



Affected Population:
389 Individuals



Damaged Shelters:
None



Casualties:
157

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.

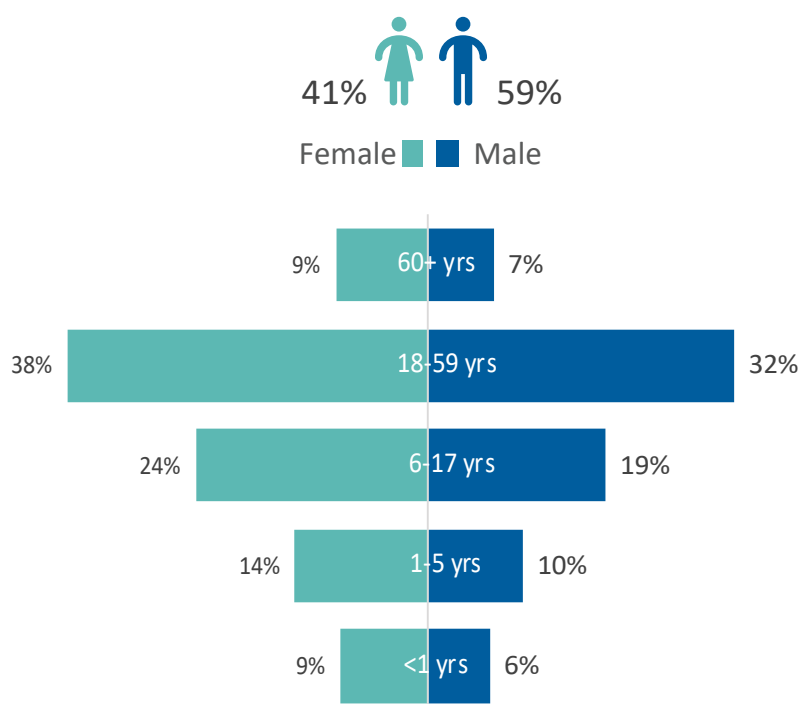
On the evening of 18 October 2021, Goronyo town in Goronyo LGA was attacked by armed bandits. Following this event, a rapid assessment was conducted by DTM (Displacement Tracking Matrix) field staff with the purpose of informing the humanitarian community and government partners, and enable targeted 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.

Following the event, between 18 and 24 October 2021, DTM identified an estimated number of 389 individuals who were affected by the attack. 336 persons were displaced from Goronyo LGA towards Sokoto North LGA, both located in the state of Sokoto. Of the 336 individuals who were displaced, 104 persons were injured. An estimated 53 individuals lost their lives in the attack.

AFFECTED POPULATION BREAKDOWN (TABLE 1)

Population Category	Number of Individuals
Displaced Population	336
Injured	104
Fatalities	53
Affected population	389

