

# **EVENT TRACKING TOOL — COVID-19**

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Chad • Logone Oriental Province

Assessment conducted in affected areas

Assessment conducted through phone calls with key informants



The purpose of the Event Tracking Tool is to gather and provide upto-date information on population movement events related to COVID-19. This report presents information on individuals stranded as of **04 June 2020 at the Koutéré Point Of Entry** (in Logone Oriental Province).

## EVENT: INDIVIDUALS STRANDED AT A POINT OF ENTRY



### **AFFECTED POPULATION:**

1,340 Chadian students stranded in Koutéré, while heading to Cameroon



### POINT OF ENTRY (PoE):

Koutéré (Logone Oriental Province)



**STATUS OF PoEs:** Opened for commercial purposes only



#### **MEDICAL MEASURES IN PLACE:**

Temperature screenings. People with high body temperatures are quarantined



**DATE OF EVENT:** Situation as of 04 June 2020



#### **SETTLEMENT TYPES:**

Collective centres



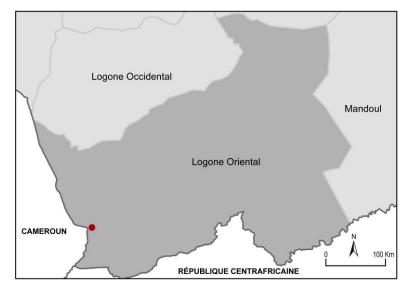
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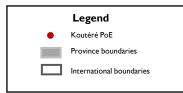
While heading to Cameroon, 1,340 Chadian students have been stranded at the Koutéré PoE due to Cameroonian authorities restrictions.

Key informants reported that following the easing of COVID-19 restrictions in Cameroon, universities reopened on 01 June 2020. However, entry into Cameroon continues to be restricted. Consequently, Cameroonian authorities have not allowed the students to cross the border.

The group stranded in Koutéré are students in Cameroon and returned to Chad when the universities were closed as a result of measures taken by the Cameroonian authorities to limit the spread of COVID-19. The majority of them were quarantined for 14 days when they arrived in Chad.

There are reports that a number of students currently staying in N'Djamena are planning to travel to Cameroon, through Koutéré, in order to resume studies. The number presented in this report was collected on 04 June 2020 and might evolve quickly.





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#### Summary of locations of orgin of stranded students

Locations of origin	Number of students
Sarh (Province of Moyen-Chari)	630
Doba (Province of Logone Oriental)	270
Koumra (Province of Mandoul)	180
Moundou (Province of Logone Occidental)	90
Goré (Province of Logone Oriental)	70
Other	100
Total of stranded students	1 340



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