

The Americas

North America and the Caribbean

Central America and Mexico

Northern South America

Southern South America

UNHCR's main regional objectives for 2006 are:

- In South America and the Caribbean, UNHCR will seek to enhance the protection of refugees and internally displaced persons of concern through implementation of the protection and durable solutions strands of the Mexico Plan of Action of November 2004, which comprises activities at the country or regional level to promote international protection and durable solutions in the region (Global Strategic Objectives 1 and 3). UNHCR will also seek to increase the protection response for the growing number of internally displaced people in Colombia (Global Strategic Objectives 1 and 5).
- In North America, UNHCR will endeavour to maintain high protection standards and enhance the political support of North American countries for UNHCR's operations in general and, in particular, the furthering of protection and solutions in Latin America (Global Strategic Objectives 1, 2, 3 and 7). UNHCR also aims to enhance partnerships through participatory planning to obtain increased political and financial support for UNHCR's work, and to keep a high level of civil society involvement in protection issues and the identification of durable solutions (Global Strategic Objective 6).

