



## HIGHLIGHTS

**100%**

Refugees have access to primary health care

**700**

Is the average of new arrivals from the DRC per month

**1,200**

Refugees to be submitted for resettlement in 2016

**2,093**

Mozambican refugees in Luwani Refugee Camp

## Population of concern

A total of **27,285** people of concern

Refugees: **8,580**

Asylum-Seekers: **18,705**

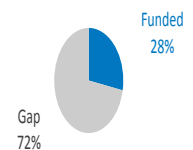
### By country of origin

Country of origin	Total population of concern
Burundi	6,942
Democratic Republic of the Congo	12,575
Ethiopia	29
Rwanda	5,551
Somalia	67
Sudan	5
Mozambique	2,093
Others	23
<b>Total</b>	<b>27,285</b>

## Funding

**USD 14,056,021** requested,

**28% funded**



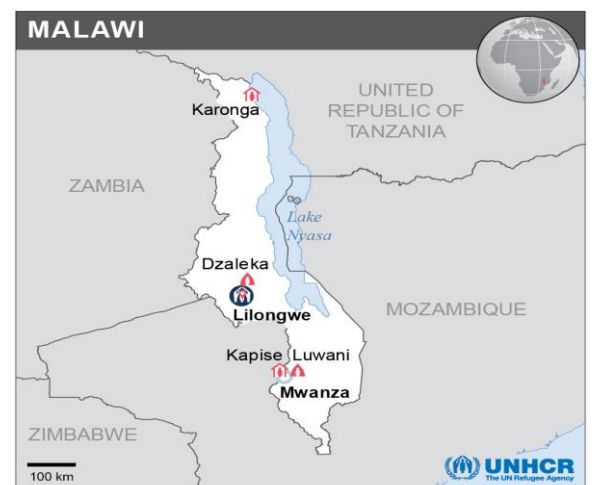
## UNHCR Presence

### Staff:

22 national staff  
8 international staff  
13 affiliated staff

### Office:

2 Offices:  
CO Lilongwe  
FU Mwanza



 UNHCR Country Office    
  UNHCR Field Unit  
 Refugee Camp    
  Refugee Center  
 Refugee Urban Location

Map Sources: UNCS, UNHCR.  
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## WORKING WITH PARTNERS

Under the Refugee Coordination Model, UNHCR coordinates with the following partners: [Ministry of Home Affairs and Internal Security \(MoHA\)](#); [Ministry of Health \(MoH\)](#); [Participatory Rural Development Organization \(PRDO\)](#); [Plan International Malawi](#); [Jesuit Refugee Service \(JRS\)](#); and [Care International](#). UNHCR also collaborates with various Government Ministries, UN Agencies and NGOs

## MAIN ACTIVITIES

### Protection

- UNHCR together with the Government provides international protection to refugees, asylum-seekers and other people of concern. UNHCR is receiving an average of 700 new arrivals per month, of which the majority is from the Democratic Republic of the Congo. The Government, with the technical support from UNHCR, is reviewing the current refugee policy to bring it in line with international standards. This review is in its final stages.
- Two refugee camps in Dzaleka and in Luwani are managed by the Government through the Ministry of Home Affairs and Internal Security. Owing to the congestion at Dzaleka, the Government identified a new site in Katiri, Karonga District and plans relocation once infrastructure is established. While the majority has since spontaneously returned, currently a total of 2,093 refugees are living in Luwani camp.
- SGBV response and prevention mechanisms as well as child protection referral pathways and alternative care arrangements are in place to address specific needs of the vulnerable people of concern.
- In partnership with JRS, UNHCR provides primary education to some 6,000 children in Dzaleka. Some 700 and 60 children respectively attend secondary and tertiary education. Nationals also benefit from camp education facilities. Emergency education services are also provided at Luwani to some 1,168 Mozambicans.

### Shelter, NFIs, Environmental Protection, WASH and Health

- UNHCR is providing environmentally sustainable shelter materials to households, shelter repair tool kits and ready-made shelters to those with specific needs. In collaboration with PRDO, UNHCR provides non-food items (NFI) to over 25,000 refugees and asylum-seekers on a regular basis. In Luwani, an inter-agency approach to NFI procurement allows refugees to receive standard core relief items, hygiene and dignity kits, and solar lamps.
- UNHCR supports energy conservation practices with partners in and around the camps with provision of energy saving stoves and emergency supply of briquettes, and ensures water supply and promotes hygiene practices.
- The Ministry of Health is responsible for health care, HIV/AIDS, reproductive health and nutrition. Services are provided to people of concern and more than 40,000 nationals from surrounding villages at Dzaleka by UNHCR. Partners also extended services to Luwani camp and the host community, where the health clinic was rehabilitated.

### Durable Solutions

- Resettlement continues to be the main durable solution. In 2016, UNHCR plans to submit 1,200 refugees for resettlement. Since January 2016, a total of 180 cases/665 individuals have been submitted to resettlement countries and a total of 132 cases/421 individuals departed on resettlement.

### Community Empowerment and Self-reliance

- Refugee youth are supported with recreational activities, while some 1,000 families were provided with small plots of land and farming inputs. Skills development courses and livelihood activities are provided to promote self-reliance. In addition, the Refugee Games were organized in Dzaleka to promote peaceful co-existence between the local communities and refugees and support Team Refugees during the Rio Olympic Games.

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