



HIGHLIGHTS

14,162 Identified unaccompanied Minors and Separated Children	86 Households provided with cash grants	1,288,598 NFIs distributed	1,671 Shelters distributed
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Population of Concern

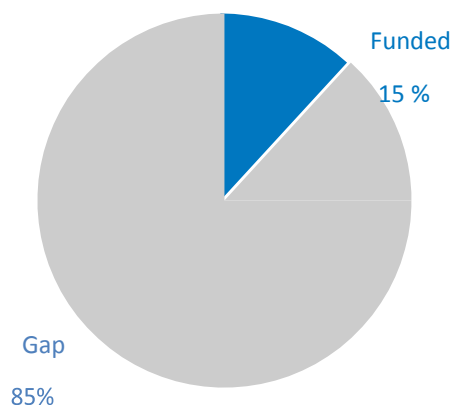
Total of people of concern **486,037**

By country of origin

Country	Total PoC
Somalia	308,651
Ethiopia	27,391
Sudan	9,692
DR Congo	29,580
Rwanda	1,673
Eritrea	1,594
Burundi	9,531
South Sudan	95,283
Uganda	2,201
Other	441
Total	486,037

Funding

USD 215,200,000 requested



UNHCR Presence

Staff:

353 National Staff, 29 NUNVs
63 International Staff, 11 IUNVS, 15 Consultants

Offices:

4 Offices located in:
Nairobi, Kakuma, Dadaab, Alinjugur

KENYA

Registered refugees and asylum-seekers

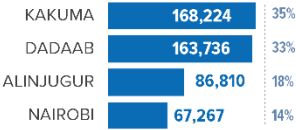
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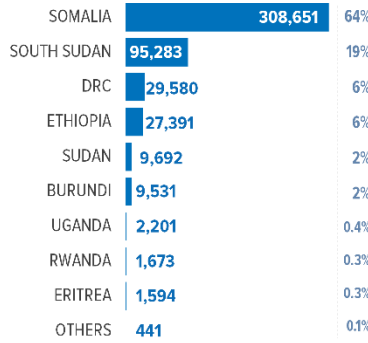
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REGISTERED REFUGEES AND ASYLUM-SEEKERS

