



WFP Tanzania

Situation Report #62

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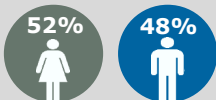
In Numbers

348,019 people affected

3 districts affected

253,112 Burundian influx since April 2015

Beneficiaries



Shortfalls/Pipeline Break

Rations of maize meal were reduced to 70 percent for July distributions. A pipeline break is anticipated from August for cereals, followed by Super cereal and vegetable oil if funds are not forthcoming. Super Cereal ration could be reduced by 40 percent. In May and June rations of maize meal were distributed at 80 percent. The table below provides shortfalls over the next 3, 6, 9 and 12 month period based on WFP's planning figure for the Refugee Operation.

Period	Shortfalls (US\$)*
Jul 2017 - Sep 2017	7.4 million
Jul 2017 - Dec 2017	26.3 million
Jul 2017 - Mar 2017	48.6 million
Jul 2017 - Jun 2017	68.3 million

*Cumulative



Tanzania: Emergency Food Assistance to Burundian Refugees

Highlights

WFP is experiencing a critical shortfall in funding. Rations have been reduced and a pipeline break in cereals expected in August.

ECHO has contributed Euro 2 million towards the Cash Based Transfer (CBT) initiative.

The number of CBT beneficiaries has been expanded from 10,000 to 30,000 under the CBT.

Situation Update

Within the East African region, Tanzania hosts the largest population of new Burundian refugees. There are currently 348,000 refugees in Tanzania, of which 253,000 are Burundians who have arrived since April 2015 and the remaining are mostly Congolese. Refugees in Tanzania are hosted at three camps: Nyarugusu, Nduta and Mtendeli. The population at Nduta Refugee Camp is over 126,000 and Mtendeli Refugee Camp has 50,000 refugees (30 June, <http://data.unhcr.org/burundi>).

WFP Response

Food Assistance

WFP is providing dry food rations and Supplementary Feeding at all three camps. Hot meals are served to new arrivals at transit and reception centres. As of 30 June, a cumulative total of 65,512 mt of food commodities had been distributed to new Burundian refugees. This included:

- 1,097 mt served as hot meals to refugees at Reception/ Transit Centres.
- 62,088 mt of dry rations provided to refugees. Dry rations include maize meal, pulses, oil, salt and Super Cereal.
- 50 mt of High Energy Biscuits and dates distributed as ready to eat food to 109,718 refugees in transit from various Reception/Transit Centres.
- 1,055 mt of Super Cereal Plus provided to 54,939 children between 6-23 months and 6-59 months of age to prevent stunting and micro nutrient deficiencies, respectively; and
- 1,222 mt of various food commodities provided to 67,419 beneficiaries including pregnant and lactating women, children with moderate acute malnutrition, HIV patients on medication and hospital in-patients.



Supply Chain Unit

- As the lead agency in logistics, WFP provides end-to-end supply chain solutions including transportation of food and non-food items, warehousing, clearing and forwarding. Supply Chain Unit has started using multimodal transport to expand the delivery capacity. WFP Tanzania extends its supply chain services to Partners and UN agencies while working to strengthen capacity within the country.

Partnerships

- WFP's co-operating partner, the Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA) carries out General Food Distribution at Nyarugusu Refugee Camp.
- WFP has partnered with World Vision Tanzania to carry out General Food Distribution at Nduta, and Mtendeli Refugee Camps.
- Under a tripartite agreement with UNHCR and WFP, wet feeding (provision of hot meals) is implemented by: Danish Refugee Council (DRC) at Nduta and Mtendeli Refugee Camps; Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC) at Nyarugusu Refugee Camp; and Relief to Development Society (REDESO) and Caritas at Transit/ Reception Centres.
- Tanzania Red Cross Society (TRCS) and World Vision Tanzania implement the Supplementary Feeding Programme at the camps with food and human resources provided by WFP.
- WFP works with the Ministry of Home Affairs, Tanzania Red Cross Society, World Vision Tanzania, UNHCR, UNICEF and Médecins Sans Frontières to deliver nutrition messaging in order to address barriers to proper child nutrition, such as inappropriate infant and young child feeding practices.
- Airtel is the service provider for WFP's Cash Based Transfer initiative at Nyarugusu Refugee Camp.
- Nutrition-sensitive agriculture support to host community in Kasulu District is provided through Farm from a Box (FFAB).

Resourcing Update

- In 2017 confirmed contributions towards WFP's Refugee Operation include: the European Commission's Humanitarian Aid and Civil Protection Department (ECHO) - Euro 2 million; France - Euro 250,000; Food for Peace - US\$ 17.3 million; Italy - Euro 200,000.
- In 2016 contributions towards WFP's Refugee Operation included: Denmark - DKK 6 million; Germany - Euro 6.5 million; Ireland - Euro 500,000; Switzerland - CHF 50,000; UK Department for International Development (DFID) - GBP 5 million; France - Euro 750,000; Canada - CAD 500,000; the European Commission's Humanitarian Aid and Civil Protection Department (ECHO) - Euro 1.3 million; CERF - US\$2 million; Japan - US\$1.8 million; Food for Peace - US\$15 million.
- Since April 2015, upon the start of the emergency, contributions towards WFP's Refugee Operation included: Germany - Euro 14 million; Belgium - Euro 1 million; DFID - GBP 1.5 million; USA/Food for Peace - US\$3 million; UN Central Emergency Response Fund (CERF) - US\$2.3 million; and ECHO - US\$1.9 million.
- With increasing numbers of refugees, and to sustain current refugees, WFP is continuing to raise funds.

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