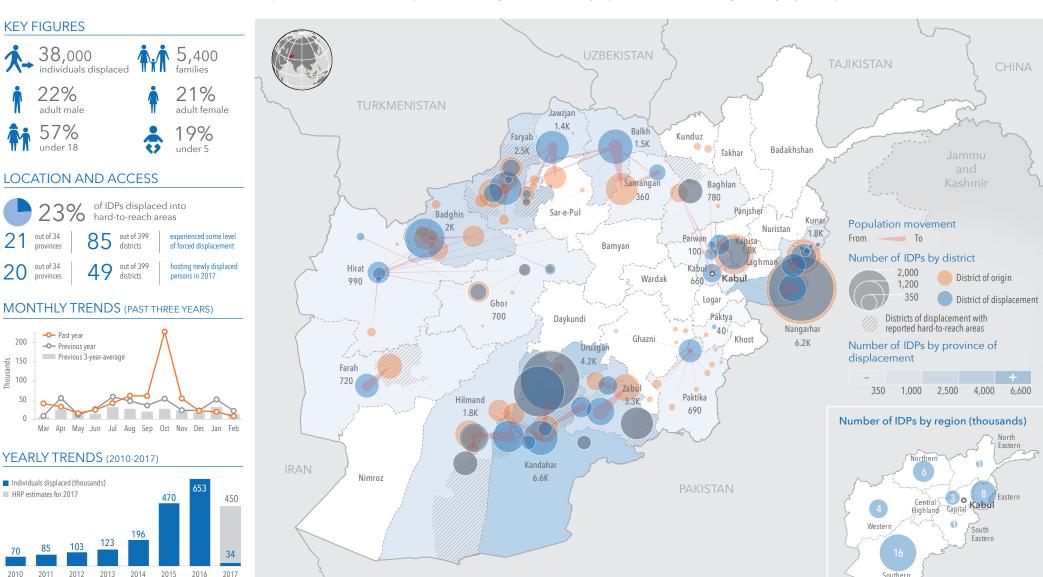
AFGHANISTAN: Conflict Induced Displacements in 2017 - Snapshot (as of 19 March 2017)



From 1 January to 17 March 2017, 38,000 individuals fled their homes due to conflict in Afghanistan, with 21 of 34 provinces recording forced displacement. Constrained humanitarian access hinders assessments, preventing verification of the full extent of displacement and undermining provision of assistance and services. Inadequate shelter, food insecurity, insufficient access to sanitation and health facilities, as well as a lack of protection, often result in precarious living conditions that jeopardises the well-being and dignity of displaced families.



Data sources: Newly displaced displaced population due to conflict from 1 January to 17 March 2017, compiled by OCHA sub offices based on inter-agency assessment results (as of 19 Mar 2017). Assessments are ongoing in the field and these numbers are expected to change as new information becomes available. IDP data for 2015 and earlier from IDP Task Force / UNHCR Population Movement Tracking System (PMT). Creation date: 19 Mar 2017 Feedback: ocha-afg@un.org Website: http://www.unocha.org/afghanistan http://afg.humanitarianresponse.info

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