

KEY HIGHLIGHTS



The rainy season in Nigeria typically occurs annually with the greatest concentration of precipitation between the months of June and September. Many states in Nigeria have been affected by unprecedented heavy rainfalls and floods have devastated various communities. Infrastructure, crops, and shelters have been damaged which led to decimated livelihoods and the displacement of numerous households. Over the past months, climate variability and the release of excess water from the Lagdo dam in northern Cameroon, have worsened the flood situation and has resulted in a renewed situation of widespread displacement across Nigeria.¹

Between 28 October and 1 November 2022, DTM, in collaboration with the National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA), the Anambra State Emergency Management Agency (ASEMA) and the Nigerian Red Cross Society (NCRS) identified 36 locations in Anambra State that were affected by the floods and/or received IDPs that are currently displaced as a result of the floods.² Through a network of 95 key informants and field focal points and in close coordination with other humanitarian partners and local authorities on ground, DTM conducted assessments in these locations to inform the humanitarian community on the main needs, vulnerabilities and mobility intentions of the affected population.

FINDINGS

In the seven (7) Local Government Areas (LGAs) of Anambra state assessed, DTM identified 35,074 individuals in 6,980 households that were affected by the floods. These individuals included both IDPs that were living in camp-like settings and residents who were impacted by the floods but remained in their communities.

Affected Population per LGA

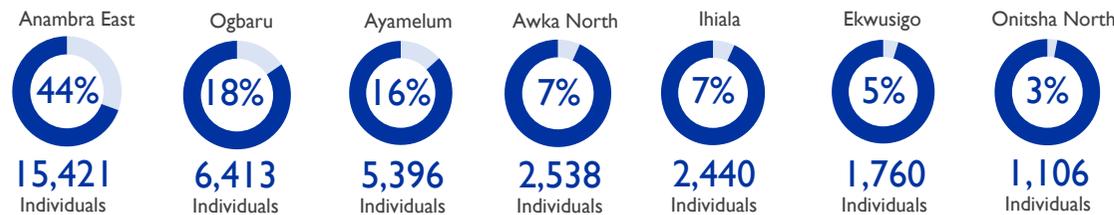
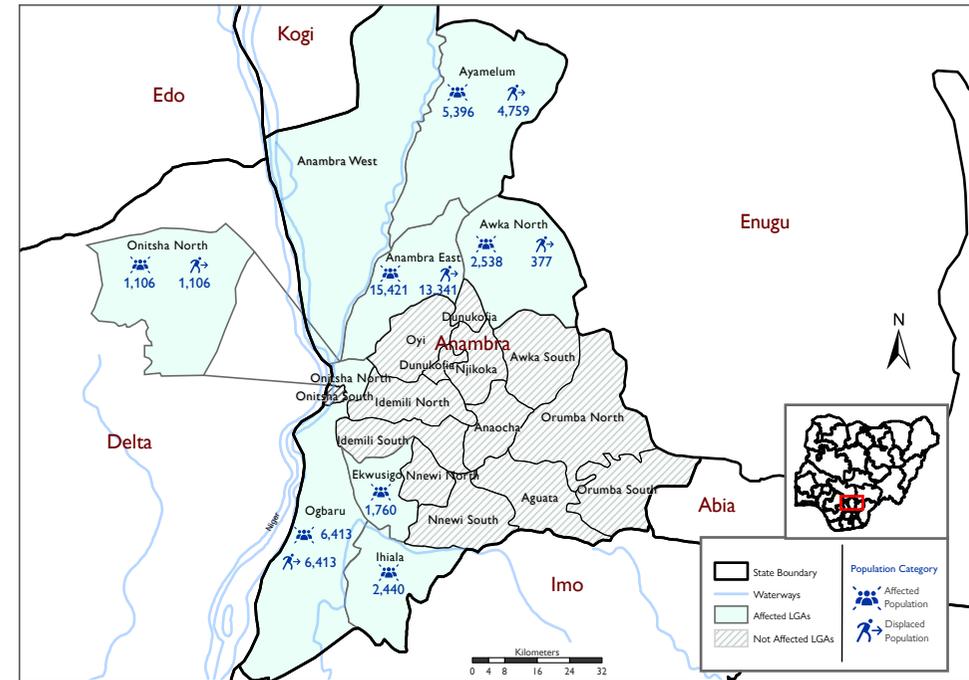


