



Uganda Refugee Response Plan (RRP) 2024-2025

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Overview



Overall objective of the Gender-based Violence (GBV) sector

The GBV sector aims at generating longer-term attitude and behavior changes relating to gender roles, norms, and gender-based violence. The sector also ensures that survivors of GBV and those at risk have access to survivor-centered and timely case management services with satisfaction, as well as linking survivors to multi-sectoral support.

Q1 Achievements

In Q1, RRP GBV partners assisted 1,089 GBV survivors who sought assistance reaching 21% of the target indicator . 89% of the survivors were adults and 11% children. Late reporting of incidents remains a concern due to fear of reprisal with many cases presenting with emotional distress and safety threats. Cases of exchange of sex for work/labor is reported in Kampala and cities surrounding the refugee settlements. This is triggered by the economic hardships and increased poverty levels affecting refugees and host communities in the country. Despite the interventions in place, there's a lack of comprehensive services such as safety/ protection houses and livelihood support in the refugee-hosting districts. RRP partners continue to map out and engage Government, Private sector, and Civil Society Organizations in the GBV/CP referral pathway and advocate for the inclusion of CP, GBV refugee, and host community priorities in National and Local Development Policies and Programmes.

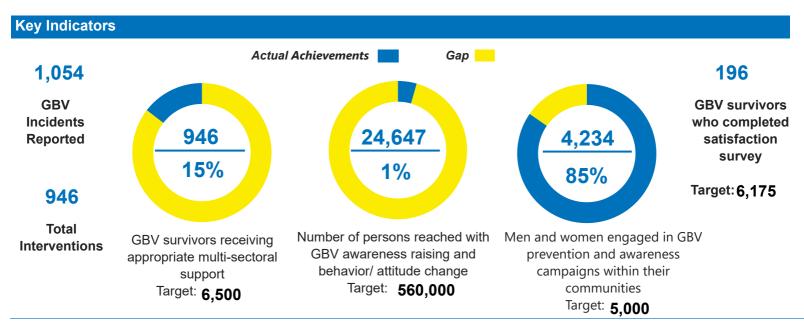
Trainings on GBV targeting community structures, partner staff, and duty bearers were conducted, these efforts reached 454 (206 females, 248 males) Women and Men in Functional Structures, Service Providers and Community-Based Structures, with plans to intensify training in Q2. Additionally, a total of 25,045 Forcefully Displaced and Stateless Persons (FDSPs) were reached with GBV messages through community awareness sessions. The GBV sector updated the Sector work plan with prioritized activities to guide the implementation of 2024 activities so that RRP actors can achieve the set targets per indicator. The priorities include heightened GBV prevention activities using community-based approaches and engagement of Refugee and women-led organizations in community mobilization and awareness campaigns, provision of lifesaving GBV case management, data analysis and reporting, GBV mainstreaming across sectors, support and integration of GBV through close collaboration with Government on system strengthening, Capacity building and assessments.

Main challenges and gaps

• The limited funds have led to GBV staffing constraints. Case worker ratio and access to survivor-centered case GBV response services remain inadequate due to limited resources. As of March, the current national average ratio of case workers to open cases is 1:51 while the global standard is 1:20. The GBVSWG sector continues to map the case management capacity to identify the gap and strengthen engagement with the Government to ensure comprehensive and inclusive case management approaches and will invest in engaging with refugee/women-led organizations to take the lead in GBV community mobilization and awareness activities.

GBV Sector Priorities in 2024

The sector will continue to enhance coordination of the GBV SWG through enhancing collaboration with the Ministry of Gender, Labor, and Social Development, and strengthening partnerships among UN agencies and other GBV implementing agencies in humanitarian and non-humanitarian contexts for GBV mainstreaming, identify, and engage Refugee and women-led organizations in GBV Prevention and risk mitigation efforts, mainstream GBV across sectors, Strengthen awareness of GBV and PSEA through meaningful community engagement and training of humanitarian actors and service providers and ensure effective data management/reporting through enhanced GBVIMS, GBV Module of proGres v4, and ActivityInfo platform.



