In 2018, RRP partners plan to assist 10,000 Nigerian refugees (most of whom are settled in Dar Es Salam camp) and 15,000 host community members. As conditions for voluntary repatriation are not yet met in Nigeria, RRP partners foresee no returns to Nigeria in 2018. Key among protection activities will be the improvement of civil registration and documentation, especially with regards to the issuance of birth certificates. Assistance to persons with specific needs and to separated and unaccompanied children will be improved. Of equal importance will be the need to address sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV) and the cultural practices that perpetuate it, by strengthening the capacity of community-based protection mechanisms. As regards access to education, existing infrastructures will be repaired and equipped, and buildings constructed using durable materials. Given the Lake region’s sub-standard immunization rate and poor general health coverage, partners will focus on improving health infrastructures, referrals and basic services such as maternity care. Partners also plan to establish health committees to increase the community’s awareness of health risks and negotiate ARV medication supply with the Ministry of Health. Partners will continue to build the capacity of water management committees, increase the number of WASH infrastructures and ensure the promotion of hygiene improvement activities by mobilizing and empowering communities. To address growing food insecurity, the use of cash vouchers will be prioritized where possible and support for livelihood activities and access to land will be reinforced to improve peaceful coexistence and self-sufficiency.