



Settlement Fact Sheet: Mungula | June 2018

West Nile Region Adjumani District	Mungula I/II	Registered refugee population <sup>*1</sup> Female Age Male	Data collected through <sup>2</sup> :
	Total refugee population:		_
	<b>6,757</b> registered refugees	5-11	23 <sup>3</sup> beneficiary focus group discussions
	With <b>170,029</b> nationals and <b>236,034</b>		2 key informant
	refugees in Adjumani District, refugees	18-59	<b>12</b> partner interviews
	in Mungula account for <b>2%</b> of the district population.	60+	
	Settlement first established: 1996		<b>7</b> sector lead interviews

Mungula I/II have consistently hosted South Sudanese refugees since it was first established in 1996. As a result, there are close linkages between settlement residents and the neighbouring host community. While implementing and operational partners initially provided critical support during the South Sudanese refugee emergency, a strategy for empowering local organizations to carry on activities in the medium and long-term response is essential.

## Gaps & Challenges<sup>4</sup>

Refugees have to travel long distances to reach the health center, which has a shortage of facilities and medication. This leads to the patients having to purchase the medication from private clinics, which many cannot afford preventing them from accessing the right treatment. Due to the lack of facilities patients have to wait long hours exacerbated by the lack of health workers. There are poor referral procedures in the health center worsened by a limited ambulance service to reach the hospital in Adjumani.



The high tuition fees mean refugees and host community members struggle to access education and find themselves only able to pay fees of half the school term leading to many students dropping out. The quality of the education accessed is poor due to the lack of learning materials, limited number of teachers and congestion in the classrooms, and the language barrier between the teachers and the students.

Refugees complained about lack of support in the construction of their shelters aggravated by limited access to building materials such as grass and poles. They reported leaking shelters to be common, causing a particular problem during rainy season and forcing them to shift locations within the house to avoid getting wet.

Food security has deteriorated due to the delayed and insufficient distribution of food. Refugees complained not having received food in March and April. Moreover, refugees lack access to land for agricultural purposes. The cost of renting land from the host community is high, which many cannot afford. The crops yielded are often soiled by pests and diseases or destroyed by natural hazards such as floods.



Refugees and the host community reported facing congestion at the water points where the communities often have to queue for over two hours. The boreholes are also located far away from the refugees' area of residence leading to them walking two hours to reach the water sources. Both refugees and the host community emphasized finding the quality of the water to be poor. Moreover, there is poor latrine coverage due to inadequate latrine construction materials available.

### Strengths & Opportunities



Refugees and the host community coexist peacefully. As the settlement was established in 1996, strong ties have been built between the two communities over time. Refugees are able to rent large areas of land from the host community, which helps them become selfreliant. Programs targeting refugees also entail support to host community members. Institutions and facilities serve both populations, promoting close interaction.



There are strong leadership structures overseen by the Refugee Welfare Committees (RWCs). These include the child protection committee, the water source committee, the gender task force, etc. The established structures have provided leadership and enhanced the RWCs' coordination with local councils. These support the Office of the Prime Minister (OPM) and others in linking the partners to the beneficiaries, and therefore eased access to communities as well as to services.

\* Refugee statistics source: Refugee Information Management System (RIMS) - Office of the Prime Minister

1. Demographic data used is valid as of June 2018

2. Indicator standards to measure gaps were determined by global humanitarian standards, Ugandan national standards, or sector experts for each settlement. Data was from collected from 9 April to 9 June, 2018 3.4 FGDs were conducted with the refugee community in Mungula I & II and 19 were conducted with host communities of Adiumani district as a whole

4. The gaps and challenges were collected through focus group discussions with both refugees and host communities separately undertaken between 05 August 2017 and 05 May 2018 with the host community and on 07 and 08 May 2018 with the refugees.

# Partner organizations

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**1** partner: sci



1 adult learning programmes (ALPs)

100

of soap

in 2017

1

2

17

kilograms

distributed

1. No partners are implementing SGBV projects in the settlement.

2. The gap of pre-primary enrolment could not be calculated here as children above the age of 5 are also enroled in pre-primary education

9

teachers

- 3. The gap of primary enrolment could not be calculated here as children above the age of 13 are also enroled in primary education. 4. The gap of secondary enrolment could not be calculated here as children above the age of 17 are also enroled in secondary education.

The data presented for secondary enrolment and number of teacher represents the data for Adjumani district as a whole, as secondary refugee students attend secondary schools across Adjumani district.

6. This is the number of secondary schools in Adjumani as a whole

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469

44

teachers

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teachers

351

teachers



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## Food assistance

1 partner: AFOD



#### **19** metric tonnes of food were distributed durin

200

cooking

Health and nutrition

From the last FSNA:9

48%

Children

suffering

from

anemia

households have

received improved

cooking stoves and

efficient energy for

were distributed during the latest distribution in the settlement

Livelihoods and environment



1,909

practices

cases of livelihoods

support through:

#### **1,255** eligible refugees have received 100% in-kind or CBI food assistance in the latest distribution

46

Cash/

vouchers for

livelihood



## 181,100,000 UGX7

cash for food was distributed during the latest distribution for the settlement

> **5** partners: ACF, Caritas, FCA, FH, SE

> > 618 402



Production Productive kits or assets or cash inputs for grants to start agricultural or improve a activities business



0%

of refugees with

receiving ART<sup>8</sup>

of refugees with

12%

Children

suffering from

global acute

malnutrition

HIV are receiving

HIV are not

100%

ART

**402** refugees have access to self-employment or facilitated businesses

0%

of refugees under

with HIV are not

of refugees under the

Shelter, site, and non-food items (NFIs)

age of 18 with HIV

are receiving ART

the age of 18

receiving ART

100%

11%

Non-pregnant

women

suffering

from anemia

**1,505** refugees and host community members trained on agricultural

3

women

without

skilled

delivered

healthcare

staff in the

past three

100%

of children

identified with

severe acute

malnutrition

three months

have not been

admitted into

treatment

in the past

months



25

women

delivered

with skilled

healthcare

staff in the

past three

months

0%

of children

identified with

malnutrition in

the past three

months were

admitted into

treatment

severe acute

**35** refugees received vocational training in the past three months

843

Villages

savings

and loan

provisioning associations

0

Savings

and

cooperative

societies

#### 2 partners: ACF, MTI

Vaccinations recorded:



Number of cases identified in the past three months:



**2** partners: DRC

Caritas, DRC



**No**<sup>10</sup> arrivals in the past three months provided with household NFI kits



NFI 900 households in total have been provided with NFI kits



**No**<sup>10</sup> arrivals in the past three months received shelter materials and toolkits/cash



53 PSN shelters have been constructed

7.1 USD = 3,732.64 UGX and 1 euro = 4,257.35

8. Antiretroviral Therapy (ART)

9. Food Security and Nutrition Assessment (FSNA), October 2017, UNHCR 10. Mungula no longer takes in new arrivals, this includes the past three months

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