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OUTPUT 1: Community Attitudes and Behaviours Changed with enhanced community engagement and awareness Indicator Actual Target Actual Gap Women and Men in Community-Based Structures Engaged in GBV Prevention and Response 2,500 2,341 94% - Congolese Refugees 1,893 2,000 95% - South Sudanese Refugees n 500 - Other refugees 4,234 5,000 **Total**

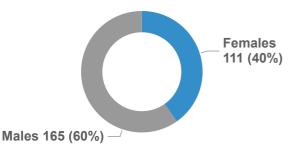
Women and Men in Functional and Community-Based Structures Trained on GBV Prevention and Response

- Congolese Refugees	256	2,000
- South Sudanese Refugees	177	1,500
- Other refugees	0	500
Total	433	4,000

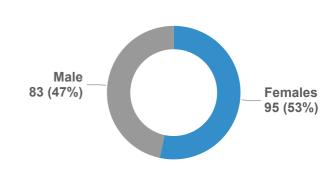


Women, Men, Boys and Girls Reached with GBV Awareness Raising Messages - Congolese Refugees 6,689 200,000 97% - South Sudanese Refugees 17,958 350,000 95% - Other refugees 0 90,000 100% Total 24,647 640,000

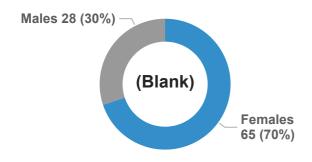
Women and Men in Community-Based Structures Participating in GBV Prevention and Response Gender Breakdown



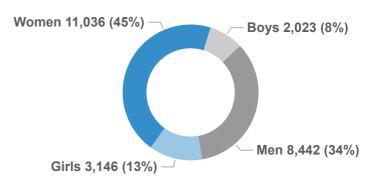
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GBV Case Workers



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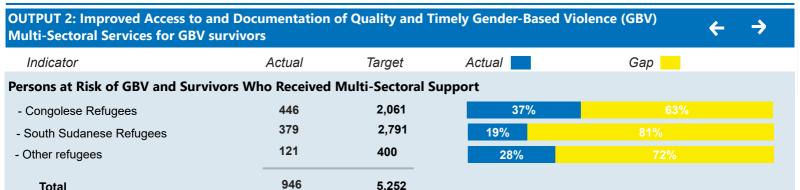
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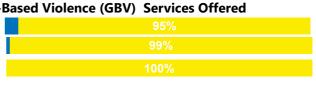
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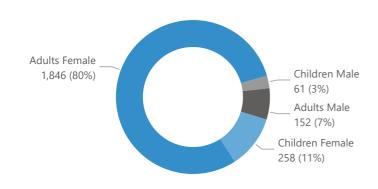
Satisfaction Surveys Undertaken to Assess The Suitability of the Gender-Based Violence (GBV) Services Offered

- Congolese Refugees	172	3,800
- South Sudanese Refugees	23	1,900
- Other refugees	0	475
Total	195	6,175



2,317 Open Gender Based Violence (GBV) Cases

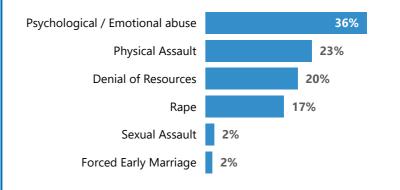
Open GBV Cases By Age and Sex



Reported Incidents

1,054

Total Reported Gender Based Violence (GBV) Incidents

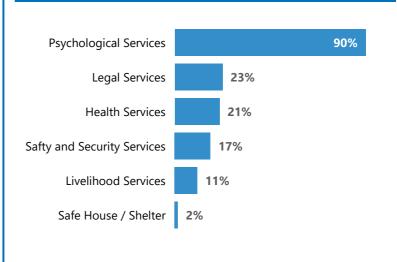


512 Closed Gender Based Violence (GBV) Cases Closed GBV Cases By Age and Sex

Adults Female 490 (96%) Children Female Adults Female Children Male Adults Male Children Female

18 (4%)

