SOUTH SUDAN Regional Refugee Response Plan - Revised May 2019

January 2019 - December 2020

OVERVIEW

The 2019-2020 South Sudan Regional RRP articulates the protection and humanitarian needs of an anticipated 2,518,683 South Sudanese refugees by the end of 2019 and 2,440,319 by the end of 2020. The RRP outlines the inter-agency response strategy and financial requirements of 95 partners responding across five countries of asylum. As the protracted emergency enters its sixth year, it remains the largest refugee situation on the African continent. It continues to be characterised as a children's crisis with children constituting over 65 percent of the refugee population. The sheer scale of displacement is putting immense pressure on hosting countries and greater international solidarity and responsibility sharing is needed. In line with the Global Compact on Refugees, the response will aim to provide protection and life-saving assistance in such way as to allow for greater integration of refugees into national systems and development plans. Renewed and increased focus will also be given to strengthening the resilience of South Sudanese refugees and host communities.



REVISED PROJECTED SOUTH SUDANESE REFUGEE POPULATION*												
	Projected Refugee Population 31 Dec 2018	Projected Refugee Population 31 Dec. 2019	Projected Refugee Population 31 Dec. 2020									
DRC	100,000	105,000	108,000									
Ethiopia	485,000	525,000	480,000									
Kenya	123,593	133,508	140,446									
Sudan	870,291	920,294	920,294**									
Uganda	789,099	834,881	791,579									
Total	2,367,983	2,518,683	2,440,319									

The full 2019/20 South Sudan Regional RRP can be accessed online from the South Sudan Situation Operational Data Portal: https://data2.unhcr.org/en/ situations/southsudan

AT A GLANCE



*The 2019 – 2020 Regional Refugee Response Plan was revised in May 2019 to reflect updates made to the response plans for both Sudan and Uganda. The Sudan summary plan was updated to ensure greater coherence with the Sudan Humanitarian Response Plan (HRP), while the Uganda summary plan was updated in light of the results of the population verification completed in late 2018. The other country summaries remain the same.

**The operation considers there not enough data yet to predict the size of the return in 2019. At the same time, with the current trend it is expected that the population size will remain the same in 2020.

2019 & 2020 STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

The 2019-2020 Regional RRP for the South Sudan situation remains guided by the following regional strategic objectives to guide programming for the South Sudan situation and which were validated on an inter-agency basis.

- 1. Upholding the quality of asylum for South Sudanese refugees in the region, the majority of whom are women and children, by meeting their lifesaving needs and upholding their dignity according to applicable minimum standards
- Anchoring the response within national and regional multi-year protection frameworks, policies, laws, and standards which comprehensively address legal and physical protection needs of South Sudanese refugees with a particular emphasis on children, women and youth.
- 3. Enhancing biometric registration, documentation and data management in collaboration with host Governments to support implementation of durable solutions strategies
- 4. Proactively explore and, where applicable, pursue innovative approaches stemming from participatory assessments with refugees, Governments, humanitarian and development actors, private sector, and civil society, with a view to systematically expand Cash-Based Interventions (CBIs) and other initiatives aimed at alleviating the dependency of refugees on aid.
- 5. Maintaining the civilian and humanitarian character of camps.
- 6. Promoting social cohesion between refugees and host communities through implementation of targeted resilience programmes.

COUNTRY	PROTECTION	EDUCATION	FOOD SECURITY	ENERGY & ENVIRON- MENT	HEALTH & NUTRITION	LIVELI- HOODS & RESILIENCE	SHELTER & NFIS	WASH	TOTAL
DRC	29,958,645	17,339,275	30,922,648		7,170,144	8,440,248	6,117,079	5,651,596	105,599,635
ETHIOPIA	67,973,649	46,156,951	185,241,493	21,079,819	67,708,755	54,801,111	157,648,735	91,411,256	692,021,769
KENYA	21,579,935	16,140,517	57,000,000	13,156,911	30,600,234	20,691,812	36,837,702	15,414,728	211,421,839
SUDAN	52,138,969	55,490,759	149,426,994	3,697,454	109,914,862	108,024,542	86,059,032	100,974,896	665,727,507
UGANDA	150,836,012	127,805,675	239,743,918	73,177,431	118,363,101	163,721,957	85,052,920	87,339,686	1,046,040,701
REGIONAL									4,289,952
TOTAL	322,487,210	262,933,177	662,335,053	111,111,615	333,757,096	355,679,670	371,715,468	300,792,162	2,725,101,404

