



Affected Population:
4,816 Individuals



Damaged Shelters:
102



Casualties:
279

Movement Trigger:
Armed attacks

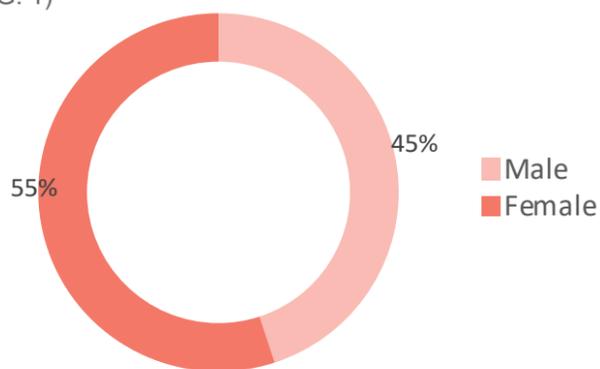
OVERVIEW

Nigeria's North Central and North West Zones are afflicted with a multidimensional crisis that is rooted in long-standing tensions between ethnic and religious groups and involves attacks by criminal groups and banditry/hirabah (such as kidnapping and grand larceny along major highways). The crisis has accelerated during the past years because of the intensification of attacks and has resulted in widespread displacement across the region.

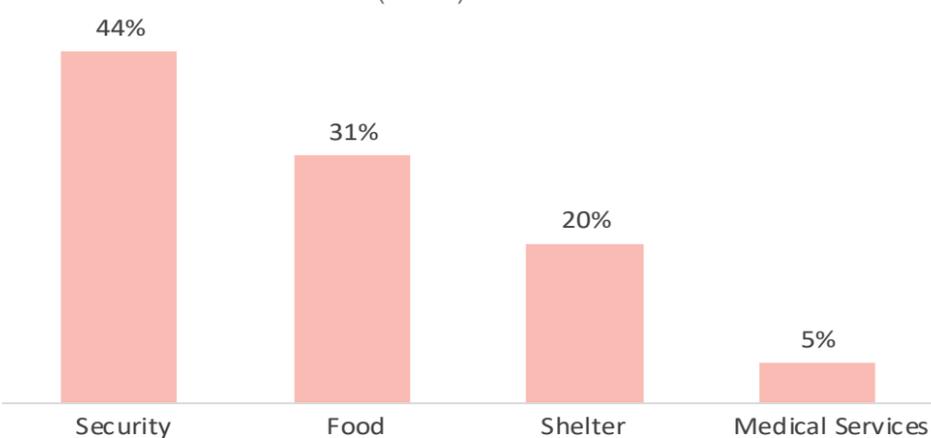
Between 24 and 30 May 2021, armed clashes between herdsmen and farmers, and bandits and local communities have led to new waves of population displacement. Following these events, rapid assessments were conducted by DTM (Displacement Tracking Matrix) field staff with the purpose of informing the humanitarian community and government partners, and enable targeted response. Flash reports utilise direct observation and a broad network of key informants to gather representative data and collect information on the number, profile and immediate needs of affected populations.

The latest attacks affected 4,816 individuals including 203 injuries and 279 fatalities in Guma, Gwer West and Katsina-Ala LGAs of Benue State, Chikun LGA of Kaduna State, Batsari LGA of Katsina State, Jos North of Plateau State and Rabah and Wurno LGAs of Sokoto State. The attacks caused people to flee to neighbouring localities.

