



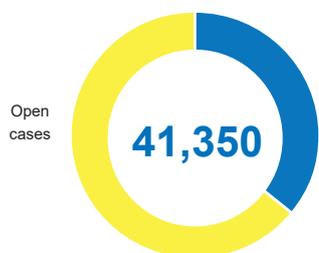
Overview

As of 31 March, Uganda hosts 839,792 refugee children, including 54,590 children at risk of which 41,041 are unaccompanied or separated from parents or other family members. Child protection partners continue to provide comprehensive case management for children at risk, including those unaccompanied or separated as well as support through community-based child protection structures, psychosocial support and individual material assistance where required.

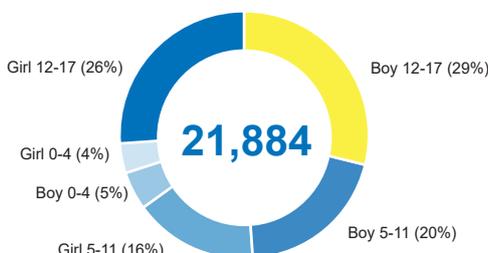
Given the high number of unaccompanied or separated children registered in Uganda, provision and monitoring of alternative care arrangements for unaccompanied children under foster care remains a priority for partners who supported a total of 21,884 children in Q1. 56,053 children at risk accessed psychosocial and community-based support services, focusing on strengthening their resilience and capacities to protect themselves.

Challenges with regards to limited funding, staffing (see case worker / child ratio), outreach and material assistance have significantly impacted on the provision of comprehensive, timely and quality protection services to children at risk. Constrained resources also resulted in limited psychosocial support and the closure of Child Friendly Spaces (by 20% compared to Q4) impacting on children's emotional wellbeing and access to safe spaces to play, learn and develop positively.

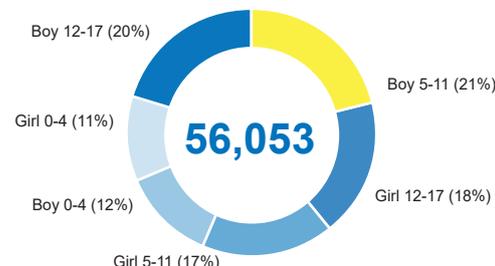
Key indicators



Open individual child protection cases vs. children receiving services



Unaccompanied or separated children receiving services (by gender and age)



Children participating in community-based support (by gender and age)

7,582

Adolescents participating in targeted programs

106

Child-friendly spaces are operating*

Objective: Adequate and quality child protection services for children, including case management services, are provided in refugee and host communities

Indicator	Actual	Target/Standard ('20)	Actual against annual target or standard
Open individual child protection cases			
- Congolese and other refugees	12,556	3,962	
- South Sudanese refugees	27,959	31,307	
- Burundian refugees	835	379	

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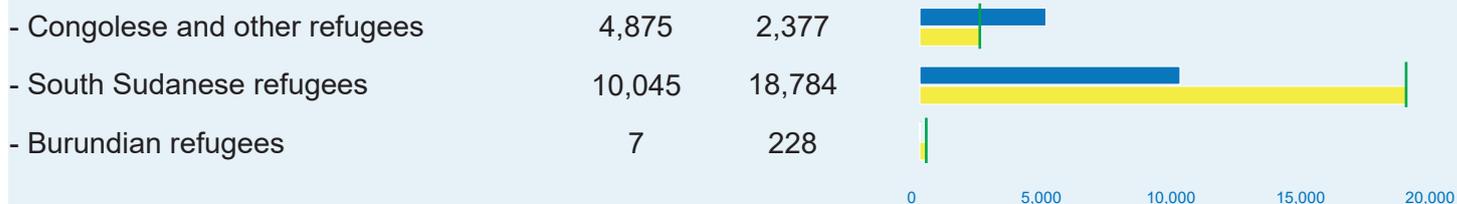
Unaccompanied or separated children with open cases

- Congolese and other refugees	5,175	2,264	
- South Sudanese refugees	16,367	21,146	
- Burundian refugees	342	193	

