

Somalia: Humanitarian Snapshot (as of 13 January 2016)

Humanitarian needs remain acute with persistent vulnerabilities. About 4.9 million people are in need of assistance. Over 1.1 million people remain internally displaced, and another one million are refugees in neighboring countries. Flooding resulting from the 2015 Deyr rains affected over 145,200 people. About 308,000 children under age 5 are acutely malnourished, with 56,000 of them in need of urgent treatment and therapeutic food to survive.

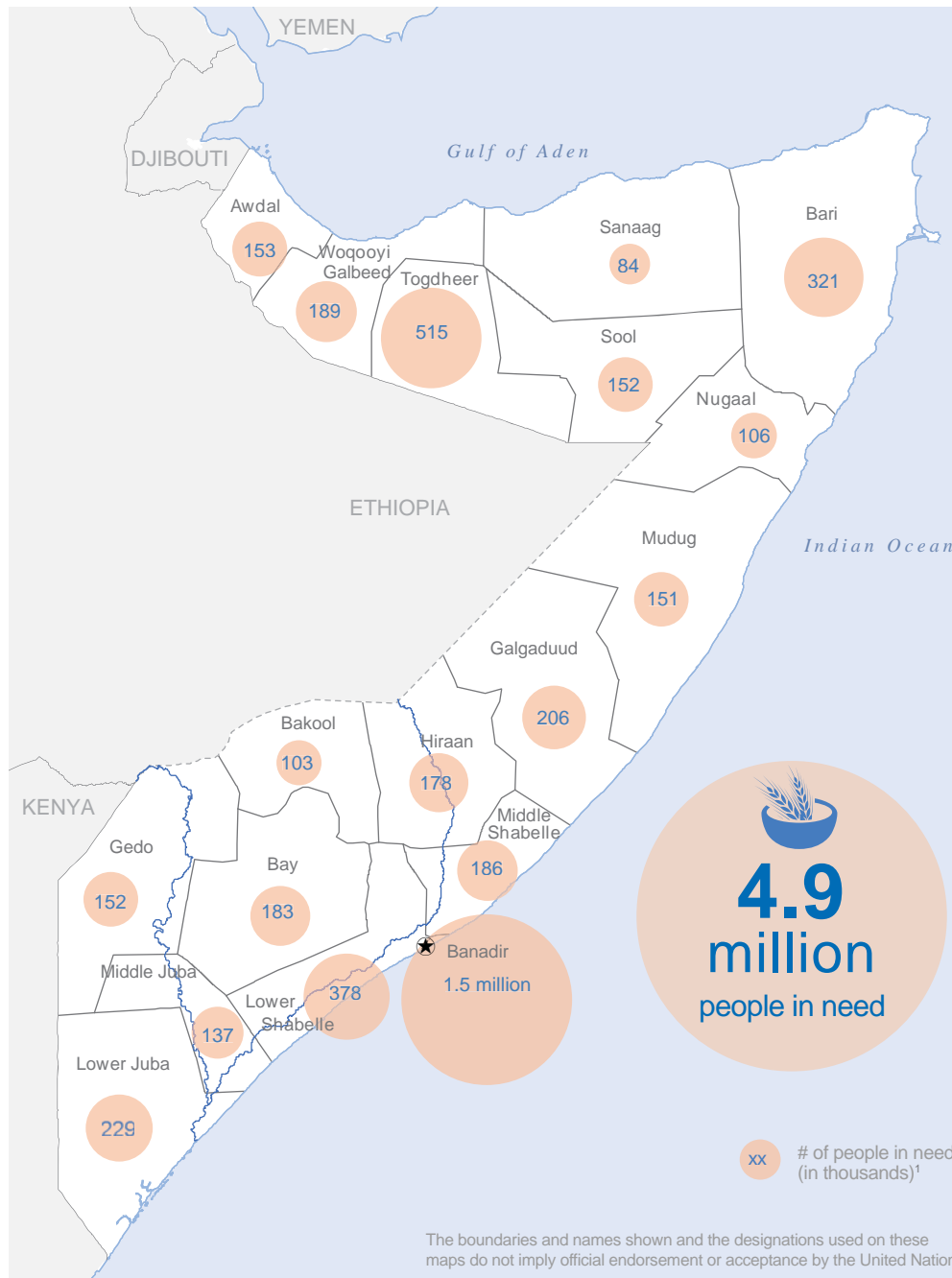
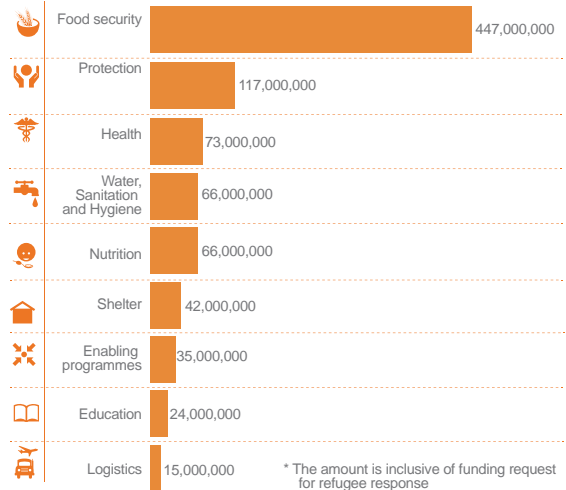


2016 Humanitarian response plan

The plan focuses on reducing morbidity, delivering life-saving assistance and linking humanitarian action with durable solutions.



Amount* requested for 2016 by cluster

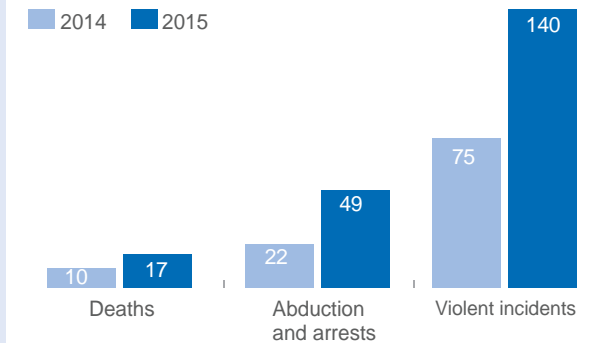


Strategic objectives for 2016

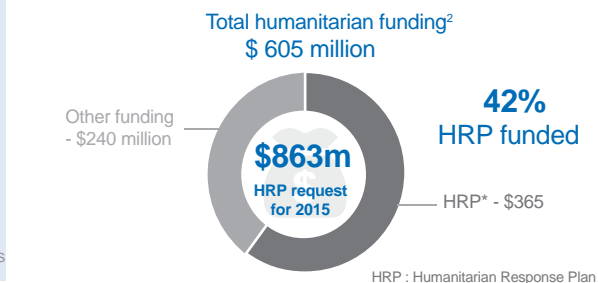
- Address humanitarian needs by providing life-saving and life-sustaining assistance to people in need, prioritizing the most vulnerable.
- Restore and strengthen livelihoods and basic service delivery to build resilience to recurrent shocks.
- Strengthen the protection of the displaced and other vulnerable groups, and catalyze durable solutions.

Humanitarian access

Humanitarian access remains a challenge. Attacks and threats against humanitarians are on the rise. In 2015, over 140 violent incidents directly impacted humanitarians organizations and accounted for the death of 17 humanitarian workers, injury of 18, abduction of 11 and arrests of 38.



Funding



Please see the link to 2016 Somalia Humanitarian Response Plan: <http://bit.ly/1N4axil>