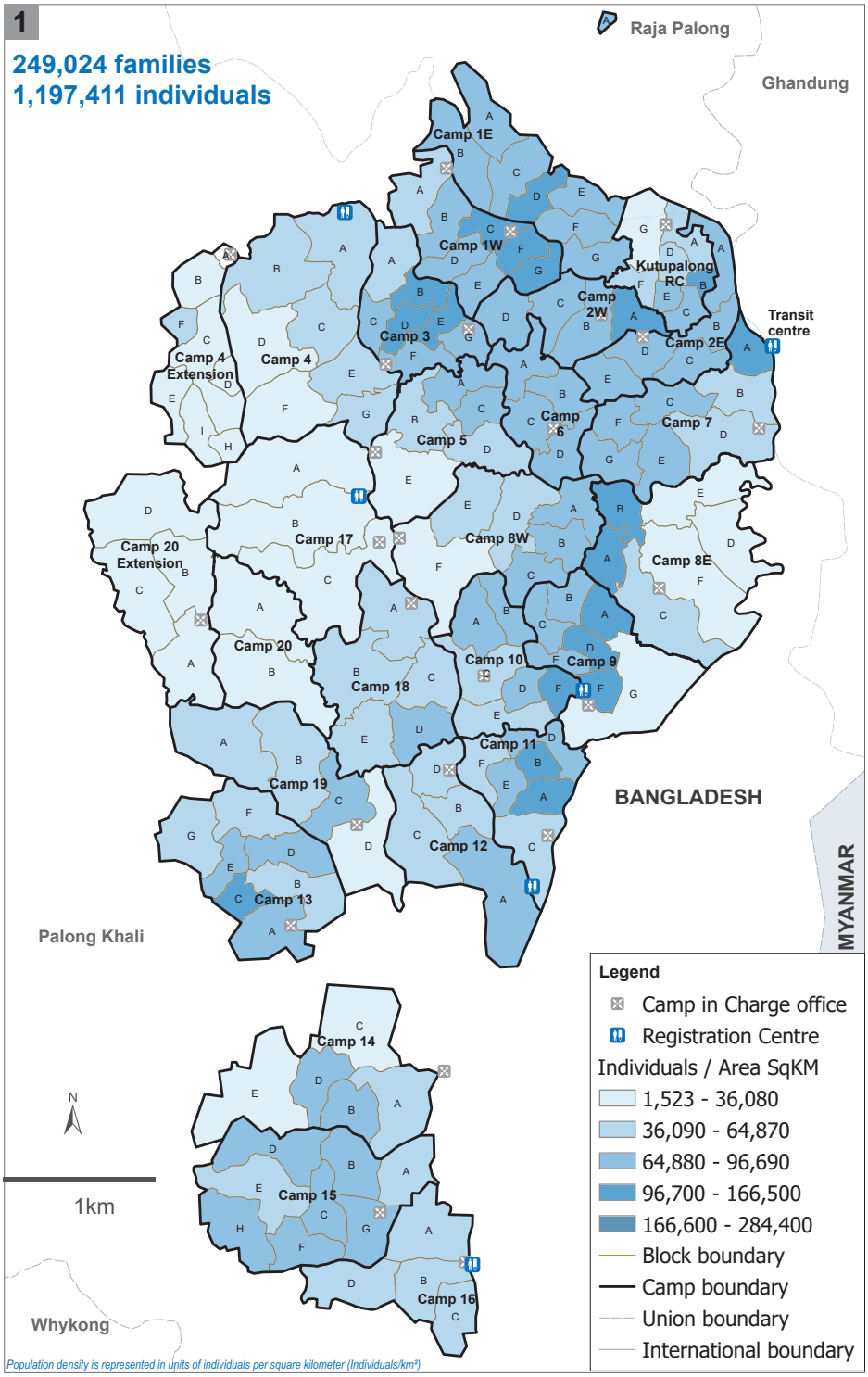
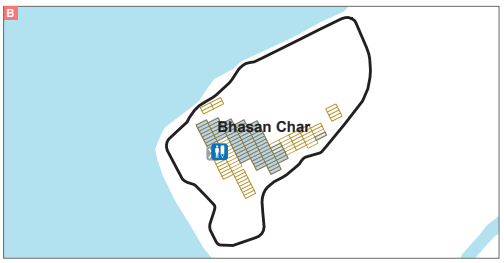
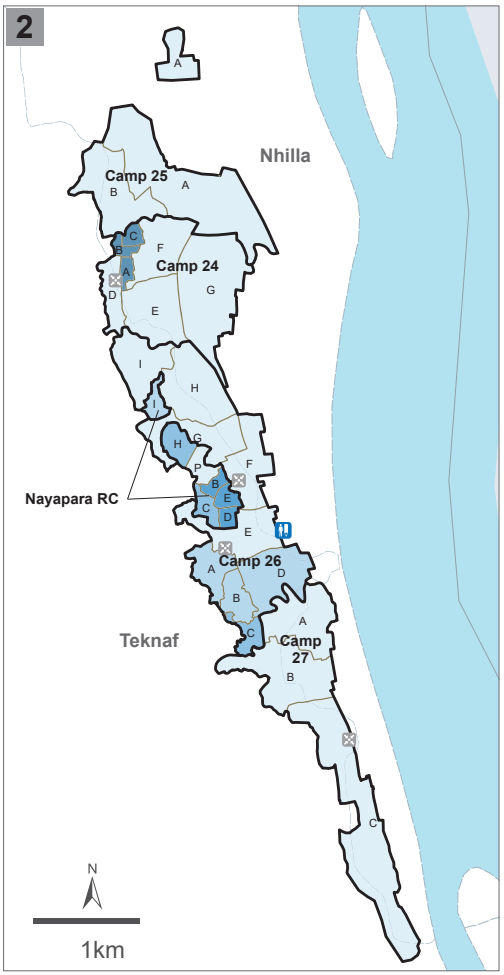


Population density is represented in units of individuals per square kilometer (Individuals/km²)





Camp	Families	Individuals	Camp	Families	Individuals
Camp 1E	11,433	53,612	Camp 15	13,481	67,418
Camp 1W	9,507	46,382	Camp 16	5,708	27,436
Camp 2E	7,343	34,229	Camp 17	6,333	29,256
Camp 2W	6,545	30,962	Camp 18	9,386	43,614
Camp 3	8,896	43,202	Camp 19	6,680	32,646
Camp 4	9,952	45,919	Camp 20	2,579	11,976
Camp 4 Extension	2,518	11,398	Camp 20 Extension	3,199	15,158
Camp 5	7,091	33,911	Camp 21	4,729	21,771
Camp 6	5,859	29,982	Camp 22	4,972	25,351
Camp 7	9,854	48,460	Camp 24	7,806	37,080
Camp 8E	7,717	38,085	Camp 25	2,697	13,093
Camp 8W	7,955	39,005	Camp 26	11,694	56,102
Camp 9	9,521	46,135	Camp 27	6,377	29,874
Camp 10	7,639	37,529	Bhasan Char	7,515	33,792
Camp 11	7,463	37,968	Kutupalong RC	4,321	18,888
Camp 12	7,813	38,020	Nayapara RC	5,695	25,779
Camp 13	10,788	53,497	Other	122	370
Camp 14	7,836	39,511			

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