

SOMALIA TASK FORCE ON YEMEN SITUATION

INTER-AGENCY UPDATE #14

16 July – 31 July 2016

KEY FIGURES

32,857

Arrivals from Yemen since 27 March 2015, at the early onset of the crisis

7,015

Yemenis registered in Somalia since 27 March 2015 (including Somalis with dual Yemeni-Somali citizenship)

20,701

Arrivals registered at Reception Centres in Berbera, Bossaso and Mogadishu since 27 March 2015

52%

Registered arrivals expressing intention to return to Mogadishu

9,992

Somali returnees provided with onward transportation assistance since 27 March 2015

FUNDING

USD 39.3 million

Requested for the **Somalia Response Plan for Yemen Crisis** (January-December 2016)

[CATEGORY NAME]
56%



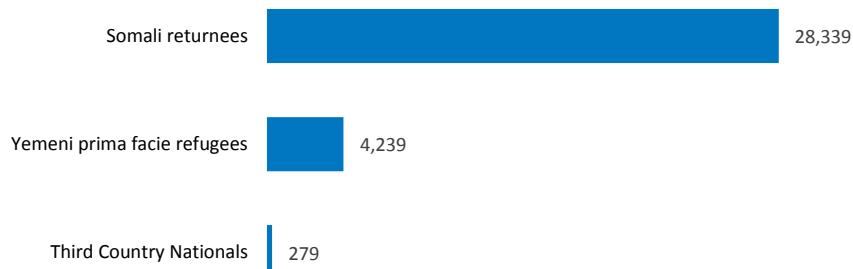
Funded
44%

HIGHLIGHTS

- During the reporting period, there have been five boat arrivals from Yemen to Somalia,
- In Puntland three boats (10 Yemeni, 79 Somali and 1 Ethiopian) carrying a total of 90 individuals. Of the new arrivals, 72 went to the Bossaso reception center and were registered by UNHCR in direct collaboration with local authorities and partners.
- In Somaliland two boat (50 Yemeni, 3 Somali and 1 Djiboutian) carrying a total of 54 individuals. Of the new arrivals, 54 went to the reception center and were registered by UNHCR in direct collaboration with local authorities and partners.

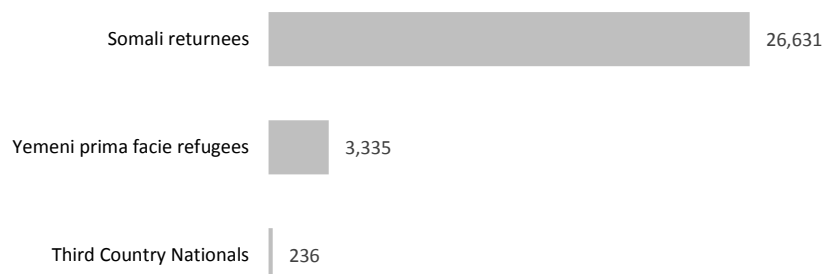
Population of concern

A total of **32,857** people of concern



2015 Population of concern

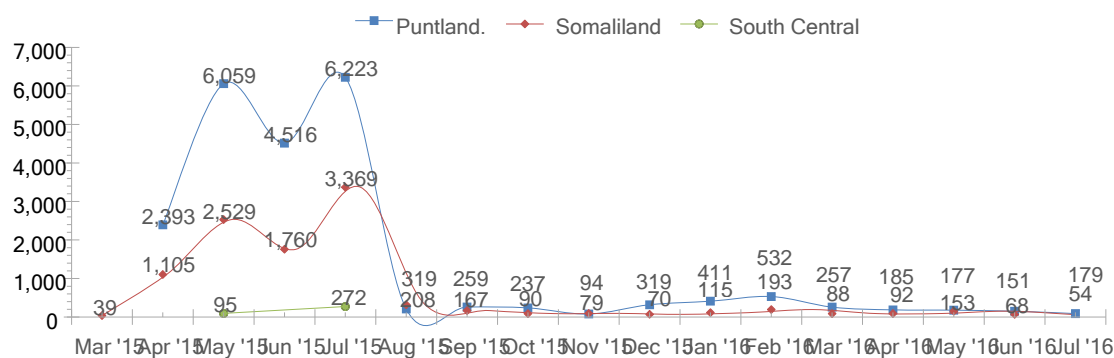
A total of **30,202** people of concern in 2015



2016 arrivals

2,655 people of concern, including 1,708 Somali returnees, 904 Yemeni refugees and 43 third country nationals.