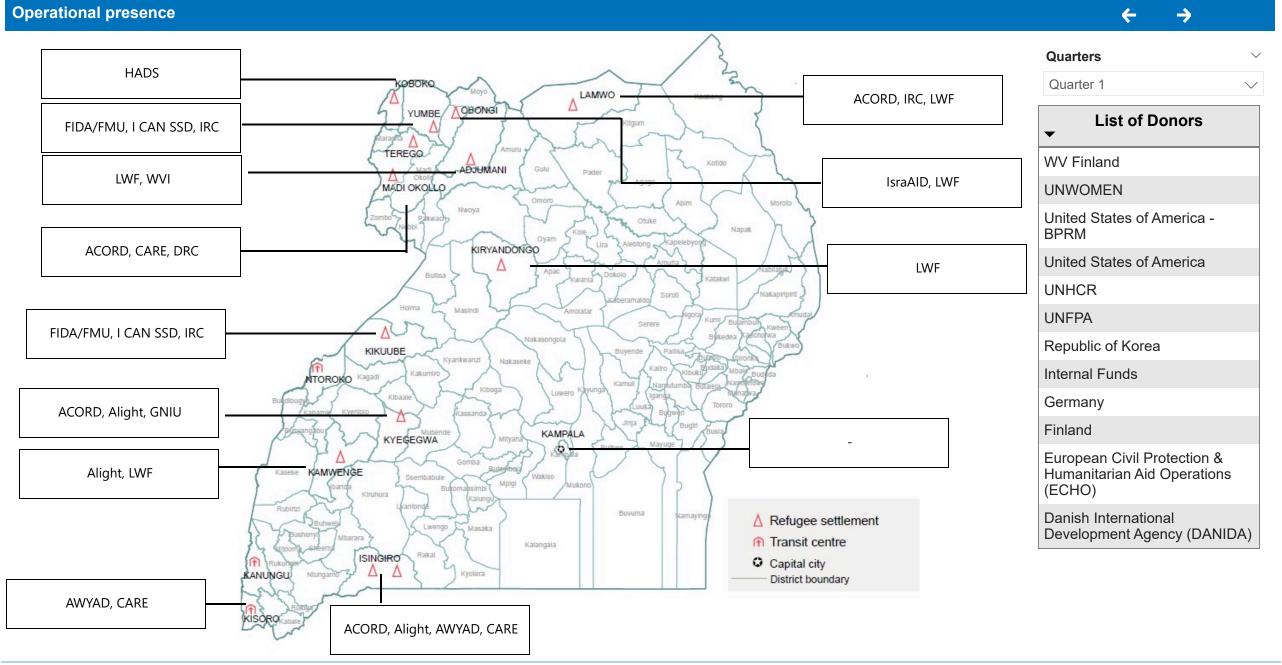
Service Provision



Note: One GBV survivor can gets more than one intervention.

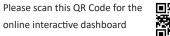
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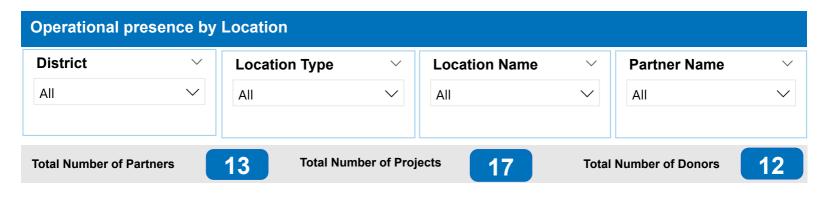
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Partners Reported in ActivityInfo



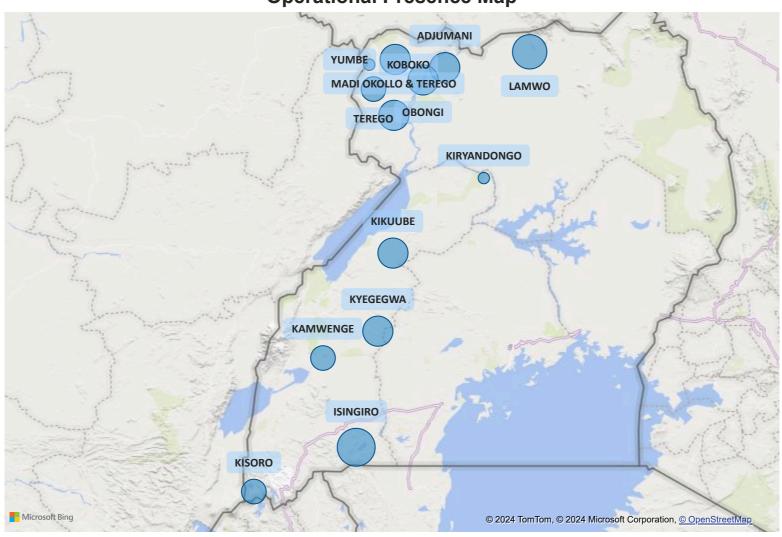
African Women and Youth Action for Development (AWYAD)| Agency for Cooperation and Research in Development (ACORD)| Alight (Alight)| Cooperative for Assistance and Relief Everywhere (CARE)| Danish Refugee Council (DRC)| Finnish Mission Uganda (FIDA/FMU)| Good Neighbors International Uganda (GNIU)| Humanitarian Assistance and Development Services (HADS)| I CAN South Sudan (I CAN SSD)| International Rescue Committee (IRC)| IsraAID (IsraAID)| Lutheran World Federation (LWF)| World Vision International (WVI)



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Hover over bubbles to see partners per location, the bigger the bubble, the higher the number of partners in a location

Operational Presence Map



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