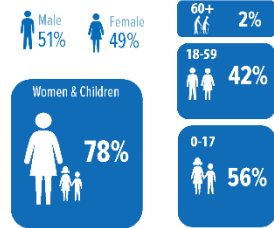
HOST LOCATIONS



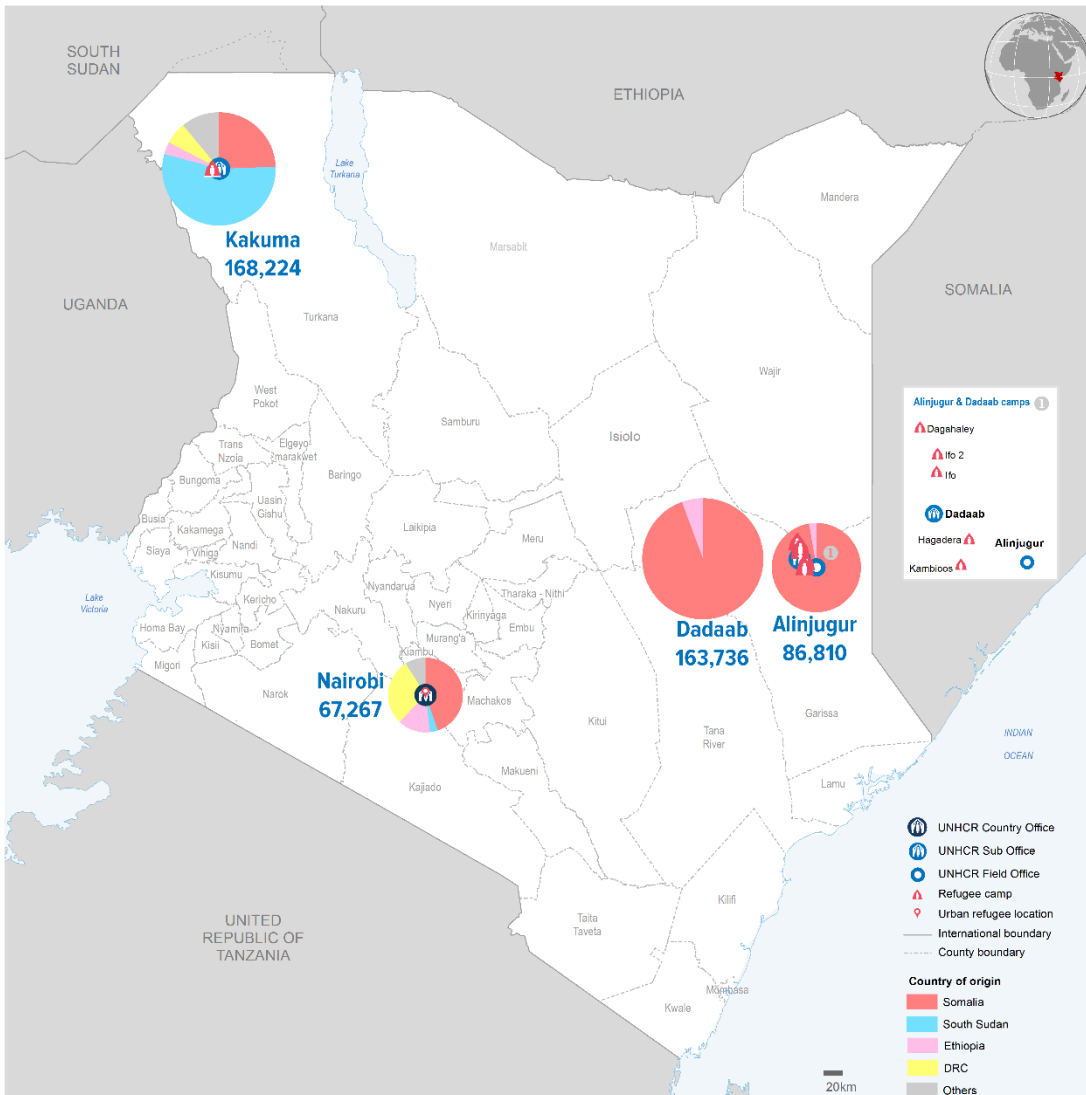
COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN



DEMOGRAPHICS | age and gender



LEGAL STATUS



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- During the IGAD Heads of State Summit held in Nairobi on 25 March, UNHCR appealed for continued and strong support to Somalia and countries hosting Somali refugees.
- SO Kakuma continues to receive new arrivals from South Sudan at the Nadapal Transit Centre, at South Sudan-Kenya border.
- A total of 5,020 (58 % from Eastern Equatoria) SSD new arrivals have been registered since 1st January 2017 while a total of 1,418 individuals were registered in March 2017.
- Kakuma operation continues to receive non-Somali refugees from Dadaab in the ongoing relocation exercise. A total of 4,719 individuals have been relocated since the beginning of the relocation process in 2016 out of which 4,508 have been relocated in 2017 alone. The current population at Kalobeyei settlement stands at 27,285 individuals.

MAIN ACTIVITIES

Protection

Registration and Documentation

- A total of 1,144 new registrations were jointly conducted by UNHCR and the GoK as part of the transition to a unified registration process using ProGres database. Majority of the new arrivals originated from DRC (32%), South Sudan (21%), Somalia (19%), Burundi (9%), Ethiopian (5%) and other countries (14%).
- On 28 March, the Refugee Affairs Secretariat (RAS) confirmed that all Refugee ID cards renewed will contain the previous card's individual number. These are great news and UNHCR will closely follow-up.
- Following advice from RAS, the verification exercise for Mombasa and other urban locations, originally planned to take place in April will now take place after the elections.