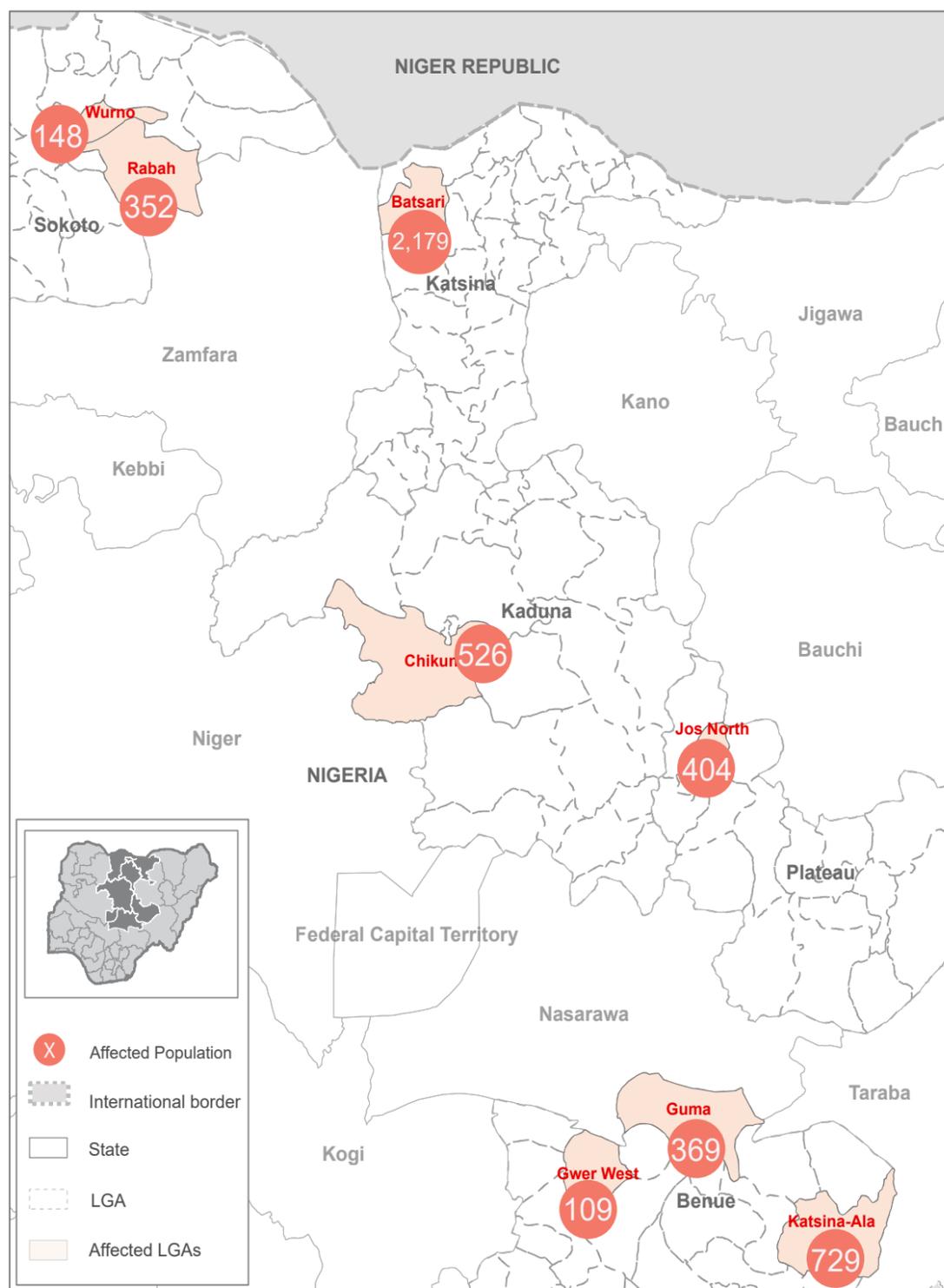
GENDER (FIG. 1)



MOST NEEDED ASSISTANCE (FIG. 2)



AFFECTED LOCATIONS



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AFFECTED POPULATION (TABLE 1)

State	LGA	Cause of Incident	Number of Affected Household	Number of Affected Individuals	Casualties	Male	Female	Children	Number of Damaged Shelters
Benue	Guma	Attacks	87	369	4	148	221	173	0
Benue	Gwer West	Attacks	21	109	4	43	66	51	0
Benue	Katsina-Ala	Attacks	122	729	82	307	422	323	74
Kaduna	Chikun	Attacks	105	526	8	237	289	262	8
Katsina	Batsari	Attacks	401	2,179	137	1,047	1,132	1,215	0
Plateau	Jos North	Attacks	97	404	8	155	249	182	20
Sokoto	Rabah	Attacks	86	352	30	153	199	160	0
Sokoto	Wurno	Attacks	24	148	6	64	84	79	0
Grand Total			943	4,816	279	2,154	2,662	2,445	102

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