

Key messages

- On July 16, the WHO declared an Ebola International Health Emergency, following the first case diagnosed in Goma, DRC, a twin city to the northwestern Rwanda city of Gisenyi/Rubavu. This declaration prompted more rigorous screenings and additional control measures along the border, as a second case was confirmed at the end of July. However, preliminary information indicates that this has not reduced the number of people, estimated at 60,000, crossing the border daily to buy food for own consumption or for trade. (FEWSNET Rwanda, July 2019)
- According to UNHCR, Rwanda hosts 149,060 refugees as of 31st July 2019. World Vision continues to respond to the needs of refugees living in refugee camps through supporting education access for refugee children by implementing school feeding programmes, paying incentives to teachers and payment of school fees across five camps. WorldVision also rehabilitates water, sanitation and hygiene facilities in the refugee camps making sure children and their families have access to clean and safe potable water.

Response highlights



WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE

- Clean water was supplied to 31,267 Refugee and Host community members in Mugombwa and Kigeme refugee camps.
- Hygiene promotion was conducted in Kigeme and Mugombwa Refugee camps. A total of 9,971 people were reached through the hygiene promotion campaign.



EDUCATION

- World Vision Rwanda supported 29,003 refugee children to access education through ECD, Primary and Secondary schools. The support included teacher's incentives, school feeding and school fees for students in boarding schools for children in Mugombwa, Kigeme, Kiziba, Gicumbi and Nyabiheke Refugee Camps.

Response achievements

Reporting period July 01 - July 31, 2019



70,241

people reached with humanitarian assistance



50,035

children reached with humanitarian assistance



29,003

children reached with education assistance



41,238

people reached with water, sanitation and hygiene assistance

Humanitarian needs



155,038

people in need of humanitarian assistance



82,170

children in need of humanitarian assistance



27,596

people in need of education assistance



31,456

people in need of water, sanitation and hygiene assistance

Funding needs

Water, sanitation & hygiene

\$ 1.52 M (100%)

Education

€ 1.26 M (86%) 200,000 (14%)

TOTAL

\$ US\$ 2.76 M US\$ 200,000

● Funding received

● Funding gap

*All financial figures in US\$

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