



**HIGHLIGHTS**

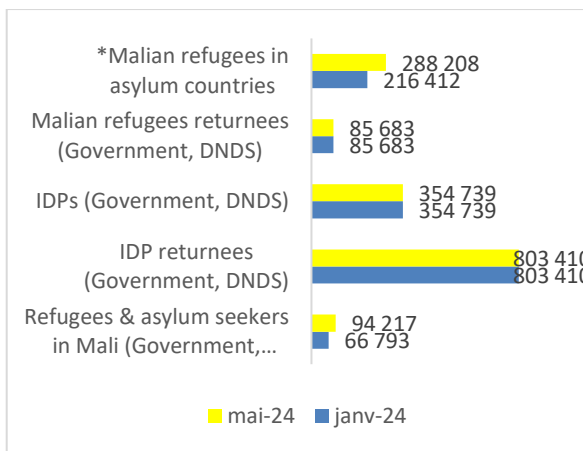
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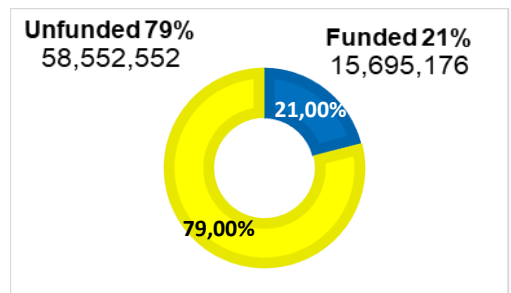
**2000** tarpaulins were distributed In Ménaka, for the benefit of **750** refugee households, 200 IDP households and 50 households from the host community

**100** files for refugees applying for naturalization were completed. Among these refugees, 73 are minors while 27 others are adults.

**POPULATION OF CONCERN  
AS OF 31 May 2024**



**FUNDING AS OF 31 May 2024**



**USD \$74.2 million** requested for Mali

**Staff, as of 31 May 2024:**

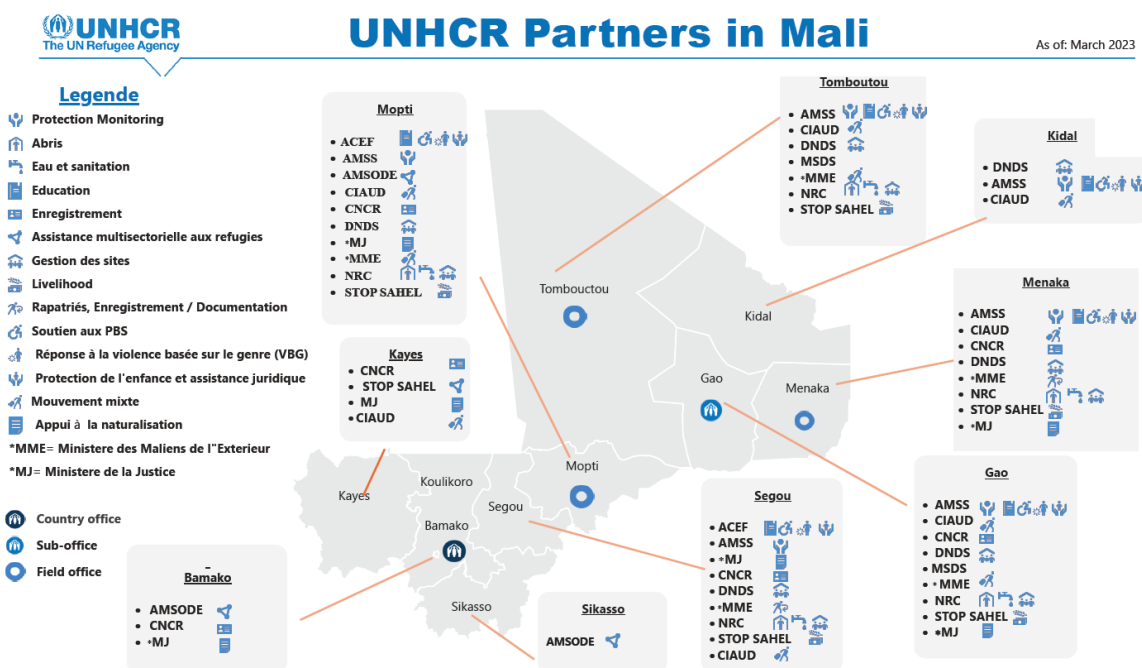
- **76** National staff
- **32** International staff
- **11** Affiliate workforce
- **119** In total

**UNHCR Presence**

**Offices, as of 31 May 2024:**

- Bamako (Country Office)
- Gao (Sub-Office)
- Ménaka (Field Office)
- Mopti (Field Office)
- Timbuktu (Field Office)
- Kayes (Field Unit)

WORKING WITH PARTNERS



MAIN ACTIVITIES

PROTECTION

Legal protection

- In May, 74 asylum seeker files were examined by the refugee status determination committee in Mali. Members approved 60 files; 05 were rejected, 04 were referred for additional investigations and 05 files were closed without further action. However, UNHCR and the national commission responsible for refugees have jointly examined ways to improve the refugee status determination process in Mali and the use of standard tools. It was agreed to continue these efforts and strengthen the capacities of the members of the eligibility committee.
- During May, 05 refugees and 03 asylum seekers were received by the UNHCR office in Bamako, advised and guided on questions related to health, family reunification within the framework of resettlement, the procedure for applying for asylum in Mali, and the conditions of assistance for asylum seekers.

