

## Overview

The continuing unrest in Myanmar may result in more individuals escaping persecution and generalized violence, many of whom may cross the border into Thailand to request international protection and assistance from the protection sector partners. The partners continue to prepare for a possible refugee influx through regular inter-agency preparedness discussions, capacity buildings, border monitoring, and other preparedness activities.

## Key Figures

 **22**  
Partners

 **10**  
Provinces

 **11**  
Activities

 **137**  
Staff Trained

 **88%**  
Preparedness level

**Funding\***  **\$2.3M** **1.1M (48%)** **1.2M**  
As of Sept 2021      Appealed      Funded      Gap

\* Funding shown only funding earmarked specifically to activities included in the appeal; does not reflect funding that some partners have received at broader levels of earmarking (country, subregional, regional)

## Response



### Protection

**1,137** Individuals reached with in-kind material assistance (NFI)  
**24** Advocacy initiatives



### Gender-based violence (GBV)

**114** Front line responders trained



### Preparedness activities

**137** Staff trained (Internal capacity building)  
**20** Beneficiaries of Internal contingency planning  
**10** Partners trained (Capacity building for implementing partners / local CBOs besides staff)  
**6** Emergency staff deployed  
**4** Assessments

The protection sector partners at the field and national levels continue to hold regular protection preparedness activities to discuss protection needs and strategies. Trainings on protection mainstreaming, community-based approaches, and child protection were conducted for staff, frontliners, and Community-based and Civil Society organisations (CSO/CBOs). Protection referral pathways were finalised and an exercise to identify other CSO/CBOs for future inclusion in the preparedness is underway.

## Partner Operational Presence

### Mae Hong Son:

COERR Foundation, IRC, KNWO, LSNF, Terre des hommes, DCCN, UNHCR, UNICEF

### Tak:

COERR Foundation, COERR, HRDF, HWF, IRC, NA, SCI, SNF, SPF, SVA, UNHCR

### Kanchanaburi:

COERR Foundation, One Sky Foundation, UNHCR, UNICEF

### Prachuap Khiri Khan:

DISAC, UNICEF, UNHCR

### Ranong:

DISAC, UNICEF



### Chiang Rai:

Mirror Foundation, Terre des hommes, UNHCR, UNICEF

### Chiang Mai:

DCCN, Mirror Foundation, Terre des hommes, UNHCR, UNICEF

### Bangkok:

UNHCR, UNICEF

### Chumphon:

DISAC, UNICEF

## Challenges

It is still unclear whether individuals in need of protection can cross into an area where the protection sector partners can provide protection and assistance, and whether UNHCR can register the individuals. UNHCR continues to advocate for access to territory and protection, and with humanitarian partners stand ready to address the physical and security needs of the individuals.

## Partners

COERR FOUNDATION, CORRE, DCCN, DISAC, HRDF, HWF, IRC, KNOW, KNWO, LSNF, Mirror Foundation, One Sky Foundation, SCI, Sermpanya - Foundation (SPF), Shanti Volunteer Association (SVA), SNF, SWF, Terre des hommes, UNHCR, UNICEF

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