

## Situation Overview

The humanitarian community is preparing an addendum to the 2023 Humanitarian Response Plan to target **25,000 people** most affected by the crisis in Sudan in need of immediate assistance, namely IDPs and the host population. This is due to the insecurity along the border area, causing a sharp increase in the price of basic commodities.

**The northern region of CAR** was already experiencing **acute food insecurity**, which is projected to reach one of its most severe stages by August if an adequate response is not forthcoming. **10,368 people, including 3,456 Central African returnees**, have preventively crossed the border from Sudan and are living in host families and spontaneous settlements in Am-Dafock, CAR.

**Women and children** constitute **98 per cent of asylum seekers** and **87 per cent of returnees**. Their number is expected to increase as registration is underway, including consolidation of lists between Government partners and the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR). **Am-Dafock** is in a **flood-prone area** and with the **rainy season coming this month, access will be extremely limited**.

The humanitarian community is working hard to ensure that those in need receive required assistance in a timely manner, including in adapting logistical arrangements.

## Key concerns

- **Humanitarian needs** were already severe in CAR with 3.4 million people - 56 percent of the population - in need of assistance and protection. The [2023 Humanitarian Response Plan](#), which aims to assist 2.4 million of the most vulnerable Central Africans, is only **24% funded**. The capacity to absorb additional needs is very limited.
- **Central African Republic** is facing a precarious security situation that is hindering agricultural and economic activities, affecting the availability of food, and limiting the population's opportunities to restore their livelihoods.
- **Agriculture** is a central means of livelihood for the majority of the population in the Central African Republic, employing 70% of the population and being the main source of income and food for rural households.
- **The security situation**, conflicts between farmers and herders, and the use of explosives on roads are hindering agricultural and economic activities, affecting the availability of food, and limiting the population's opportunities to restore their livelihoods.
- **Inflation and high food prices** are affecting households' access to food, with nearly half of households having a monthly income of less than US\$ 50 (30,000 XAF).



## CAR Arrivals Update



**13,824 new arrivals including 98% women and children 2% of men.**  
Source : [UNHCR](#)



**10,368 asylum seekers and 3,456 returnees.**



**138 families (386 people) have relocated from Am-Dafock to Birao, a safer area identified by authorities further away from the border with Sudan.**



**Am-Dafock is in a flood-prone area and with the rainy season that started in May, access will be extremely limited.**

## World Vision's response focus and priorities

Our goal is to provide emergency assistance to **18,000 vulnerable people affected by the crisis in the Vakaga Prefecture in Central African Republic**. Our response plan has four strategic objectives: **providing child protection and protection services for vulnerable groups, basic life-saving assistance for emergency needs such as food, shelter, and non-food items, improved access to safe drinking water for vulnerable households, and access to health services for crisis-affected populations.**

Our response plan includes activities such as cash and voucher distribution, drilling new boreholes, constructing latrines, distributing hygiene kits and mosquito nets, providing psychosocial support, creating safe spaces for children, and GBV intervention. **The response timeline is six months (June 1 – November 31, 2023), and the target budget is US\$ 2,396,608.**

Our response plan aims to benefit 7,500 adults, and 10,500 children, and provide support to 1,000 vulnerable host households.



### Food

- Cash and Voucher distribution to **18,000 beneficiaries** for a period of 4 months.
- Drilling new boreholes or rehabilitating old ones for **3,000 households (36 boreholes)**.
- Construction of Latrines for **2,000 households**.
- Distribution of hygiene kits for **2,000 households**.
- Equip WASH committees with skills and equipment to maintain water points and latrines.



### Water, Sanitation & Hygiene

- Distribution of mosquito nets to **3,000 households**.



### Health

- Provide Psychosocial support to **2,000 affected families**.
- Create safe space for children for **2,000 households (at a rate of 1 per 1,000 persons)**.
- GBV intervention (prevention programs, response, and support services, capacity building of communities and local organizations).