Durables solutions:

Statelessness

- 100 files for refugees applying for naturalization were completed in May. Among these refugees, 73 are minors while 27 others are adults.
- During May, six focus groups were held on six refugee sites under the theme of the importance of birth registration. These sessions aim to contribute to the fight against statelessness in Mali. These focus groups reached 74 people including 31 women and 43 men, all refugees.

Mixed Movements

- In May 2024, monitoring activities for mixed movements made it possible to register 1,575 (1,002 men, 428 women, 71 boys and 74 girls), or 259 more people compared to April 2024. During this period, it was identified 511 people leaving. 61% of these people are of Malian nationality, 17% are Guineans, 7% are Ivorian, 5% are Burkinabe, 5% are Nigerien, 4% are

Senegalese, 0.4% are Central African, 0.4% Mauritanian, 0.2% are Sierra Leonean, 0.2% are Nigerian, 0.2% Gambian, 0.2% Togolese.

- Also, a total of 96 awareness sessions were conducted in the regions of Gao, Kidal, Ménaka, Mopti, Bandiagara, Douentza, San, Ségou, Timbuktu, Kayes, Nioro, Nara, Sikasso and Koutiala. These sessions reached 1,936 people including migrants, refugees, internally displaced people and members of host communities. They mainly focused on themes related to irregular migration, asylum application procedures in Mali, documentation and prevention of GBV.

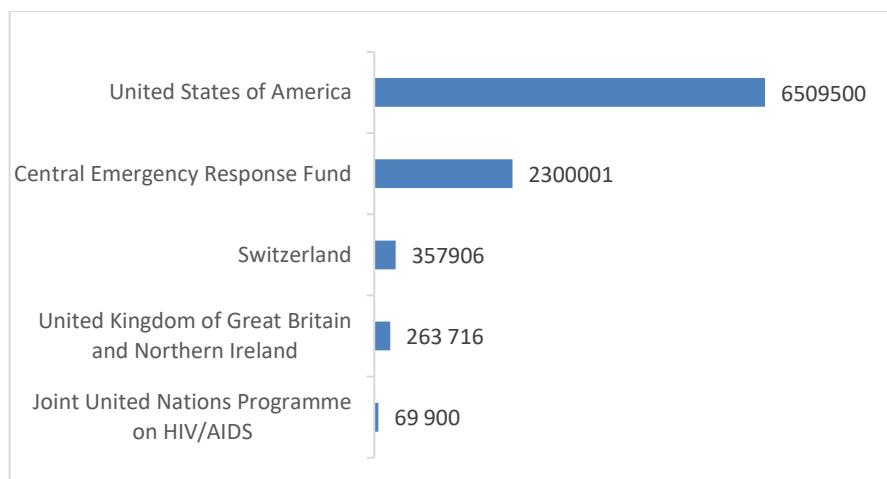
**SHELTER & NON-FOOD-ITEMS (NFIs) & WATER, SANITATION, AND HYGIENE (WASH)**

- In May, in Timbuktu, UNHCR assisted with non-food items to 918 Burkinabè refugee families, and with shelter to 58 internally displaced families from Niafounke.
- During the same period, in San region, 735 Non-Food kits were distributed to Burkinabé refugees in Benena, Tominian circle, for 735 families (412 female heads of households and 323 male heads of households). While in Ménaka 2000 tarpaulins were distributed for the benefit of 750 refugee households, 200 IDP households and 50 households from the host community, for the upgrade of their shelters. The recipients also benefited from capacity building on shelter rehabilitation techniques.

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

UNHCR is grateful for the critical support provided by donors who have contributed to this operation and those who have contributed to UNHCR programs with unearmarked and broadly earmarked funds. Total recorded contributions for the operation amount to some **\$15,695,176**.

**EARMARKED CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FOR MALI | USD**



**OTHER SOFTLY EARMARKED CONTRIBUTIONS | USD**

**Australia for UNHCR 3.8 million | Denmark 3 million | Norway 2.8 million**

Finland | Germany | Private donors

**UNEARMARKED CONTRIBUTIONS | USD**

**Sweden 90.6 million | Norway 58.9 million | Netherlands 36.3 million | Denmark 35.6 million | United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland 28.5 million | Switzerland 19.2 million | España con ACNUR 19 million | Republic of Korea 17.9 million | Ireland 13.6 million | Belgium 11 million | Australia 10.7 million | Japan for UNHCR 10 million**

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