Annual Results

January – December 2024

The UNHCR Multi-Country Office in Panama provides support to **refugees, asylum seekers,** and other **forcibly displaced people** in eight countries: **Aruba, Belize, Cuba, Curaçao, Guyana, Panama, Suriname** and **Trinidad & Tobago.** These countries host over **200,000 forcibly displaced people.**

UNHCR works in close collaboration with **Governments and partners,** responding to the protection, legal, and basic needs of forcibly displaced people, supporting host communities, thus helping forcibly displaced people **find safety** and **rebuild their lives.**

MAIN RESPONSE

61,000

People informed on protection rights, access to essential services, and sensitized on international protection.

+36,000

People received counselling and legal assistance to access asylum and basic rights.

870

People supported in acquiring documentation, including permanent residency permits.

1,257

Officials trained in international protection standards, and statelessness prevention.

School supply distribution in Port of Spain, Trinidad.

+22,000

Non-food items (including Core Relief Items) distributed to refugees, asylum seekers, and host communities.

9,200

People received primary healthcare and first aid services.

2,460

People received direct support to cover basic needs and access livelihood opportunities.

3,377

People supported with mental health and psychosocial support services (MHPSS).

1,219

Children and adolescents benefitted from education programming.

1,012

Children and caregivers received case management and specific protection services.