Protection and Detention Monitoring

- UNHCR through Kituo cha Sheria (KCS) intervened in court to avert imminent refoulement of 18 minors arrested in Mombasa.
- UNHCR intervened to bring an end to the continued detention of 29 persons of concern who had been released by the Court in Mwingi to be handed over to the Refugee Affairs Secretariat (RAS) for processing in Dadaab refugee camp. UNHCR is working with RAS to ensure the latter's lead on such protection matters.

Protection Desk

- The protection Desk at RAS Office in Shauri Moyo was launched and runs parallel with the Desk at UNHCR Office. Cases attended related mainly to security concerns and documentation renewal (RAS Desk); financial assistance and resettlement status (UNHCR Desk). The Protection Hotline was launched in March low-scale to test the system before full launch in April. It is country-wide service to bring refugees and asylum seekers much closer to UNHCR and services provided.

Child Protection

- Accessibility of child protection services remain a challenge to persons of concern as two Heshima Kenya child protection site offices on Kitengela and Kasarani were closed due to budget constraints leaving one operational office in Eastleigh.

Statelessness

- UNHCR supported Haki Centre to train 13 paralegals on registration procedures and documentation required to apply for various identification documents which is an important aspect of the paralegals' awareness campaigns targeting known stateless populations and persons at risk of statelessness.



Community Empowerment and Self-Reliance

- 200 youth from Baidoa are targeted for high impact short vocational and technical trainings on Solar power Installation (80 Persons of Concern (POCs)), Plumbing technology (80 PoC) and Heavy duty machines driving training (40 PoC).
- Trained 80 PoC in 2016 on meat value chain with additional 300 PoC targeted for the same and bone value addition in 2017.
- Training of 100 youths from Baidoa on high impact short courses, so far 36 learners have been identified for the trainings.
- Preparations in progress for Livelihood Workshop on Development of Dadaab Livelihood strategy 2017-2019 on 6 April 2017.
- VSLA trainings were conducted in Kalobeyi settlement for 3 groups with a total of 39 participants (all female), and another three days training for 8 groups consisting of 174 participants (58 female).
- UNHCR continues to facilitate access to varied product market outlets for persons of concern; handmade products from Dadaab, Kakuma and Nairobi continued to sell at the UN Gigiri gift shop.
- On 2 March UNHCR and SIDA held a meeting with the Equity Group (Bank and Foundation) aimed at refugee business expansion prospects and start-up entrepreneurs.
- The Livelihoods Working Group meeting was held on 24 March and attended by 7 agencies plus Nairobi Trade Investment Centre (NATIC) as well as Kenya National Chambers of Commerce and Industry (KNCCI) seek to collaborate and promote a conducive environment for refugee businesses in Nairobi.
- On 20 March, in UNHCR in collaboration with its livelihoods partner, DRC, held livelihood dialogue sessions with PoCs in 8 different locations.



Education

- UNHCR's Education sector had a planning meeting with the Ministry of Education (MoE) directorate of quality assurance and standards at County and Sub County level on 12th and 13th March. The aim of the planning meeting was to organise a quality standards assessment scheduled to take place from 20th to 31st March 2017. The scope of the assessment is from pre-school to secondary education including the alternative pathways to education delivery.
- A group of 100 teachers from all the camps were trained on Conflict Sensitive Education to prepare both teachers and learner for a safer learning environment.
- Windle Trust Kenya (WTK) in partnership with World University Service of Canada (WUSC) Girls' Education Challenge project funded by DFID since 2013 has been renewed for another 5 years.
- Distribution of 1,020 ALP textbooks, teachers' guides, assorted reference materials and learning supplies was done to 12 Accelerated Learning Programme (ALP) Centres on 9th March, 2017. This will enhance effective ALP curriculum implementation.
- During the reporting period, a total of 42 female teachers sat for a Diploma in Education bridging course exams at Masinde Muliro University of Science and Technology (MMUST) hence increasing the number of female teachers undertaking Diploma for Education training.
- Learning in public universities resumed after the strike of University staff was called off on 13 March; semesters have been extended for a maximum of one month to make up for the time lost. 189 out of the 208 current DAFI scholars study in public universities.



