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 Ode, 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.

### Urban Refugees

**Total Urban Refugees and Asylum-seekers Registered**

6,796

**Urban Refugees by Age, Gender & Diversity**

- **00 - 04 years**
  - Female: 199
  - Male: 547
- **05 - 11 years**
  - Female: 544
  - Male: 329
- **12 - 17 years**
  - Female: 272
  - Male: 18
- **18 - 24 years**
  - Female: 854
  - Male: 1,205
- **25 – 49 years**
  - Female: 60
  - Male: 1,118
- **50 - 59 years**
  - Female: 1
  - Male: 30
- **60+ years**
  - Female: 1
  - Male: 2

**Urban Refugees by Country of Origin**

- **Niger**
  - 1,439
- **Central African Republic**
  - 899
- **Cameroon**
  - 816
- **Democratic Republic of the Congo**
  - 663
- **Syrian Arab Republic**
  - 509
- **Turkey**
  - 278
- **Mali**
  - 150
- **Côte d’Ivoire**
  - 137
- **Others**
  - 140

### Asylum-seekers

**Asylum-seekers by Age, Gender & Diversity**

- **00 - 04 years**
  - Female: 41
  - Male: 86
- **05 - 11 years**
  - Female: 100
  - Male: 48
- **12 - 17 years**
  - Female: 164
  - Male: 57
- **18 - 24 years**
  - Female: 239
  - Male: 69
- **25 – 49 years**
  - Female: 118
  - Male: 30
- **50 - 59 years**
  - Female: 116
  - Male: 30
- **60+ years**
  - Female: 8
  - Male: 31

**Asylum-seekers by Country of Origin**

- **Syrian Arab Republic**
  - 566
- **Cameroon**
  - 269
- **Central African Republic**
  - 239
- **Turkey**
  - 179
- **Democratic Republic of the Congo**
  - 117
- **Lebanon**
  - 38
- **Mali**
  - 29
- **Palestine**
  - 21
- **Others**
  - 95