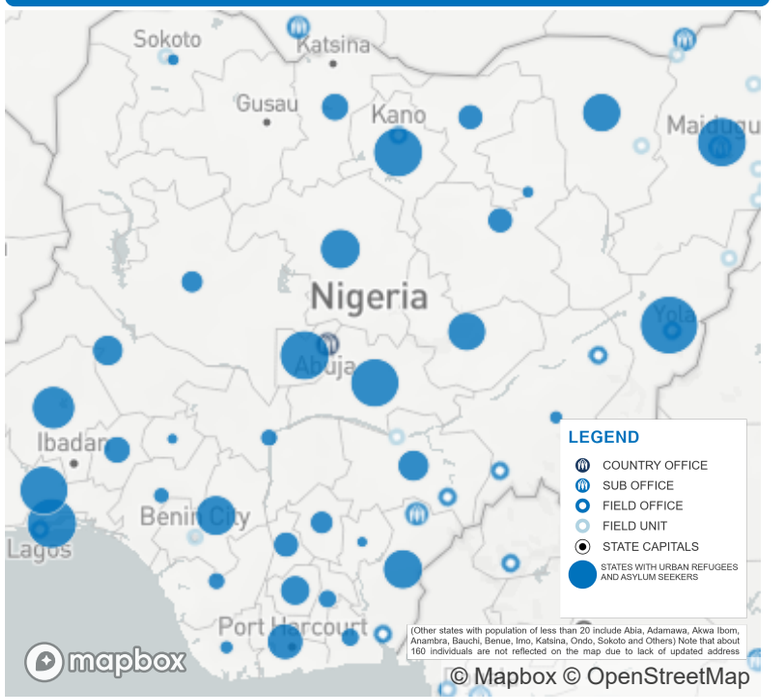
URBAN REFUGEES & ASYLUM-SEEKERS DASHBOARD

As of 31 December 2023

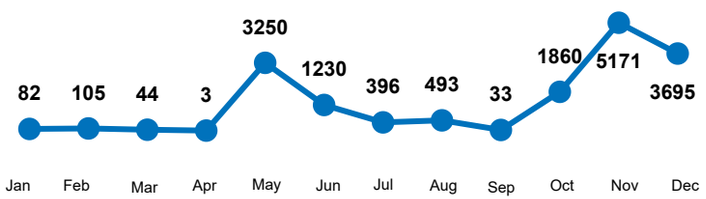
Nigeria hosts urban refugees that are mostly individually recognized through refugee status determination by the Government of Nigeria. They live in cities including Lagos, Ijebu, Abuja, Kano and urban areas in other States. They originate from 41 countries with majority from Democratic Republic of Congo, Niger, Central Africa Republic, Cameroon, Syria, Turkey, Mali, and 34 other countries. Since June 2022, there has been an influx of populations seeking asylum to Adamawa state due to violent attacks in the Far North Region of Cameroon

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

22,034



Monthly Registration Trend



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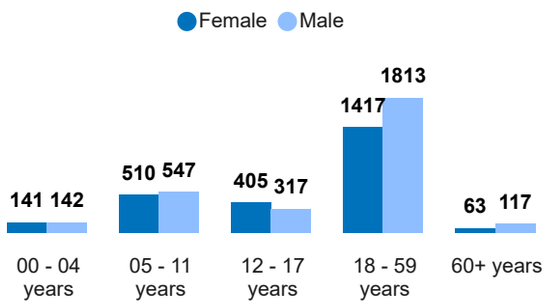
5,472

1,480 WOMEN	2,062 CHILDREN	1,930 MEN

Urban Refugees by Age, Gender & Diversity

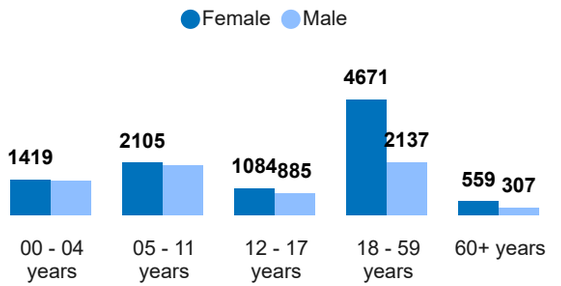


ASYLUM-SEEKERS

16,562

5,230 WOMEN	8,888 CHILDREN	2,444 MEN

Asylum-seekers by Age, Gender & Diversity



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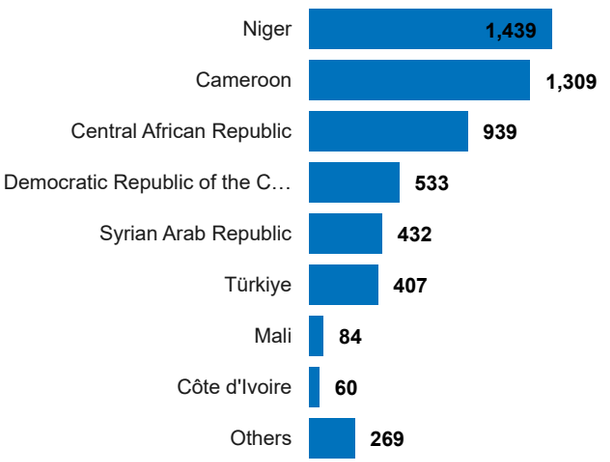

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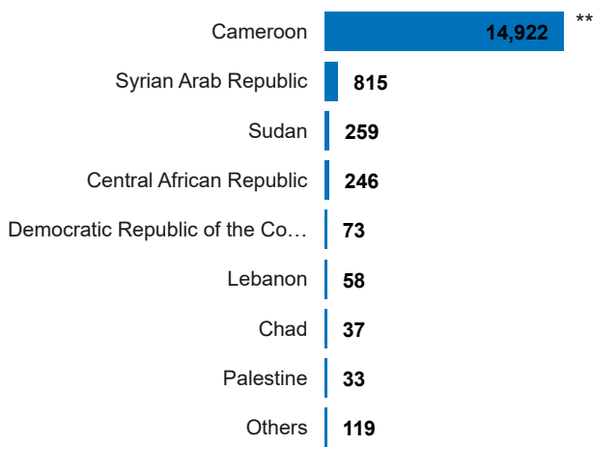

** With the ongoing L2 registration exercise in Adamawa State, 14,738 asylum-seekers have been registered by UNHCR and NCFRMI as part of the response to the influx of Asylum-seekers from Cameroon.

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