

#### A. New Arrivals and Reception:

- During the reporting week (2-8 February 2013), the number of arrivals was at an average of **58** individuals per day, with a peak of 79 individuals on 4 February and a low of 35 individuals on 2 February.
- Thus far, **7,574** individuals were recorded at the border (see attachment 1). The total number of people admitted into the registration process was **7,328**. While this constitutes **97%** of those that have crossed the border, the remaining 3% represent those that were: **i:** screened out at the border as Rwandan, **ii:** did not seek assistance and **iii:** screened out upon fingerprinting as recyclers.
- The total number of individuals in the Transit Center on 8 February is **4,930** which despite the continuing arrivals is lower than last week due to additional transfers to Kigeme and other refugee camps (see attachment 2)
- Overall, the demographic profile of the new arrivals remains the same, with the majority **women and children** representing **87%**. The male female ratio altogether is 42% male and 58% female.

#### B. Registration

- As of 8 February, **6,558** individuals had finished the registration process. This constitutes **89%** of those admitted.
- The majority of the pending cases is composed of individuals who did not present themselves to the registration officers.

#### C. Relocation to Kigeme and other refugee camps

- The total number of individuals transferred to the refugee camps to date in **2,393**: Kigeme (2,306), Gihembe (44), Nyabiheke (34) and Kiziba (9).

#### D. Sectoral Issues

##### 1. Protection and Community Services

##### a. Sexual and Gender Based Violence (SGBV):

- A nurse/psychologist from the One Stop Center in Gisenyi conducted a three hour sensitization session on SGBV on Friday 8 February 2013. The training was attended by refugees from all blocks, including adult men and women, as well as adolescent boys and girls. The session spoke of types the violence, prevention and emphasized the relevance of medical assistance.

## **b. Child Protection (CP):**

- As of 8 February 2013 there were a total of **104** unaccompanied minors (UAMs) and **282** separated children (SC). This is **386** individuals in total which constitutes 8% of the population of the transit center.
- The updated list of UAMs and SC in the transit center was shared with ICRC, the implementing partner for family tracing on 7 February, which includes information drawn from the Best Interest Assessments (BIAs) led during the registration process.
- UNICEF sent four new tents; two are being used for accommodation and two are being kept for child friendly spaces within the Transit center.

## **2. Health and Nutrition**

- The TC's Dispensary had a daily average consultation rate of **123** individuals. The main cause of consultations was acute respiratory infections and watery diarrhea. Essential drugs and other medical supplies are available.
- During the week, 12 were discharged from hospital whereas 10 individuals were admitted to hospital and one death was recorded (post delivery).
- Nutrition screening for 167 children under the age of five was conducted, of which 5 were moderately malnourished and 1 was severely malnourished.

## **3. Shelter and Infrastructure**

- ADRA country director undertook a field mission to Nkamira at to evaluate the shelter needs and discuss construction of additional seven (07) hangars in the transit center to alleviate some of the strain in terms of space.

## **4. Supply, Food and NFIs**

- A general food distribution took place on 8-9 February to cover for the period of 10February-10 March 2013.
- A general clothes distribution took place this week for children from the ages of 0-12.

## **5. Water, Sanitation and Hygiene**

- ADRA conducted a two day hygiene promotion training session targeting the refugee community.

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