



On March 27 and March 29, fires broke out in Waterboard Camp and GGSS Camp respectively, damaging 53 shelters in total and resulting in a great loss of properties for the affected IDPs.

During the past years, there has been frequent fire outbreaks in the camps in Monguno LGA in Borno State. The fire outbreaks are the major reason for displacement within the camp. These fire outbreaks are often triggered by cooking close to shelters, smoking, and burning of the bush surrounding the camp, destroying belongings and properties of the residents.

As a result of the fire outbreaks, the most needed assistance are shelter, as reported by 63% of the respondents, followed by NFIs (20%) and food (17%).

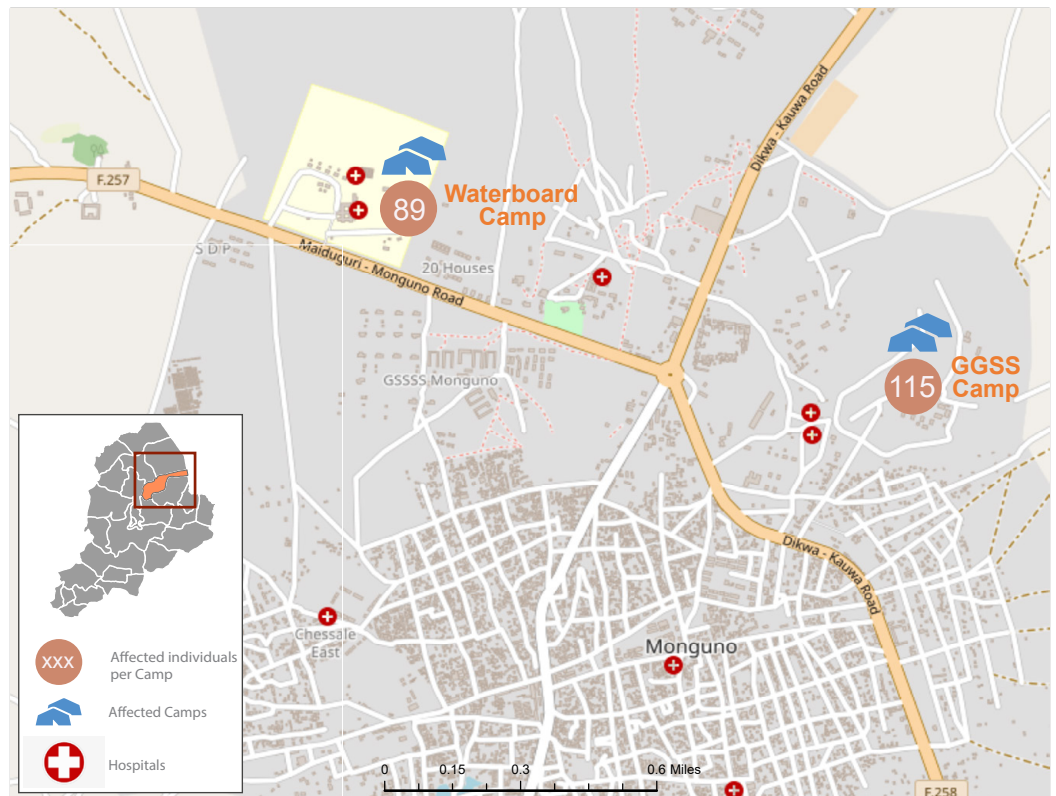
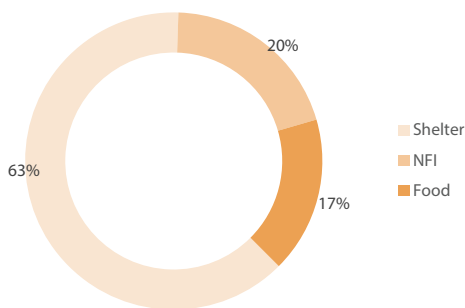


Residents of Waterboard Camp assessing the damages after the fire outbreak ©IOM-DTM/2021

GENDER (FIG. 1)



MOST NEEDED ASSISTANCE (FIG. 2)



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Residents of Waterboard Camp assessing the damage to means of livelihood after the fire outbreak©IOM-DTM/2021



Residents of GGSS Camp assessing the damage to toilet facility after the fire outbreak©IOM-DTM/2021

Waterboard Camp

On 27 March 2021 at 8:12AM, a fire outbreak at Waterboard Camp destroyed shelters and belongings of numerous IDP households.

This incident fully destroyed 14 shelters and partially damaged 8 shelters, affecting a total of 89 individuals in 21 households. The affected individuals include 53 children, 15 women and 21 men.

The victims of the fire outbreaks are currently residing with friends and relatives within the camp. They are in need of food, shelter and NFIs. Also, numerous means of livelihood such as milling machines have been destroyed by the fire.

Response

At the time of writing, no assistance has been rendered to the affected population. The age breakdown of the affected individuals can be found in the table below.

AGE CLASSIFICATION - WATERBOARD CAMP (TABLE 1)

Age Classification	Male	Female	Total
<1y	0	0	0
1-5y	14	15	29
6-17y	13	11	24
18-59y	21	15	36
60+y	0	0	0
Grand Total	48	41	89

GGSS Camp

On 29 March 2021 at 4:00AM, a fire outbreak was recorded at GGSS camp. The fire was triggered by a cigarette and reportedly destroyed camp facilities, shelters and belongings of numerous IDP households.

This incident fully destroyed 28 shelters and partially damaged 3 shelters, affecting a total of 115 individuals in 31 households. The affected individuals include 66 children, 29 women and 20 men. Also, 6 IOM household biometric identity cards and a block of UNICEF latrines were lost to the fire.

The victims of the fire outbreak, who are currently residing with friends and relatives in the camp, are in desperate need of shelter, food and NFIs.

Response

An emergency meeting was held by humanitarian aid partners to discuss action to assist the victims. Partners in attendance are INTERSOS, IOM, Solidarities Int. and ZOA. IOM offered to assist with NFI for the affected victims.

AGE CLASSIFICATION - GGSS CAMP (FIG. 3)