ARRIVALS PER MONTH



Month	Total # of Arrivals
Mar 2015	39
Apr 2015	3,498
May 2015	8,683
Jun 2015	6,276
Jul 2015	9,864
Aug 2015	527
Sep 2015	426
Oct 2015	327
Nov 2015	173
Dec 2015	389
Jan 2016	526
Feb 2016	725
Mar 2016	345
Apr 2016	277
May 2016	330
Jun 2016	219
Jul 2016	233
Total	32,857

ARRIVALS PER NATIONALITY AND GENDER/AGE

Nationality	Arrived to			Total	
	Puntland	Somaliland	South Central		
Bahrain	5			5	0 %
Bangla	1			1	0 %
DRC		1		1	0 %
Djibouti	7	2		9	0 %
England	3	1		4	0 %
Ethiopia	95	116		211	1 %
India	2			2	0 %
Iraq	1			1	0 %
Kenya	9	1		10	0 %
Lebanon		1		1	0 %
Libya		2		2	0 %
Nigeria	2			2	0 %
Pakistan		1		1	0 %
Palestine		2		2	0 %
Somalia	19,989	7,983	367	28,339	86 %
Sudan	3	1		4	0 %
Syria	4	12		16	0 %
Tanzania		2		2	0 %
Turkey	1			1	0 %
USA	2	2		4	0 %
Yemen	2,060	2,179		4,239	13 %
Total	22,185	10,305	367	32,857	100 %
	67.52 %	31.36 %	1.12 %		

G/A	Arrived to			Total	
	PL	SL	SC		
Children	9,121	4,660	23	13,804	42 %
Females	6,652	2,742	123	9,517	29 %
Males	6,253	2,903	112	9,268	28 %
Total	22,026	10,305	258	32,589	100 %
	67.59 %	31.62 %	0.79 %		

Note: not all individuals that arrived remained to be registered. The figures shown here reflect those who have chosen to have their bio data collected

INTENDED AREAS OF RETURN OF REGISTERED ARRIVALS

Areas of Intended Return	First Point of Entry from Yemen			Total	
	Puntland	Somaliland	South Central		
Mogadishu	5,430	5,346	0	10,776	52 %
Hargeisa	400	2,154	0	2,554	12 %
Bossaso	883	252	0	1,135	5 %
Kismayo	480	196	0	676	3 %
Baidoa	493	156	0	649	3 %
Afgooye	300	124	0	424	2 %
Other locations	2,418	2,007	62	4,487	23 %
Total Arrivals Registered at Reception Centers	10,404	10,235	62	20,701	100 %

UPDATE ON ACHIEVEMENTS

Operational Context

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- During the month of July, only two boats arrived from Yemen to Berbera, with a total of 54 new arrivals.

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- During the reporting period, arrivals from Yemen have drastically decreased. Despite the low number of arrivals, 90 individuals in second part of July, the situation in Yemen remains unpredictable and increases in arrivals are possible.

Achievements



Protection

SOMALILAND

- On 21 July, one boat carrying a total of 39 individuals of 35 Yemenis, 3 Somalis and 1 Djiboutian arrived at Berbera. Among the 39 new arrivals, six were returning to Berbera for the second time. On 23 July, one boat carrying a total of 15 Yemenis arrived in Berbera.
- No cases of armed/physical violence or SGBV during their journey was reported. All new arrivals were documented in good health condition, and were provided with food, water and accommodation at the reception centre.
- CCBRS carried out a vulnerability assessment for the provision of onward transportation allowance (OTA) by IOM.

PUNTLAND

- During the reporting period, three boats carrying 90 individuals of 79 Somalis, 10 Yemeni and 1 Ethiopian arrived in Bossaso.
- The new arrivals were provided with refreshments by DRC. Transport from the port to the Reception Centre was provided by IOM. Biometric registration for all arrivals was carried out by UNHCR and Refugee certificates co-signed by UNHCR and Ministry of Interior (MoI) were provided to nine refugees.
- Emergency cash and NFIs assistance to new arrival refugees upon registration was processed by UNHCR.



Health

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- No medical assistance was required by the new arrivals.

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- Yemeni refugees continue to receive medical assistance, through UNHCR's implementing partner Gruppo per le Relazioni Transculturali (GRT), during biometric registration, in case of a medical emergency. In total 7 households of 15 individuals received medical assistance.

Food Security and Nutrition

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- DRC with the collaboration of WFP provided meals to the new arrivals.

PUNTLAND

- The WFP's food support programme came to an end in June. Religious leaders stepped in to provide dry foods, cash for vegetables and meat at the center from 1 July through the Ministry of Interior. There is need for provision of hot meals as the funds raised by the host community cannot last for three months.
- Wages for the incentive staff at the Centre kitchen is also a gap.



Water and Sanitation

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- Drinking water and sanitation was provided at the Reception Centre by UNHCR through the MoI.
- Water consumption and provision depends on the number of arrivals, so far 2 trucks per week have been recorded during summer time.



Shelter and NFIs

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- Among the 54 new arrivals, 22 persons were provided with CRI.



