



World Vision

# Uganda

Refugee Response  
Appeal



## UGANDA – Children's crisis appeal

## Key messages

- **Refugees in Uganda:** Over 1 million South Sudanese refugees have arrived in Uganda since January 2014. UN Refugee Agency (UNHCR) estimates that a total of 285,398 Congolese refugees and asylum seekers are living in refugee settlements in Uganda. 84,369 new arrivals reported between January and June 2018.
- **Children exposed to significant risks:** Children account for 65% of the refugee population in the refugee settlements hosting both South Sudanese refugees (in Northern Uganda) and DRC refugees (in Southwest Uganda). They face the risk of abuse like child labour, sexual exploitation, psychological distress and separation from their families.
- **Extra protection for children:** Unaccompanied Minors and children separated from their families are among the most vulnerable children in the various refugee settlements. Extra protection is needed for children, and support needed to manage child protection violations and issues rampant at community levels.
- **Children affected by conflict missing out on education:** Children who missed their opportunity to acquire basic education back in South Sudan, lack suitable alternative options for continuing with their education, which creates the need for Accelerated Learning Programmes (ALPs) to enable these children catch up with their peers who have progressed. Support is required to facilitate hiring, training and remuneration of teachers, and provision of teaching and learning materials.

## Humanitarian needs



# 1.2 million

people in need of humanitarian assistance



748,260

children in need of humanitarian assistance



955,907

people in need of clean  
