Key messages

- **Refugees in the country:** There are an estimated 292,646 refugees living in Tanzania (75% are from Burundi). Nyarugusu refugee camp hosts more than half (152,894), Nduta refugee camp (101,038) and Mtendeli camp (38,714). Other refugees are from the Democratic Republic of Congo, a majority of whom are fleeing conflict and political instability in their country.

- **World Vision response to refugees:** World Vision is one of the humanitarian agencies operating in the refugee camps and is particularly providing food assistance to refugees in three refugee camps, situated northwest of Tanzania.

- **Preparedness for upcoming elections in DRC:** Humanitarian agencies such as World Vision are reviewing their contingency and preparedness plans in readiness to respond to the possibility of refugee influx from neighbouring Democratic Republic of Congo as the country goes into the presidential polls on December 23rd, 2018.

**Humanitarian needs**

- **222,823 people in need**
- **113,640 children in need**
- **75,314 number in need of education assistance**

**Response highlights**

**FOOD ASSISTANCE**

World Vision distributed assorted food commodities to 137,444 refugees through the general food distribution (GFD) programme. A total of 1,960 metric tons of food was distributed.

**LEARNING EVENT**

World Vision facilitated a learning event on floods response that brought together participants from the government, community members and their leaders.

**Response achievements**

- **144,270 people reached with food security and livelihoods**
- **83,677 children reached with food security and livelihoods**
- **36,315 people reached with nutrition services**
- **25,757 children reached with nutrition services**

**Funding needs (Continued from 2017)**

**Food security & livelihoods**

- **$721,250 (30%)**
- **$300,000 (30%)**

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**Funding gap**

- **$421,250**

**World Food Programme**

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