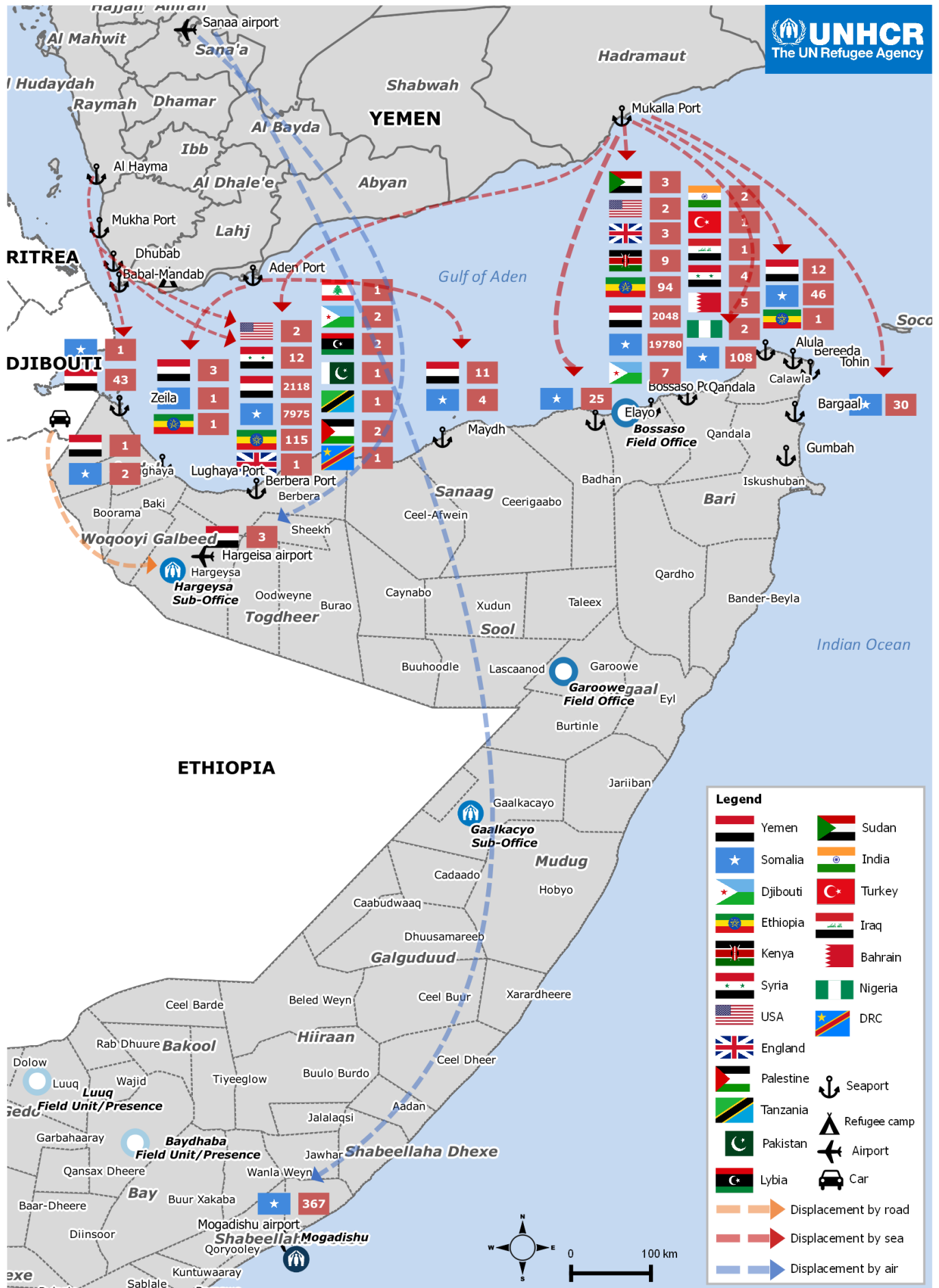
Logistics

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- Among the 54 new arrivals, 12 individuals were provided with OTA by IOM.

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- During the reporting period, 38 Somali returnees from South Central were provided with OTA to enable them to reach their place of origin: 17 individuals to Mogadishu, 10 to Belweyn, 6 to Kismayo and 5 to Jawhar.
- The emergency cash assistance to the new arrivals refugees was provided by UNHCR upon registration.



FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The Somalia Response Plan for Yemen Crisis (April – December 2015) was released on 4 June and shared with donors, governments and partners. 11 UN agencies and NGOs participate in the inter-agency response. The Response Plan can be accessed at <http://goo.gl/pVH7da>. Total funding received to date is USD 8.2 M (approximately 10% of total 2015 budget). The Plan for 2016 has yet to receive funding.

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