water and sanitation



898,828

people in need of food  
security and livelihoods



# 2.8 million

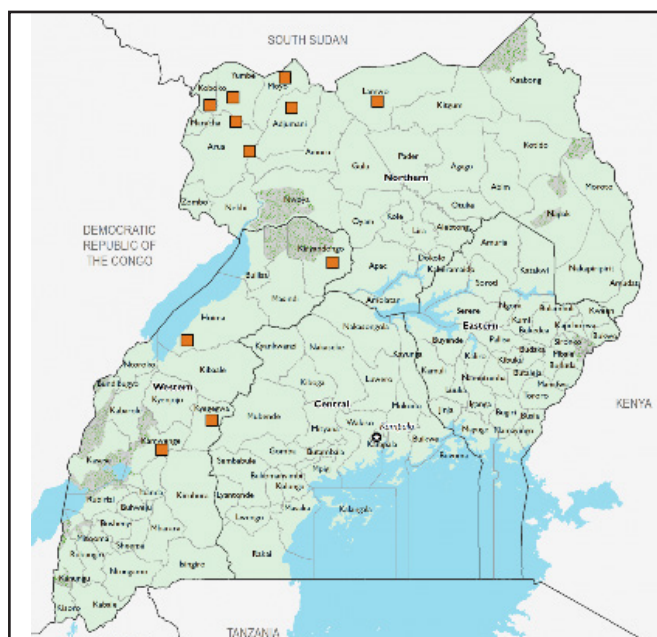
children in need of  
protection



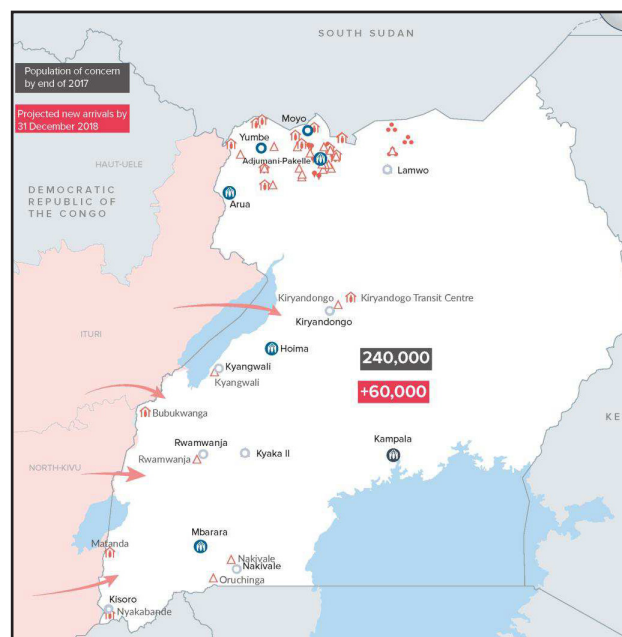
179,000

children in need of  
education assistance

### Food insecurity (Oct 2018 -Jan 2019)

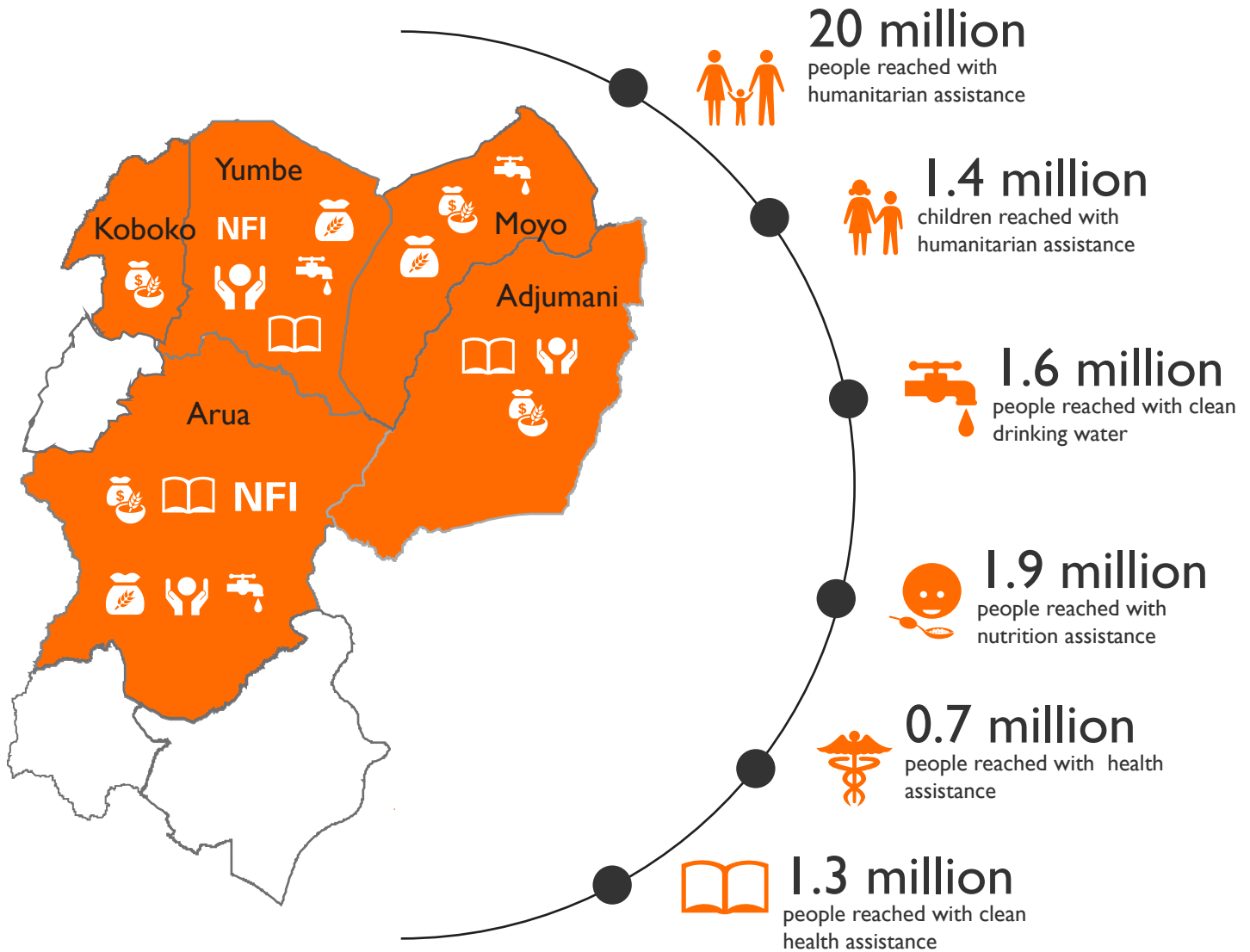


### Projected people of concern by 31<sup>st</sup> Dec

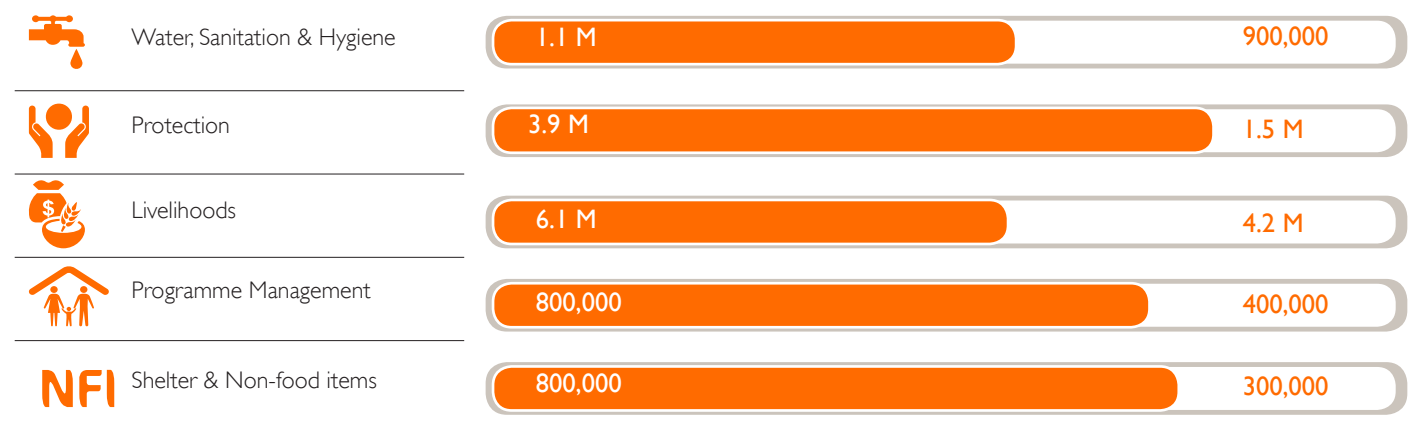


# West Nile response

## World Vision response achievements



## GAPS AND FUNDING REQUIREMENTS



Funding received

Funding gap

# South West Response

## RESPONSE TARGETS



Resilience and  
livelihoods

4,150  
people



Food  
Assistance

114,189  
people



Skills training  
for youth

400  
people



Protection

12,500  
people

## GAPS AND FUNDING REQUIREMENTS



Food Security and Livelihoods

3.6 M

2.5 M



Water, Sanitation & Hygiene

1.5 M



Nutrition

1.5 M



Protection

1.65 M



Education

1.45 M

**TOTAL**



3.6 M

8.5 M



Funding received



Funding gap

# OUR PROMISES

## Beneficiary Selection

Focus of the beneficiary identification and selection will largely be influenced by registered persons with specific needs that comprise of the vulnerable groups in the categories of unaccompanied minors, separated children, foster families, child headed households and households with disability. Sector working groups meetings and settlement coordination meetings will provide avenues to review gaps and needs that exist in the settlements to enable World Vision refocus its beneficiary targeting and selection given the ever changing context in the refugee settlement. Economically active refugee and host communities as well as youths, boys, girls and women will be targeted for the livelihood activities.

## Coordination

WV has been coordinating closely with key stakeholders, including the Office of the Prime Minister (OPM) through the refugee desk office, and UNHCR in Mbarara (South West) and at national level. WV will continue to work closely with the OPM representatives based in Kyaka and Kyangwali. World Vision will continue to partner with the central and local government, WFP, UNHCR and UNICEF. World Vision will also enhance its engagements with local and multi-national businesses.

WV staff will take part in weekly settlement administration and coordination meetings which are convened by the OPM and UNHCR. World Vision will also ensure participation in all relevant sector Working Groups meetings as well as inter-agency meetings for effective collaboration and harmonised implementation of project interventions.

## Capacity

World Vision Uganda is currently implementing category III (World Vision's highest level of categorisation for an emergency) refugee response in West Nile responding to the South Sudanese Refugee Crisis. The Southwest Uganda will draw a lot of technical support from the WNRR as well as the National Disaster Management Team (NDMT) and Disaster Management teams at the regional office and global offices. Response teams will be drawn from the pool of the current Disaster Management teams at the regional office and NDMT that was recently trained and are available for deployment. Hoima Area Program will closely support the operations in Kyangwali settlement because of its proximity and a separate response office will be opened near Kyaka II to support the response in that settlement.

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