### Key messages

- **South Sudanese refugees**: Uganda continues to receive new arrivals from South Sudan though the daily average arrival rate has considerably gone down compared to the last six months. At least 50 people are being received daily compared to the over 2,000 daily arrivals that were registered in mid-2017. Children constitute 61 per cent of the refugees in the settlements.

- **Education for refugee children**: Ongoing active conflict in South Sudan continues to drive South Sudanese into Uganda. New arrivals have also mentioned that they are crossing into Uganda so that their children can access good education and health care services.

- **From aid dependence to self reliance**: A growing number of refugees are now engaging in small-scale vegetable crop production and running small enterprises. There is a growing transition from in-kind aid for food and livelihoods, to an approach that emphasises partnerships with local businesses, reductions of subsidies and demand-driven, market-based, livelihoods support.

- **Refugees from the DR Congo**: Violence and civil unrest in the Democratic Republic of Congo has led massive influx of Congolese refugees into Uganda with a total of 84,369 new arrivals reported between January and June 2018 with an average of 7,000 monthly arrivals.

- **Children at risk**: There are gaps in areas of case management for children at risk and separated families, hence there is need of building and supporting effective foster family system to provide care and support to unaccompanied minors and children at risk.

### Number of refugees in Uganda

**Source**: UNHCR, Regional refugee response plan, January - December 2018

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<th>Refugee settlement</th>
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<td>KAMPALA</td>
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<td>MARACHA</td>
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### Humanitarian needs

- **898,828** people in need of humanitarian assistance
- **577,022** children in need of humanitarian assistance
- **898,828** people in need of food security and livelihoods assistance
- **898,828** children are in need of water, sanitation and hygiene assistance
- **179,000** children are in need of protection assistance

### Gaps and Needs

- **Learning centres for children**: There is an urgent need to establish Child Friendly Spaces in Kyaka and Kyangwali refugee settlements to facilitate learning for children who constitute a majority of the population.

- **Priority sectors**: Vital services like clean water, sanitation and hygiene are in short supply. Refugees do not have a means of earning income and hence require livelihoods support to access income and support their families.

### South West funding needs

- **World Vision requires US$8.5 million** to respond to the DRC refugees crisis in southwest Uganda. Total value received in-kind (food assistance/GIK) is $US67.8 million.

### Funding needs

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<td>Programme Management</td>
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<td>NFI</td>
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<td>Water, sanitation &amp; hygiene</td>
<td>1.1 M (53%)</td>
<td>900,000 (47%)</td>
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<td>Child protection</td>
<td>3.9 M (85%)</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL</strong></td>
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*All financial figures in US$
Response highlights

**WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE**

- World Vision conducted hygiene and sanitation awareness for 1,257 people (812 female, 445 male). 210 were from the Host Community, and 1,047 from the Refugee Community in Palorinya settlement.

**RECEPTION CENTRE MANAGEMENT**

- The reception centres received a total of 973 individuals who are from 389 households, 98 of whom are Persons with Special Needs.
- World Vision provides hot meals to new arrivals, overnight shelter facilities, hygiene and sanitation facilities, and temporal foster care for unaccompanied children plus referral of cases to various partners in the receptions centre in Imvepi and Omugo.

**CHILD PROTECTION**

- World Vision reached a total of 71,607 children (35,990 boys: 35,617 girls) through child protection interventions. These included: Child Friendly Spaces, Early Childhood Development, peace building, case management, ending child marriage project activities and strengthening community child protection systems. 54,355 (30,406 boys and 23,949 girls) children are currently enrolled for psychosocial support in the 42 Child Friendly Spaces that World Vision runs with a daily average attendance of 33,496 (17,254 boys: 16242 girls) children.

**NON FOOD ITEMS (NFIs)**

- 13,651 refugees (5,940 households) in Omuga, Bidibidi and Imvepi settlements were supported with core relief items like sanitary kits (soap, underwear and sanitary pads), household items like jerrican, sleeping mats, and mosquito nets. Other items provided were digging tools.

**RESILIENCE AND LIVELIHOODS**

- 15,485 vulnerable households consisting of 5,091 refugees and 10,394 members from host communities were supported with agricultural input such as oxen, ox-ploughs and improved seeds to boost their agricultural production. The beneficiaries also received goats and poultry.

**FOOD ASSISTANCE**

**WEST NILE**

- In July, World Vision provided food assistance to 403,166 people in Arua, Yumbe and Moyo refugee settlements. A total of 6,867 metric tons of assorted food commodities consisting of salt, Corn Soy Blend (CSB), cereals, pulses and vegetable oil was distributed.

**SOUTH WEST**

- World Vision began food distribution on July 18 and distributed food and cash. 52,424 people in Kyaka II and Kyangwali refugee settlements received food. In total, 1,173 metric tons of food was distributed. 26,880 people received cash to buy household items (in total $ 227,621 was distributed).

Response achievements

**Reporting period July 01 - July 31, 2018**

- 10,445 people reached with food security and livelihoods
- 1,079 children reached with food security and livelihoods
- 403,166 people reached with food assistance
- 145,653 children reached with food assistance
- 86,553 people reached with protection services
- 74,534 children reached with protection services
- 19,122 people reached with education
- 2,600 people reached with clean water and sanitation
- 11,560 people reached with essential relief items
- 7,514 children reached with essential relief items
- 403,166 people reached with life-saving humanitarian assistance in July 2018
- 266,813 children reached with life-saving humanitarian assistance in July 2018
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Response locations

- Education
- Food assistance
- Food security & livelihoods
- Protection
- WASH
- Health & nutrition

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Response locations

- Koboko
- Yumbe
- Moyo
- Adjumani
- Arua

Monthly achievements

- JULY
  - 431,166 people
  - 266,813 children
- JUNE
  - 395,452 people
  - 266,813 children

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