



HIGHLIGHTS

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Out Patient Department attendance in the clinics in the three refugee camps

4809

Refugee primary school students receive stationary

720

Refugee youth enrolled in vocational skill learning in the three refugee camps

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New asylum seeker registered

Population of concern

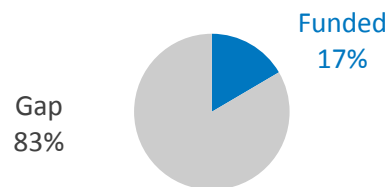
A total of **40,038** people of concern

By country of origin

Country	Total PoC
Cote d'Ivoire	38,102
Sierra Leone	379
Mixed nationality	56
Asylum seekers	22
Other persons of concern	1,479
Total	40,038

Funding

USD 34,164,707 requested



UNHCR Presence

Staff:

95 national staff

28 international staff

Offices:

4 offices located in:

Monrovia, Zwedru, Saclepea, Harper



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WORKING WITH PARTNERS

- UNHCR works with the Government of Liberia through the Liberia Refugee Repatriation and Resettlement Commission (LRRRC) and coordinates humanitarian assistance with: Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA), Africa Humanitarian Action (AHA), African Initiatives for Relief and Development (AIRD), CARE International, Caritas Cape Palmas, Finn Church Aid (FCA), Save the Children International (SCI), and Special Emergency Activity to Restore Children's Hope (SEARCH).

MAIN ACTIVITIES

Protection

- UNHCR Field Office Harper along with LRRRC conducted protection reception and counseling session focusing on verification, identification and profiling of alleged undocumented individuals residing in Little Wlebo Camp, these include those deactivated due to absence during ration card change, or three consecutive food or non-food distributions. A total of 347 individuals in 156 families were verified and profiled and recommendations made respective to each case.
- One new asylum seeker from the Democratic Republic of Congo was registered in April 2015.

Food Security and Nutrition

- The Standardized Expanded Nutrition Survey (SENS) was carried out in the three **camp locations**; PTP camp, Zwedru; Little Wlebo Camp, Harper; and Bahn Camp, Saclepea. The general objectives of the survey were to assess the level of malnutrition in children of less than five years, prevalence of anemia in women of reproductive age, and mosquito net usage in the refugee camps.

Education

- A total of 4,809 primary school students in the refugee schools received stationery and school supplies through UNHCR's education partners, i.e, Save the Children (SCI), and Special Emergency Activity to Restore Children's Hope (SEARCH).

Health

- Consignments of assorted drugs were donated to two referral Government health centers in Nimba County; Bahn Health center and Saclepea comprehensive health center. The drugs are intended for both refugees and host community members benefiting from these facilities.
- UNHCR donated drugs and medical supplies to the Fish Town hospital, River Gee County which hosts some 1,786 refugees living in communities.
- UNHCR and the Liberia Refugee Repatriation and Resettlement Commission (LRRRC) handed over a newly constructed clinic to the residents of Dougee Town in Grand Gedeh County at an official ceremony held on 15 April 2015. Dougee Town hosted the former Dougee Refugee Camp from 23 April 2011 to 01 April 2013 when it was officially closed and handed over to the community.

Community Empowerment and Self-Reliance

- In the three refugee camps; PTP, Bahn and Little Wlebo, 720 refugees are involved in vocational skill training, learning skills such as carpentry, soap making, tailoring, hairdressing, computer education and batik making.
- Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA), UNHCR's livelihood partner, distributed agricultural tools to 717 refugees and host community members in Field Office Saclepea, Nimba County. The aim is to maximize food production in the camp. The tools distributed include shovels, axes, cutlasses and hoes.

Durable Solutions

- Following the agreement by the Governments of Liberia and Cote d'Ivoire for Ivorian authorities to undertake a technical mission to the refugee camps, UNHCR awaits a decision on the dates for the said mission to take place. Meanwhile, preparations are ongoing for the resumption of voluntary repatriation. Ivorian refugees continue to register for return, and have expressed disappointment over the delays in the resumption of voluntary repatriation.

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