**Key messages**

- **Refugee population:** There are an estimated 174,922 refugees living in Rwanda, of these over 54% are from Burundi while, slightly over 45% are from the Democratic Republic of Congo and the rest are from other nationalities (figures as of October 2017).

- **DRC election preparedness:** World Vision has been part of an inter-agency contingency planning task force led by UNHCR and the Ministry in charge of disaster management, to provide a timely response to the possible influx of refugees from the Democratic Republic of Congo.

- **Supporting education for refugees:** World Vision continues to support education interventions in five refugee camps through payment of school fees, school feeding, and incentives for refugee teachers. At least 27,000 refugees are being supported to access primary and secondary education.

**Gaps and needs**

- World Vision is grateful for the support of partner UNHCR in supplementing funding for education and WASH projects and continues to call for sustained funding in order to continue supporting thousands of refugees.

- For 2019 financial year, World Vision Rwanda will need an additional USD 400,000 to smoothly run the education programme for refugees.

**Response highlights**

**WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE**

- **Providing clean water:** 29,930 refugees living in Mugombwa and Kigeme refugee camps have access to clean water through World Vision supported water systems.

- **Hygiene awareness:** World Vision conducted hygiene promotion awareness sessions that reached 10,592 refugees in Mugombwa and Kigeme refugee camps.

**EDUCATION**

- **Support for refugee children:** World Vision education programmes supported 27,092 refugee children to attend early childhood, primary and secondary school education. The support was in the form of school feeding programme, school fees payment, and incentives for teachers. In total, 15,407 children are enrolled in primary school, 7,043 in secondary school, 4,642 in early childhood, and 36 special needs support.

**Response achievements**

*Reporting period NOVEMBER 01 - NOVEMBER 30, 2018*

- **29,712** reached with education assistance

- **29,352** people reached with clean water and sanitation

**Humanitarian needs**

- **75,262** people in need of humanitarian assistance

- **39,888** people in need of education assistance

**Funding needs**

- **Water, sanitation & hygiene**
  - Funding received: $562,000 (15%)
  - Funding gap: $2,9 M (85%)

- **Education**
  - Funding received: $1.2M (76%)
  - Funding gap: $387,000 (24%)

- **TOTAL**
  - Funding received: $1.76 M
  - Funding gap: $3.2 M

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**National office donors & partners**

- **UNHCR**
  - Match fund Education and WASH projects in refugee camps

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