

Monguno Local Government Area (LGA), Borno State.



Between 08 April and April 16, fires broke out in Fulatari host community, Fulatari Camp, Kuya Primary School Camp and Government Girls Secondary School Camp, damaging 948 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 is shelter, as reported by 55% of the respondents, followed by NFIs (30%) and food (15%).

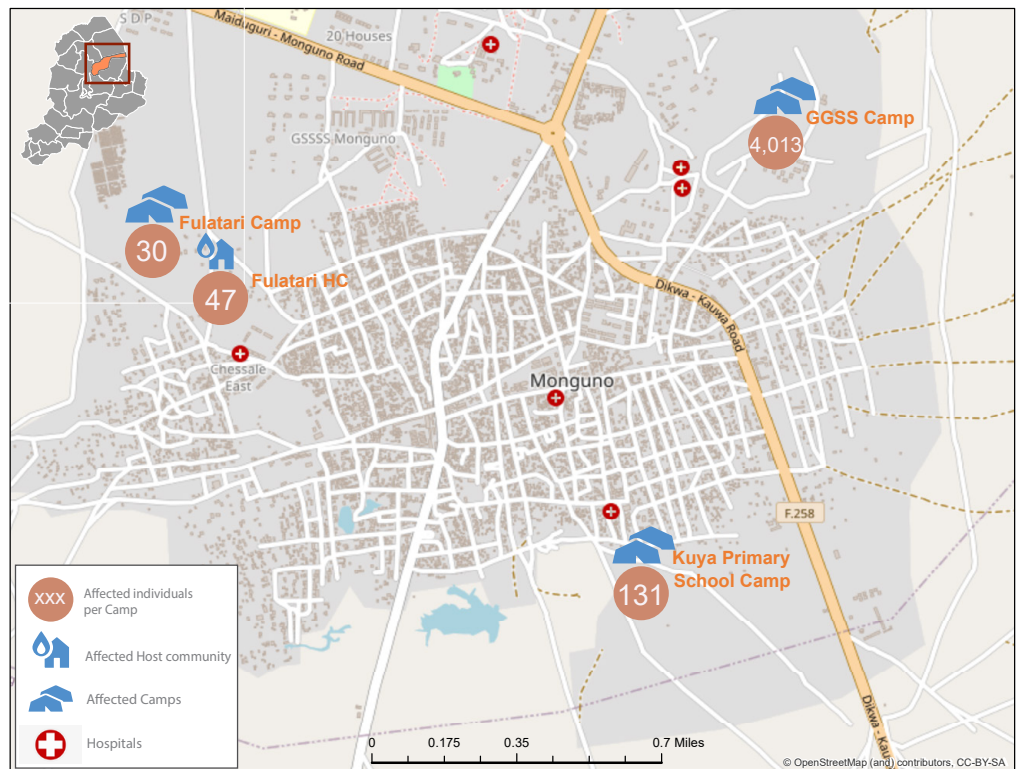
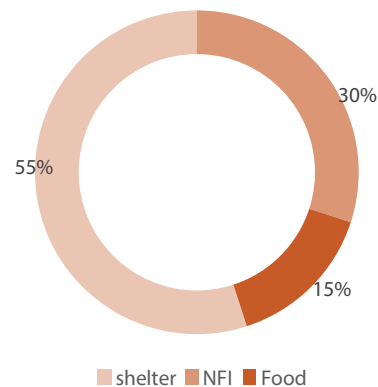


Residents of GGSS Camp assessing the damages after the fire outbreak ©IOM-DTM/2021

GENDER (FIG. 1)



MOST NEEDED ASSISTANCE (FIG. 2)



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Affected area in Kuya Primary School camp after fire outbreak ©IOM-DTM/2021



Residents of Fulatari Host Community putting out the fire ©IOM-DTM/2021

Fulatari HC

On 08 April 2021 at 2:30PM, a fire outbreak at Fulatari Host Community destroyed shelters and belongings of numerous IDP households.

This incident fully destroyed 6 shelters affecting a total of 47 individuals in 6 households. The affected individuals include 35 children, 19 women and 28 men.

Fulatari Camp

There was a fire outbreak in Fulatari Camp on 11 April 2021 at 2:50PM that destroyed a number of shelters and the belongings of IDPs.

A total of 30 individuals from 9 households were affected as they lost their properties, food and NFIs. Of the total affected individuals 13 are children, 8 adult male and 9 adult female.

Kuya Primary School

On 11 April 2021 at 3:00PM a fire outbreak was reported to have destroyed a number of shelters and belongings of IDPs at Kuya Primary School Camp.

The incident fully destroyed 23 shelters and partially damaged 8 shelters belonging to 131 individuals from 31 households. Of the total individuals affected, 75 are children, 24 adult male and 32 are adult female.

The victims of these fire outbreaks, who are currently residing with friends and relatives in other camp and in the host community are in desperate need of shelter, food and NFIs.

GGSS Camp

On 12 April 2021 at 9:00AM, a fire outbreak was recorded at GGSS camp which reportedly destroyed camp facilities, offices, shelters and belongings of numerous IDP households.

This incident fully destroyed 699 shelters and partially damaged 25 shelters, affecting a total of 3,242 individuals in 719 households. The affected individuals include 1,867 children, 802 women and 573 men. The fire claimed the lives of 2 IDPs and left 3 injured. Also, 214 IOM household biometric identity cards as well as 87 food ration cards belonging to residents were lost to the fire.

Facilities affected by the inferno are a clinic, an IOM safe space and an ICRC office.

On 16 April 2021 at 11:00AM there was another fire outbreak in GGSS camp that destroyed a total of 178 shelters and 40 latrines. The incident affected 771 individuals in 178 households.

A total of 47 biometric registration identity cards and 20 food ration cards were burnt by the fire. The smoke from the fire also claimed the life of a woman.

Response

An emergency meeting was organised by humanitarian aid partners to discuss action to assist the victims. Partners who attended were INTERSOS, IOM, PUI, ACF, IRC and ACTED. IOM will construct 735 shelters for the affected population in GGSS Camp. ICRC will support the affected population with 735 NFIs while SI already supported the 46 households in Kuya Primary School and Fulatari Camps with NFIs. INTERSOS is to hold a Focus Group Discussion with the victims in Kuya Primary School in preparation for relocation.

Site Name	Number of Affected Household	Number of Affected Individuals	Male	Female	0-5yrs (Male)	0-5yrs (Female)	6-17yrs (Male)	6-17yrs (Female)	18-59yrs (Male)	18-59yrs (Female)	60+yrs (Male)	60+yrs (Female)	Number of Damaged Shelters
Fulatari HC	6	47	28	19	7	6	15	7	6	6	0	0	6
Fulatari Camp	9	30	15	15	4	3	3	3	5	8	3	1	9
GGSS	897	4,013	1,854	2,159	380	523	756	672	625	845	93	119	902
Kuya Primary School	31	131	52	79	6	20	22	27	17	28	7	4	31
Grand Total	943	4,221	1,949	2,272	397	552	796	709	653	887	103	124	948