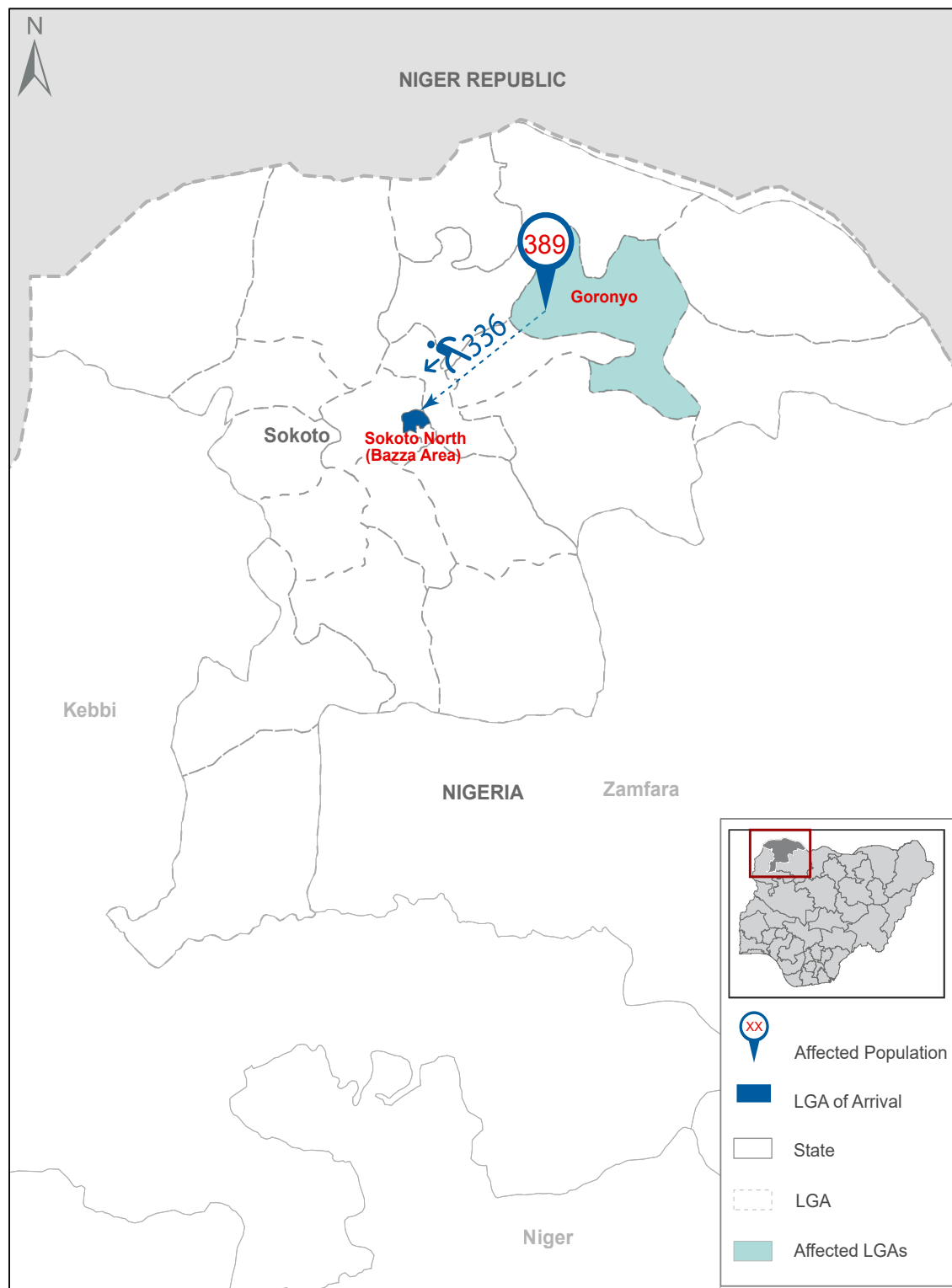
GENDER (FIG. 1)



NEEDS

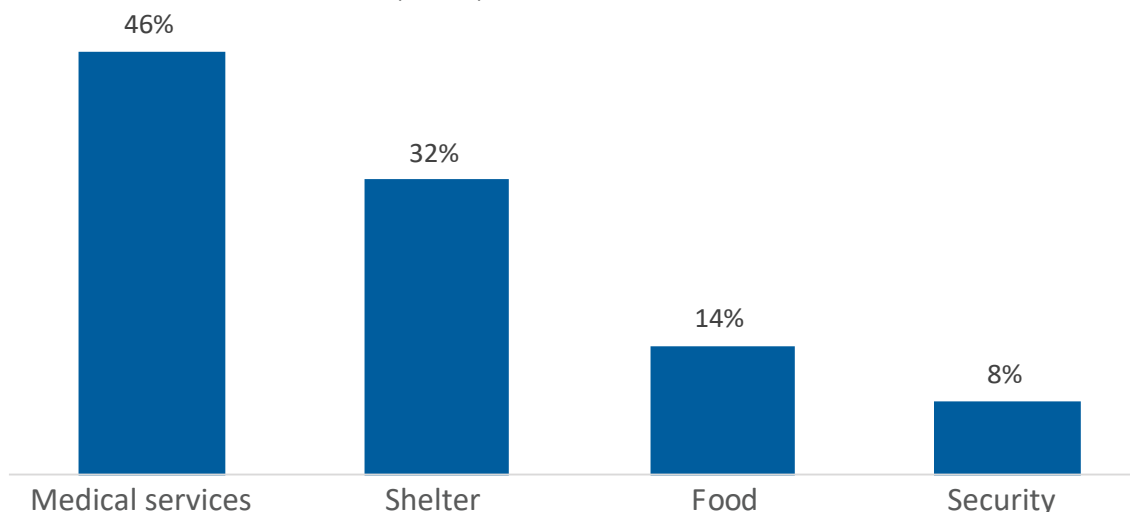
The affected population who are currently hosted by friends and relatives in Bazza community in Sokoto North are in desperate need of medical services, shelter, food and security. The injured population are in immediate need of health services as they find it difficult to afford health care.

AFFECTED LOCATIONS



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MOST NEEDED ASSISTANCE (FIG. 2)



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