### Protection

## World Vision's response

World Vision CAR is distributing 10,000 mosquito nets to refugees and returnees. World Vision has deployed a Response Programme Manager and two support staff in Birao. They are participating in coordination meetings that cover various topics, including updates on the recommendations from the previous meeting, the security situation in Vakaga, the relocation of asylum seekers and spontaneous returnees to Birao, and the preparations for their relocation, such as the construction of communal shelters, the provision of healthcare services, and the establishment of a water supply system. A plan has been put in place to coordinate refugee assistance efforts with the government's support through the National Committee for Refugees. The UNHCR will establish focal points in Amdafock and Birao to coordinate activities, and daily coordination meetings will be held with partners and sectoral discussions with experts. Community protection mechanisms will be implemented to assist those staying in Amdafock, and a sustainable solutions strategy will be implemented to support repatriated refugees. However, security incidents are still present on the Birao-Amdafock axis. The economic infrastructure is current, but the roads are in poor condition and the quality of housing is at its lowest.

## Target reach



**7,500 women and men**



**10,500 girls and boys**

## Resources & Links

CAR Response Plan V1: <https://bit.ly/43yrelG> CAR SitRep #2: <https://bit.ly/45uAs43>

To learn more about World Vision's response, please visit [our website](#).

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## Funding target

US\$ 2,396,608



**Confirmed funding**  
US\$ 84,500

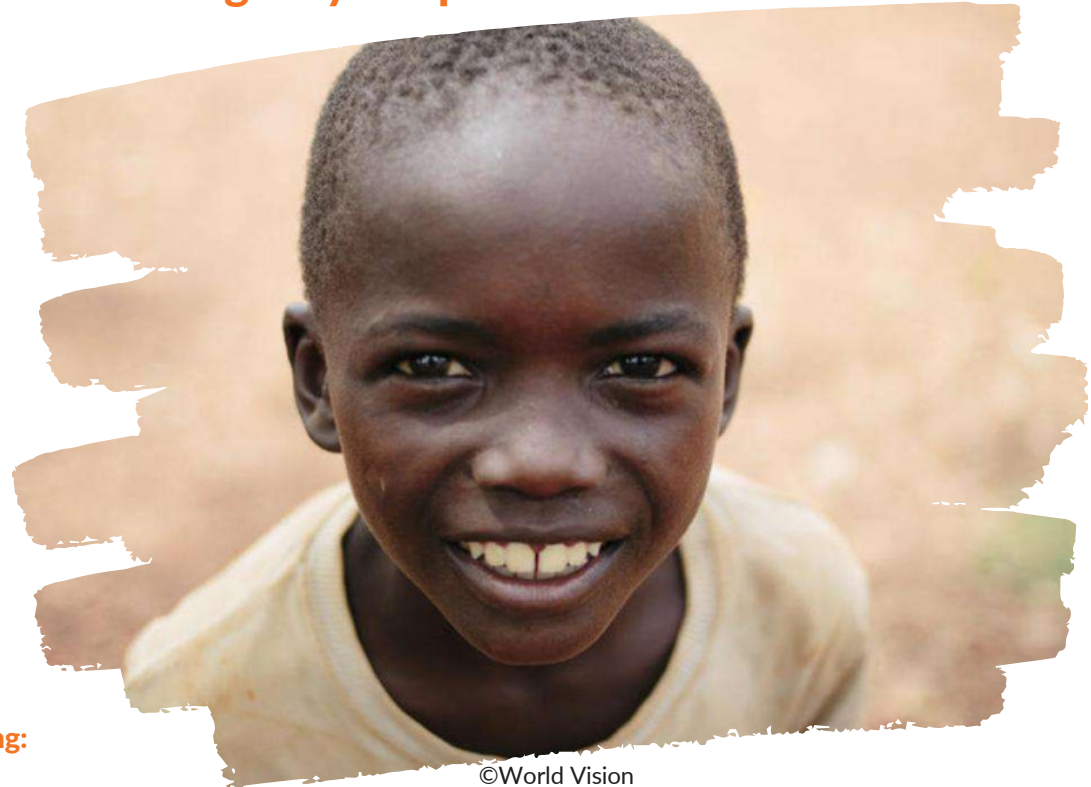
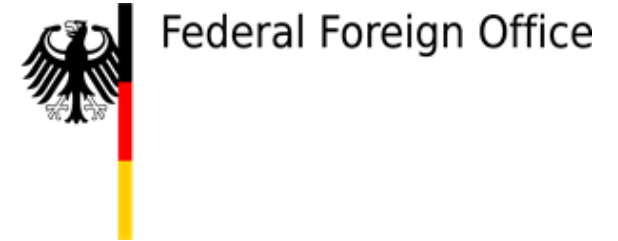
## Funding gap

US\$ 2,158,423

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