Health

- AIC in collaboration with IRC conducted an Orthopedic workshop in which 15 beneficiaries in Kakuma benefitted from various major surgeries aimed at correcting musculoskeletal deformities.
- The International Rescue Committee (IRC), the lead implementing partner for health in Kakuma refugee camp, and UNHCR have launched piloting of an electronic management records aimed at centralized storage of patient record as well as drug inventory management to move away from paper based records. This will enable historical medical data of patients to be easily accessible to help with better patient care as well as improve drug inventory management.



Water and Sanitation

- Routine water treatment and water quality monitoring progressed well as planned. 8 inline chlorine dozers were maintained and monitored closely to ensure effective chlorination (Hagadera :7, Kambioos: 1). In Hagadera; 180FRC tests were conducted at the tap stands with average FRC of 0.74mg/l. 224FRC tests were conducted at the household

level from the drinking water containers in Hagadera with an average of 0.41mg/l.

- General Camp clean-up and environmental rehabilitation in Kambioos after camp closure ongoing: 274 casuals undertaking the clean-up exercise were trained on environment, health and safety issues. The activities are; demolition of shelters/fences, garbage collection, decommissioning and retrieval of latrines slabs. NRC issued the following items for use by the casuals undertaking the clean-up exercise; Rakes (105pcs), Spades (105 pcs), Hand gloves (274 pairs), Nose masks (274 pcs), Chlorine powder (45 Kgs), Multipurpose soap for handwashing in cartons of 50pcs each (10 cartons), Gumboots (70 pairs) and Pick axes (5 pcs).
- The construction of a 14km pipeline from Tarach seasonal river to Kalobeyei settlement was completed thus allowing water to be pumped from boreholes near Tarach Seasonal River in Kakuma to Kalobeyei. Currently, piping within cluster one of Kalobeyei settlement is ongoing.
- Water pumping to cluster one of Kalobeyei is ongoing and residents are now able to access clean water from tap stands installed in their neighborhoods.
- Water trucking is ongoing in Kalobeyei cluster 2 and 3. However, the distance covered by the water trucks has drastically reduced as water trucks are now sourcing water from cluster one of Kalobeyei settlement, hence more water is delivered to refugees per day.

Durable Solutions

Voluntary Return

- For the Go and See visits, on the 13th March 2017, twenty eight(28) refugee delegates from Dadaab camps returned from a visit to two return areas in Somalia; Kismayo and Baidoa respectively. The visit was aimed at enabling refugees to familiarize themselves with the situation in areas of return and make an informed decision for voluntary repatriation.
- There has been reduced trend in the number of person repatriated for the last few weeks. During the week under review, only 1,541 individuals were repatriated against a target of 2,000. This could be as a result of the ongoing drought and famine in Somalia.
- As of 31st March, a total of 59,829 individuals from Dadaab were assisted in the framework of their voluntary return to Somalia including 20,515 refugees returned in 2017 alone since the launch of the process on 8th December 2014. The cumulative total number of persons repatriated from Kenya (Dadaab, Kakuma, Nairobi) to Somalia currently stands at 60,787.
- The Voluntary Repatriation process is ongoing in Kakuma. Cumulatively, a total of 925 individuals have been assisted to return to Somalia since the beginning of Volrep in 2016. During the reporting period, a total of 112 individuals were assisted to return to Somalia with 72 and 40 individuals being assisted to return to Kismayo and Mogadishu respectively.
- 3 households comprising of 3 individuals voluntarily returned to Mogadishu. 4 households comprising of 10 individuals scheduled to return to Mogadishu on 5 April underwent COI briefing at DRC Eastleigh.

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