Fig 1.1 Affected population per LGA

LGAs AFFECTED BY FLOODS



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Anambra East LGA recorded the highest number of affected persons with 15,421 individuals or 44 per cent of the affected population in the State. Anambra East was followed by Ogbaru LGA with 6,413 individuals or 18 per cent of the affected population. Meanwhile, Onitsha North LGA had the least number of affected individuals. All affected persons in Onitsha North (1,106 individuals) were displaced from Anambra West LGA and are currently hosted in Crowther Memorial Primary School.

Ninety-two per cent (92%) of the houses of the affected population were either partially damaged (73%) or completely damaged (19%).

[Click on the link below to download other maps on the flood situation in Anambra state.](#)
[MAP OF IDP POPULATION IN ANAMBRA STATE](#)
[MAP OF AFFECTED POPULATION IN ANAMBRA STATE](#)

¹ IOM Displacement Tracking Matrix, [Nigeria Flood Map Overview as of 24 October 2022 \(October 2022\)](#)

² UN OCHA, [Floods Response: Flash Update 2, \(1 November 2022\)](#)

Fig 1.2 TIME SINCE DISPLACEMENT

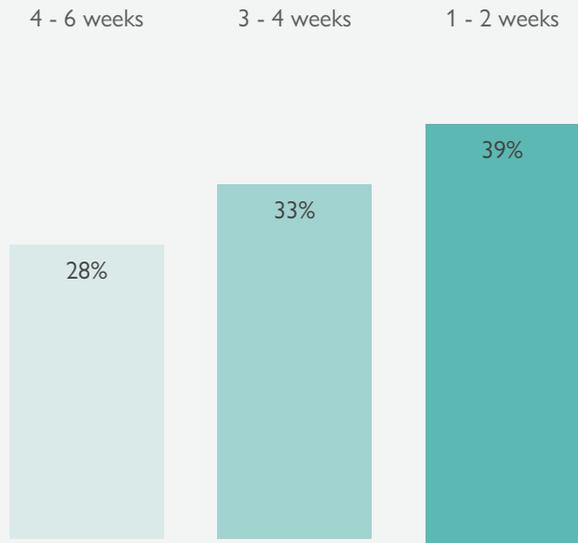
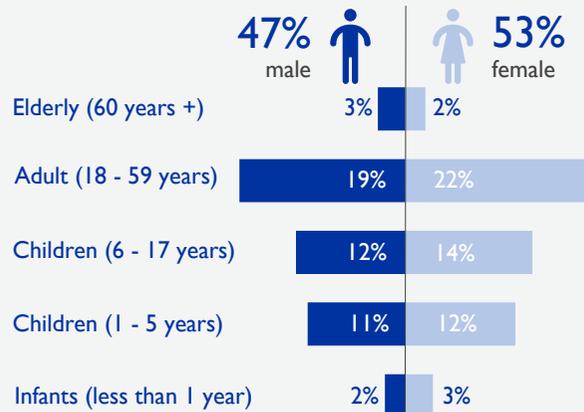


Fig 1.4 DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN



[For more comprehensive data on the locations affected, click here](#)

MOST URGENT NEEDS

Food is the most urgent need of the affected population as reported in all locations assessed. Food was followed by Non-Food Items (NFIs), mentioned in 94 per cent of the locations assessed (or 34 locations), and needs related to health, mentioned in 17 per cent of the locations (or 6 locations) as most urgent needs. Despite the fact that 92 per cent of the houses (5,128 houses) have been either partially damaged or completely destroyed, shelter was reported as the most urgent need in only 11 per cent of the locations assessed (or 4 locations).



