



REFUGEES AND
MIGRANTS IN PERU
830,000



PEOPLE REACHED WITH SOME
FORM OF ASSISTANCE*
22,772



FUNDING SITUATION**

23.2%

FUNDED: \$34.57M

REQUIREMENT: \$148.64 M

Situation

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, together with the Superintendence of Migration (SNM), launched an online platform where Venezuelan nationals holding a humanitarian visa can request and automatically obtain an extension for this permit.

On 28 July, the Ministry of Women and Vulnerable Populations (MIMP) declared that during the state of emergency their hotline *línea 100* responded to some 75,500 calls and over 8,000 consultations through the lines' chat. Some 300 MIMP teams across the country were behind these efforts to support women, children and elderly victims of violence, despite the reduced number of spaces available in their temporary accommodations.

Between 22 June and 23 July, the Special Commission for Refugees (CEPR) received some 17,000 asylum applications through its online system; 14,000 of which were submitted for the headquarters in Lima. The SNM continued to assess and evaluate the vulnerability of Venezuelan nationals in Peru to facilitate their regularization.

Response

In support of the MIMP's efforts to assist survivors of gender-based violence (GBV), children and elderly abuse, the GTRM assisted some 100 refugee and migrant women and adolescent survivors of GBV **with counselling and case management to ensure access to state services**. This support has been essential for refugee and migrant women that do not contact state services directly due to fear of disclosing their migratory status or of discrimination. Some 60 women and adolescents received psychosocial support on GBV and GTRM partners supported three safe spaces in Lima. Moreover, partners referred **80 children and adolescents to expert services** within the specialized protection units (MIMP-UPE). Another 140 children and their parents were assisted through six safe spaces.

Partners developed the capacity of **over 2,150 public servants** working in relevant institutions on protection, human trafficking and smuggling of migrants. Through these trainings, partners assist and sensitize authorities to identify refugees and migrants that are victims of trafficking and smuggling, and to build knowledge over **specific protection needs and the support services available**.

Some **7,700 refugees and migrants** received general orientations and another **2,250 received legal counsel**. Partners further assisted some **1,600 refugees and migrants through case-by-case management**. Financial support to prevent evictions remains a main request from vulnerable refugees and migrants. The Ombudsperson's office informed that almost 90 per cent of consultations made by Venezuelan nationals were on evictions. As part of the response to this increasing risk, GTRM partners trained frontline humanitarian and state actors

on **how to assist and identify refugees and migrants at risk of eviction and homelessness**.

In response to the risks posed by limited or no access to livelihoods, partners assisted some **370 persons with entrepreneurship and self-employment programmes and with trainings to access decent work**. In addition, some **9,300 persons benefited from multisectoral CBI**.

Over 400 vulnerable refugees and migrants received alternative accommodation in 14 shelters and another 1,100 received thermal blankets, winter and baby kits, and other essential items. As part of **WASH** efforts some **5,600 persons** received hygiene kits, and almost 2,240L of drinking water were distributed to assist around 220 persons. Furthermore, partners assisted 140 refugees and migrants with humanitarian transportation following strict sanitary measures

Partners distributed some **41,000 hot and cold meals** to daily support 550 highly vulnerable refugees, migrants and host community, and another **1,120 received CBI for food security**. Around **12,000 persons were assisted with food kits**.

GTRM partners supported some **2000 refugees, migrants and host community students** to access formal and informal education services and **over 2,100 received school kits**. In addition, **three medical degrees were validated**.

The GTRM provided primary health assistance to some 260 refugee and migrants from Venezuela, including persons living with HIV and 170 received CBI sectorial support to access health services and treatment. Another **1,050 benefited from mental**

health sessions. Some 70 children and lactating women received nutrition support.

Coordination

GTRM's preparedness efforts have enabled its 76 partners to coordinate a sectorial approach to the emergency response. The establishment of a centralized response matrix across sectors and several tailored trainings, enabled actors to share knowledge and information, strategize activity implementation, manage and allocate resources, and scale up essential CBI, basic-needs and protection efforts. Throughout this reporting period, the GTRM reinforced its collaboration and partnerships with relevant governmental authorities namely the INDECI, the MINSA, the MINEDU the MIMP and the SNM. Partners were able to jointly evaluate needs, create referral paths, avoid duplication of efforts, prioritize and tailor the response to the current emergency. At the request of the National Humanitarian Network, the GTRM is also supporting the national response strategy to the COVID-19 emergency.

 PEOPLE REACHED*		 Education	 Food Security	 Health	 Hum. Transp.	 Integration	 NFI	 Nutrition	 Protection	 Shelter	 WASH	 CBI
	RMRP	4,241	4,517	1,131	-	1,188	1,243	-	5,098	518	3,583	7,040
NO RMRP	20	9,401	410	278	-	129	73	329	79	2,229	2,218	

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