SOUTH SUDAN
Regional Refugee Response Plan
January 2019 - December 2020

OVERVIEW

The 2019-2020 South Sudan Regional RRP articulates the protection and humanitarian needs of an anticipated 2,795,827 South Sudanese refugees by the end of 2019 and 2,723,006 by the end of 2020. The RRP outlines the inter-agency response strategy and financial requirements of 92 partners responding across five countries of asylum. As the protracted emergency enters its sixth year, it remains the largest refugee situation on the African continent. It continues to be characterised as a children’s crisis with children constituting over 60 percent of the refugee population. The sheer scale of displacement is putting immense pressure on hosting countries and greater international solidarity and responsibility sharing is needed. In line with the Global Compact on Refugees, the response will aim to provide protection and life-saving assistance in such way as to allow for greater integration of refugees into national systems and development plans. Renewed and increased focus will also be given to strengthening the resilience of South Sudanese refugees and host communities.

PROJECTED SOUTH SUDANESE REFUGEE POPULATION

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<td><strong>2,795,827</strong></td>
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*The operation considers there not enough data yet to predict the size of the return in 2019. At the same time, with the current trend it is expected that the population size will remain the same in 2020.*

**The baseline for this projection is based on a mix of OPM RIMS figures and verification data for settlements where verification had been completed as of June 2018, when the RRP planning process began. Sector targets and agency budgets for 2019 and 2020 have been developed based on this projection. In order to align the population planning figures, targets and budgets with the results of verification, this RRP will be revised in early 2019.

2019 & 2020 PLANNED RESPONSE

2.8M
2019 PROJECTED REFUGEES

2.7M
2020 PROJECTED REFUGEES

US$ 1.4B
2019 REQUIREMENTS

92
PARTNERS INVOLVED

The full 2019/20 South Sudan Regional RRP can be accessed online from the South Sudan Situation Operational Data Portal: https://data2.unhcr.org/en/situations/southsudan
The 2019-2020 Regional RRP for the South Sudan situation remains guided by the following regional strategic objectives to guide programming for the South Sudan situation and which were validated on an inter-agency basis.

1. Upholding the quality of asylum for South Sudanese refugees in the region, the majority of whom are women and children, by meeting their lifesaving needs and upholding their dignity according to applicable minimum standards.

2. Anchoring the response within national and regional multi-year protection frameworks, policies, laws, and standards which comprehensively address legal and physical protection needs of South Sudanese refugees with a particular emphasis on children, women and youth.

3. Enhancing biometric registration, documentation and data management in collaboration with host Governments to support implementation of durable solutions strategies.

4. Proactively explore and, where applicable, pursue innovative approaches stemming from participatory assessments with refugees, Governments, humanitarian and development actors, private sector, and civil society, with a view to systematically expand Cash-Based Interventions (CBIs) and other initiatives aimed at alleviating the dependency of refugees on aid.

5. Maintaining the civilian and humanitarian character of camps.

6. Promoting social cohesion between refugees and host communities through implementation of targeted resilience programmes.

### 2019 & 2020 Financial Requirements

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### Regional Coordination

The South Sudan situation is coordinated by the UNHCR’s Special Advisor and Regional Refugee Coordinator and his team based out of Nairobi. The 2019-2020 Regional RRP strategic objectives were informed by strategic level inter-agency meetings of Regional RRP partners convened by the Regional Refugee Coordination Office which took place after the joint launch of the Regional RRP and HRP on the South Sudan situation by the High Commissioner for Refugees and the Emergency Relief Coordinator (ERC) and host Governments in February 2018.

UNHCR works in close collaboration with UN and NGO partners in the development and humanitarian realms and with regional economic communities such as the Intergovernmental Authority for Development to ensure a regionally coordinated response to the regional South Sudanese crisis.

The complete list of the 92 partners involved in the 2019/2020 South Sudan Regional RRP is provided on the following page.

### For More Information

South Sudan Situation Data Portal - [https://data.unhcr.org/southsudan](https://data.unhcr.org/southsudan)

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• African Humanitarian Aid and Development Agency
• African Women and Youth Action for Development
• Agency for Technical Cooperation and Development
• American Refugee Committee
• Almanar Voluntary Organization
• Association for Aid and Relief Japan
• Association of Volunteers in International Service
• Bethany Christian Service Global, LLC
• Building Resources Across Communities
• Catholic Agency for Overseas Development
• Care and Assistance For Forced Migrants
• CARE International
• Caritas Uganda
• Catholic Organization for Relied and Development Aid
• Catholic Relief Services
• Concern WorldWide
• Cooperazione e Sviluppo
• Danish Church Aid
• Danish Refugee Council
• Don Bosco
• Doctors with Africa
• Enabel
• FH
• Film Aid International

• Finn Church Aid
• Food and Agriculture Organization
• Global Aid Hand
• Gesellschaft fuer Internationale Zusammenarbeit
• GOAL
• Handicap International
• Help Age International
• Humane Africa Mission
• ICCO
• Impact Initiatives
• International Aid Services
• International Medical Corps
• International Organization for Migration
• International Rescue Committee
• Islamic Relief
• IsraAid
• Johanniter
• Kenya Red Cross Society
• LKAD
• Lutheran World Federation
• Lutheran World Relief
• Malteser International
• Medical Teams International
• Mercy Corps
• Nada Elazhar for Disaster Prevention and Sustainable Development
• National Council of Churches of Kenya
• Norwegian Church Aid
• Norwegian Refugee Council
• OXFAM
• Peace Winds Japan
• Plan International
• Refugee Consortium of Kenya

• Relief International
• Right to Play
• Samaritan's Purse
• Sanivation
• Save the Children International
• Self Help Africa
• SNV NDO
• Swiss Contact
• Transcultural Psychosocial Organization
• Trócaire
• Tutapona Trauma Rehabilitation
• Uganda Red Cross Society
• United Methodist Committee on Relief
• United Nations Development Programme
• United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
• United Nations Industrial Development Organization
• United Nations Children's Fund
• United Nations Office for Project Services
• United Nations Population Fund
• United Peace Organization
• UNWOMEN
• War Child Canada
• War Child Holland
• Water Mission
• Welthungerhilfe
• WHH
• Windle International Kenya
• Windle International Uganda
• World Food Programme
• World Health Organization
• World Vision International
• ZOA International