Indicator

Actual Target/Standard ('20) Actual ■ against annual target or standard ■

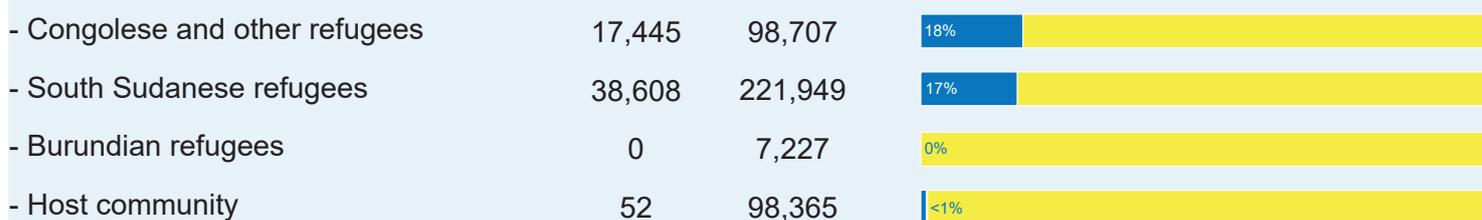
Children receiving individual services, support and monitoring



Unaccompanied or separated children receiving individual services, support or monitoring



Children participating in community-based support activities



Caseworker / child ratio on case management*

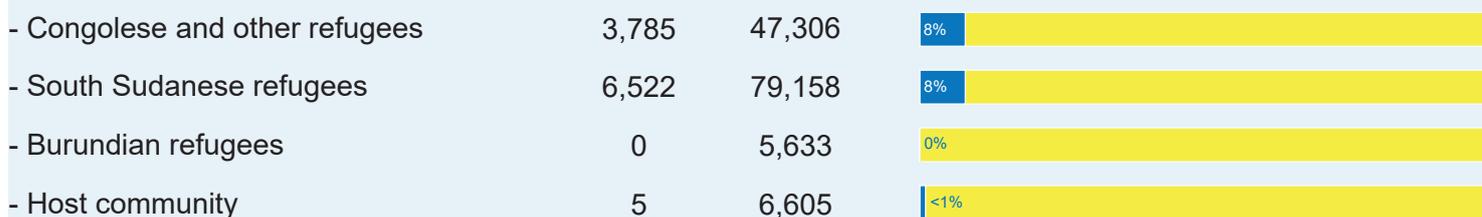


* Please note that the above caseworker / child ratio is calculated based on funding received, actual services are based on the child's level of risk and protection needs, regardless of the country of origin. In addition to caseworkers, there are 474 community-based volunteers supporting case management.

Objective: Effective and safe child protection systems that prevent and respond to child protection concerns in refugee and host communities are strengthened

Indicator Actual Target/Standard ('20) Actual ■ against annual target or standard ■

Community members, service providers and government staff who benefitted from training and awareness raising activities on child protection



Community-based child protection committees functional



Partners

Alight | Danish Refugee Council (DRC) | Food for the Hungry (FH) | Humanitarian Assistance and Development Services (HADS) | IsraAID | Lutheran World Federation (LWF) | Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC) | Plan International (Plan) | Save the Children International (SCI) | United Nations Refugee Agency (UNHCR) | United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) | World Vision International (WVI)

