

EMERGENCY EVENT TRACKING

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CONFLICT



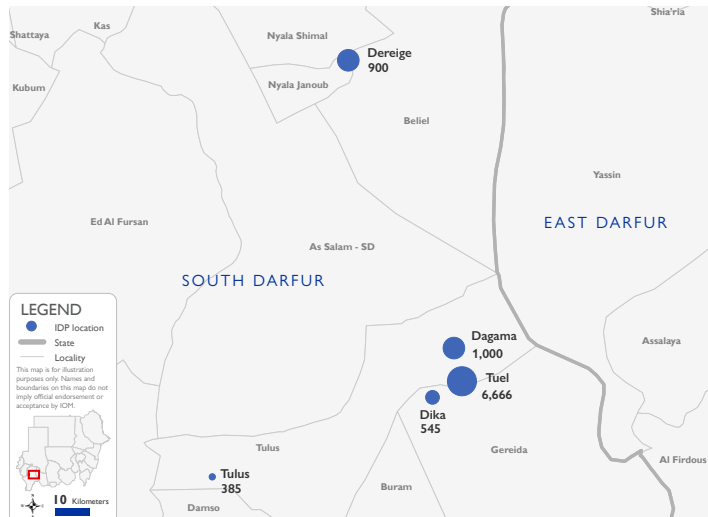
The DTM Emergency Event Tracking (EET) is deployed to track sudden displacement and population movements, provide more frequent updates on the scale of displacement and quantify the affected population when needed. As a subcomponent of the new Mobility Tracking methodology in Sudan (Round One), and activated on a need basis, EET utilises a broad network of key informants to capture best estimates of the affected population presence per location – a useful tool for humanitarian response planning and design.

Event Overview



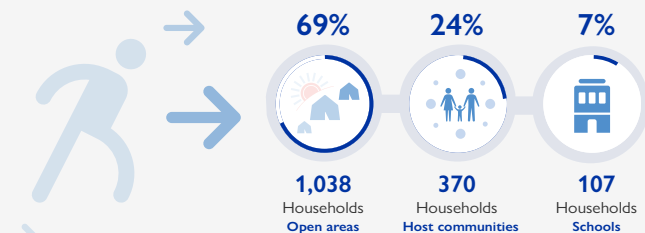
DTM teams activated EET to monitor the displacement of individuals affected by inter-communal conflict between Falata and Arab tribes in Gereida locality, South Darfur. Tensions erupted in and around Tuel village on 18 January 2021, following a violent assault that occurred the day prior. For more information, please see [EET Gereida, South Darfur_001](#).

The second update estimates a total number of 9,496 individuals (1,515 households) displaced across Tuel, Dereige, Tulus, Dika and Dagama villages, and seeking shelter in schools, with host communities as well as gathering in open areas (new caseloads have been identified in Dagama and Dika). Since the first EET, there has been a 51 per cent decrease in the number of individuals displaced due to approximately 1,790 households having now returned to their locations of origin. All individuals are Sudanese nationals. At least 240 individuals of the remaining caseload have additional vulnerabilities in need of assistance and support. Reports still indicate that 61 individuals have been killed and 56 sustained injuries, whilst at least 1,468 internally displaced persons (IDPs) have lost personal belongings and livestock. Based on a ranking scale, the three main priority needs remain non-food items, food and emergency shelter.

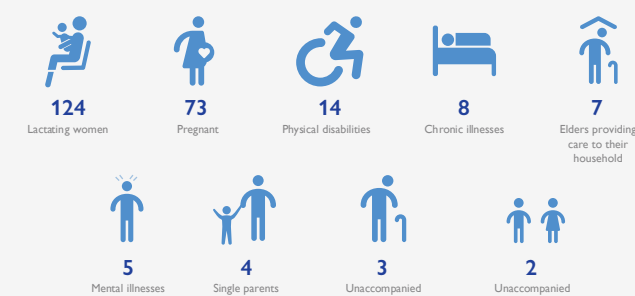


Shelter Indicator

Approximately 107 IDP households (7%) are sheltering in schools located in Tuel village, 370 households (24%) are staying with host communities in Tulus, Dika and Dagama villages, and 1,038 households (69%) are gathering in open areas of Tuel and Dereige villages.



Vulnerabilities



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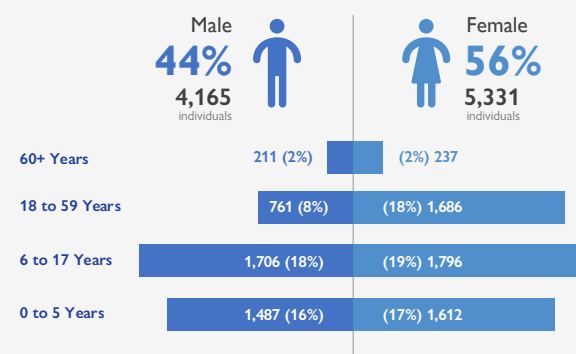
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Priority needs



Demographics



Return Intention

Data collected through the return intention indicator suggests that the majority of IDPs in Dereige and Tulus villages intend to remain in the same place, whilst some IDPs located in Tuel village (where the conflict erupted) intend to remain at the same sites of their former homes and others wish to move to another location. IDPs located in Dika and Dagama villages intend to return to their locations of origin upon improvement of the security situation.