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EAST AFRICA CHILDREN CRISIS SITUATION REPORT AUGUST 1 - AUGUST 31 2018

Key messages

- **Refugees in Rwanda:** Currently, Rwanda hosts an estimated 174,922 refugees (figures as of 30, October 2017), of these over 54.3% are from Burundi while, slightly over 45.3% are from the DRC and the rest are from other nationalities.
- Threat of refugee influx from the DRC: Due to violence and political tensions in the DRC ahead of the December elections, there are concerns of influx of refugees into Rwanda. The UN Refugee Agency (UNHCR) estimates that 30,000 refugees will flee to Rwanda within the next 12 to 24 months.
- **Recovery strategy:** The Ministry of Disaster Management and Refugees in partnership with International NGOs and national NGOs is developing a recovery strategy to ensure people affected by the May 2018 floods and landslides are supported. The recovery strategy will be shared with partners for validation and funds mobilization.
- World Vision aims to scale up response: To meet the overwhelming needs of the refugees, World Vision's response programme in refugee camps is seeking \$US2.6 million to reach the 76,000 most vulnerable groups in five refugee camps hosting DRC refugees.

Gaps and needs

Funding to support education programmes across five refugee camps is critical. Currently, there's a funding gap of \$US347, 000 to supplement available fund from the UN Refugee Agency (UNHCR) and World Vision Rwanda match fund.

Humanitarian needs



Response highlights

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WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE

26,682 refugees living in Mugombwa and Kigeme Refugee camps are accessing clean water installed inside the refugee camps. World Vision supported the construction of seven shower rooms in Kigeme refugee camp and seven blocks of latrines in Mugombwa refugee camps. World Vision conducted hygiene promotion campaigns in both camps that reached 8,830 people.

27,326 refugee children in early childhood, primary and secondary schools living in Mugombwa, Kigeme, Kiziba, Gicumbi and Nyabiheke refugee camps received educational support in the form of school fees, school feeding, and teachers of these schools received support in the form of incentives.

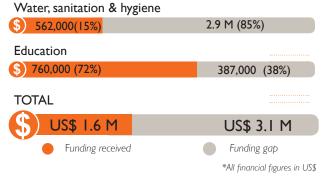
Response achievements





29,352 people reached with clean water and sanitation

Funding needs



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