Operational Presence

Koboko

HADS, UNHCR**

Yumbe

Alight, Plan, SCI, UNHCR**, UNICEF*, WVI

Adjumani

FH, LWF, SCI, UNHCR**

Arua

DRC, Plan, SCI, UNHCR**, UNICEF*, WVI

Kikuube

Alight, LWF, SCI, UNHCR**, UNICEF*

Kyegegwa

SCI, UNHCR*, UNICEF*

Kamwenge

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Kanungu

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Lamwo

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Obongi

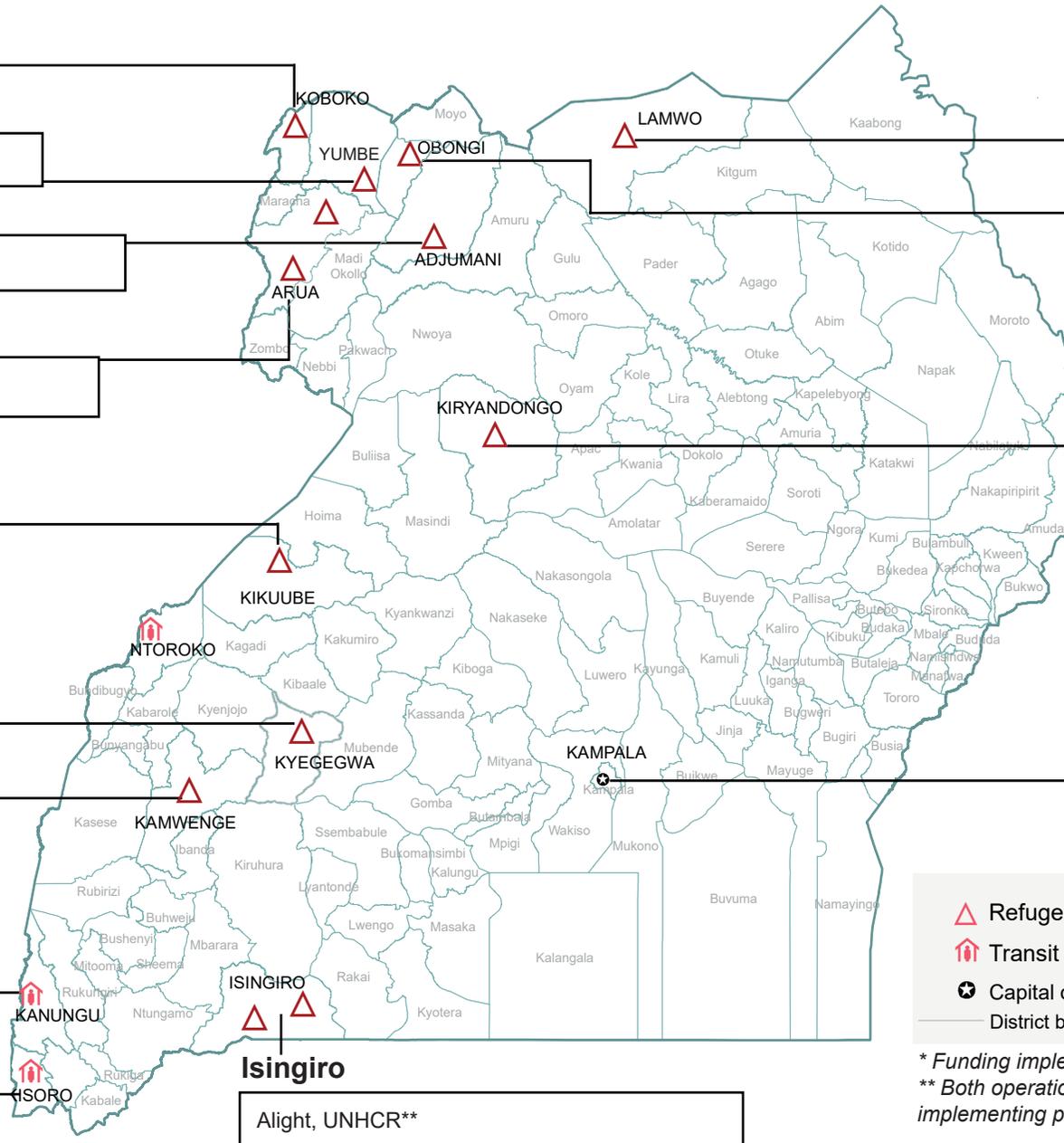
IsraAID, LWF, SCI, UNHCR**, UNICEF*

Kiryandongo

DRC, SCI, UNHCR**, UNICEF*

Kampala

NRC, UNHCR**



- △ Refugee settlement
- 🏠 Transit centre
- ★ Capital city
- District boundary

* Funding implementing partners
 ** Both operational partner and funding implementing partners