REVISED 2019 & 2020 FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS

** The total 2019 requirements are USD 1.37 billion and the total 2020 requirements are USD 1.36 billion.

REGIONAL COORDINATION

The South Sudan situation is coordinated by the UNHCR's Special Advisor and Regional Refugee Coordinator and his team based out of Nairobi. The 2019-2020 Regional RRP strategic objectives were informed by strategic level inter-agency meetings of Regional RRP partners convened by the Regional Refugee Coordination Office which took place after the joint launch of the Regional RRP and HRP on the South Sudan situation by the High Commissioner for Refugees and the Emergency Relief Coordinator (ERC) and host Governments in February 2018.

UNHCR works in close collaboration with UN and NGO partners in the development and humanitarian realms and with regional economic communities such as the Intergovernmental Authority for Development to ensure a regionally coordinated response to the regional South Sudanese crisis.

The complete list of the 95 partners involved in the 2019/2020 South Sudan Regional RRP is provided on the following page.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

South Sudan Situation Data Portal - https://data.unhcr.org/southsudan

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2019 & 2020 REGIONAL RRP PARTNERS

- Action Africa Help International
- Action contre la Faim
- Action For The Needy In Ethiopia
- Adventist Development and Relief Agenc
- African Humanitarian Aid and
 Development Agency
- African Women and Youth
 Action for Development
- Agency for Technical Cooperation and Development
- Al Manar Voluntary Organization
- American Refugee Committee
- Association for Aid and Relief,
 Japan
- Association of Volunteers in Internation Service
- Bethany Christian Service
 Global, LLC
- Building Resources Across
 Communities
- Care and Assistance For Forced
 Migrants
- CARE International
- Caritas Uganda
- Catholic Agency for Overseas
 Development
- Catholic Organization for Relief
 and Development Aid
- Catholic Relief Services
- Concern WorldWide
- Cooperazione e Sviluppo
- Cooperazione Internazionale
- DanChurchAid
- Danish Refugee Council
- Don Bosco
- Doctors with Africa
- Enabel
- Film Aid International

- Finn Church Aid
- Finnish Refugee Council
- Food and Agriculture
 Organization
- Food for the Hungry
- Gesellschaft fuer Internationale
 Zusammenarbeit
- Global Aid Hand
- GOAL
- Help Age International
- Humane Africa Mission
- Humanity & Inclusion
- Impact Initiatives
- Inter-church Organization for Development Cooperation
- International Aid Services
- International Medical Corps
- International Organization for Migration
- International Rescue Committee
- Islamic Relief Worldwide
- IsraAid
- Jesuit Refugee Servic
- Johanniter
- Kenya Red Cross Society
- LKAD
- Lutheran World Federation
- Lutheran World Relief
- Malteser International
- Medical Teams International
- Mercy Corps
- Nada El-Azahar Organization
- National Council of Churches of Kenya
- Norwegian Church Aid
- Norwegian Refugee Council
- Oxfam
- Peace Winds Japan
- Plan International

- Prime Skills Foundation
- Refugee Consortium of Kenya
- Relief International
- Right to Play
- Samaritan's Purse
- Sanivation
- Save the Children International
- Self Help Africa
- SNV NDO
- Swiss Contact
- TPO Uganda
- Trocaire
- Tutapona Trauma Rehabilitation
- Uganda Red Cross Society
- Uganda Women for Water and Sanitation
- UMCOR
- United Nations Development
 Programme
- United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
- United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund
- United Nations Office for Project Services
- United Nations Population Fund
- United Peace Organization
- UNWOMEN
- War Child Canada
- War Child Holland
- Water Mission Uganda
- Welthungerhilfe
- WIK
- Windle International Uganda
- World Food Programme
- World Health Organization
- World Vision International
- ZOA