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. World Vision 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.

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

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
- 29,003 children reached with education assistance
- 50,035 children reached with humanitarian assistance
- 41,238 people reached with water, sanitation and hygiene assistance

Funding needs

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