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Members of the attiéke production group led by Ivorian refugee women and comprised also of Liberian women from the host communities near Bahn Refugee Camp (Nimba).



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Ivorian refugees in PTP Camp (Grand Gedeh) bid farewell to their compatriots, who leave on a convoy to Côte d'Ivoire with the support of the Government of Liberia, UNHCR and Partners.

As long as the situation in Côte d'Ivoire remains stable and conducive for return in safety and with dignity, UNHCR will continue to support Ivorian refugees in Liberia to voluntarily repatriate home. Since 2012, more than 65,000 Ivorian refugees have returned home. In 2018, 953 Ivorian refugees from Liberia were facilitated to voluntary repatriate to various places of origin in Côte d'Ivoire.

January 2019

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28	29	30	31	1	2	3



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Veronica, Momo, and Hassan Kemokai proudly show their newly received birth certificates. Their parents, Kula and Mustapha are former Sierra Leonean refugees and they all now live in Sinje (Liberia).



Liberia has one of the lowest birth registration and certification rates in the West African Region. The low coverage of civil documentation especially birth certification and the ability for non-Negro refugees, spouses, and adopted children to naturalize and attain Liberian documentation remains a challenge.

February 2019

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Participants of the Local Integration Retreat on 20-22 November 2018 in Margibi County (Liberia), including: Ivorian refugees, members of Liberian host communities; Liberia Refugee Repatriation and Resettlement Commission (LRRRC); Ministries of Internal Affairs, Finance, Justice, Gender, Education and Health; Liberian Immigration Service; African Union; ECOWAS; Embassy of Côte d'Ivoire; ECOWAS; AIRD; SEARCH; UNICEF; FAO; WFP; UNDP; IOM; UNHCR.

The retreat was led by the Government of Liberia, through LRRRC with the support of UNHCR. Throughout the sessions, participants focused their discussions in the three dimensions of the local integration process (economic, social and legal aspects) in order to craft out the basis of the national strategy of the local integration of Ivorian refugees in Liberia.



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March 2019

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Staff members of LRRRC, AIRD and UNHCR distribute non Food Items to Liberian communities victims of floods.

On August 2018, UNHCR in collaboration with LRRRC, AIRD and the National Disaster Management Agency (NDMA), distributed Non Food Items (NFIs) to victims of recent floods in Unification Town Community (Margibi County). Items distributed included buckets, blankets, bales of used clothes and cartons of soap.

April 2019

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29	30	1	2	3	4	5



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After fleeing violence in Côte d'Ivoire, Germiem Krakpa decided to integrate in Liberia with his family. He works as a carpenter in Sanniquellie (Nimba) and his children go to school.

To increase the self-reliance of refugees, livelihood support based on needs and skills is provided for refugees in all locations.

May 2019

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
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2018 World Refugee Day Parade at Bahn Refugee Camp (Nimba County) was led by the Government of Liberia through LRRRC (left: LRRRC Executive Director, Rev. Festus Logan) and former Liberian refugee and current Member of the Parliament, Hon. Lawrence Morris (right).

For the fourth time, the Government of Liberia, through the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, declared World Refugee Day, 20 June, as a working holiday in Liberia. In this proclamation, the President of Liberia, George M. Weah, stated that “This year’s celebration of World Refugee Day will serve as a platform to promote solidarity with refugees through social media and radio programs and enable UNHCR to disseminate information on durable solutions, notably voluntary repatriation and local integration”.

June 2019

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
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17	18	19	20 World Refugee Day	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30



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The President of Liberia H.E. George M. Weah, presents Certificates of Citizenship to former Sierra Leonean refugees.



On 23 July 2018, the President of Liberia, handed Certificates of Citizenship to 50 former Sierra Leonean refugees. These 50 certificates are part of the total of 300 Certificates of Citizenship handed to former Sierra Leonean refugees fully integrated in Liberia since 2008.

July 2019

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29	30	31	1	2	3	4



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A member of the attieke production group shows raw attieke harvested in Bahn Refugee Camp (Nimba). The group is led by Ivorian refugee women and comprised also of Liberian women from the host communities near the camp.

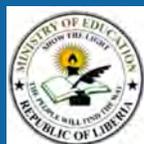
To increase self-reliance of refugees, livelihood support based on need and skills will be provided for them. Some of the activities in which refugees and some members of hosting communities are engaging in include poultry, tailoring, mechanics and attieke production.

August 2019

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Liberian and Ivorian refugee students in Bahn High Extension School (Nimba).



In the frame of local integration, all schools in the camps have been included in the Education Management Information System (EMIS) and are therefore public and used both by refugees and by Liberians. The names of the schools have been updated accordingly: Tchien Public School (PTP Camp) -Tchien is the district where this school is located-; Little Wlebo Extension Elementary School (Little Wlebo Camp); Bahn High Extension School (Bahn Camp).

September 2019

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Meeting with Ivorian refugees, the Government of Liberia, Partners and UNHCR in Bahn Refugee Camp (Nimba), February 2018.

Regular coordination meetings with the refugee leadership and the overall refugee population offer a platform to openly discuss issues, share updates and disseminate key information.

October 2019

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Celebration of 16 Days of Activism in Bahn Refugee Camp (Nimba).



From 25 November, the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women, to 10 December, Human Rights Day, UNHCR Liberia celebrates the 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence Campaign. Celebrations take place at camp and county level, with joint organisation of parades, informative sessions and interactive discussions. Men intervention groups also sensitise on the monitoring and reporting of SGBV cases

November 2019

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Teams comprised of both Ivorian refugees and members of the Liberian host communities played football matches in all locations to celebrate World Refugee Day.

Social Cohesion ensures the promotion of peaceful co-existence, which is key as part of the local integration process. The integration of refugees within local communities has proven to have a positive impact on the environment, and in the increased protection towards children, women and those most vulnerable community members.

December 2019

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