Fig 1.3 Most Urgent Needs



[For more comprehensive data on most urgent needs for each of the locations affected, click here](#)



EDUCATION

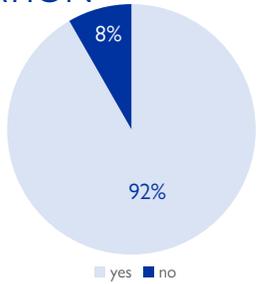


Fig 1.5A Availability of education facilities within 30 minutes walking distance of location

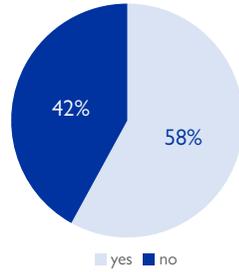


Fig 1.5B Educational activities affected by flood

HEALTH

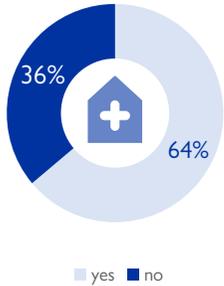


Fig 1.6A Health facilities available

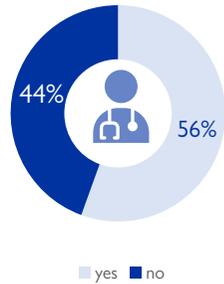


Fig 1.6B Access to healthcare services by persons affected by flooding

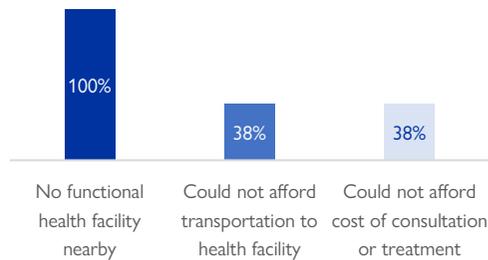


Fig 1.6C Difficulties encountered when attempting to access health services or treatment

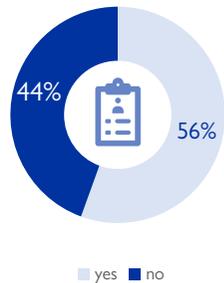


Fig 1.6D Availability of 24 hours emergency health services to flood affected victims

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[For more comprehensive data on the health conditions of affected population, click here](#)

WASH



2,807

Partially or fully damaged toilets/latrines



58

Partially or fully damaged water points

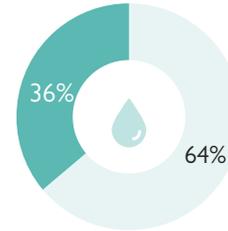


Fig 1.7A Access to water

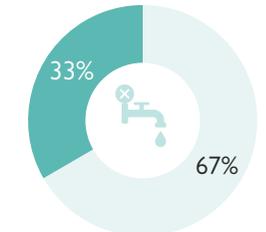


Fig 1.7B Water points have been affected by flooding

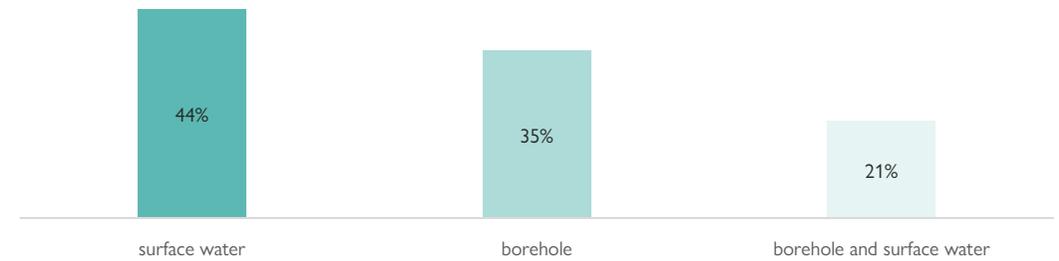


Fig 1.7C Water sources available

[For more comprehensive data on water, sanitation and hygiene conditions of affected population, click here](#)





SHELTER

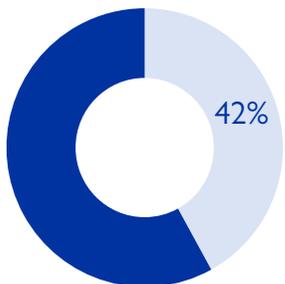


Fig 1.8A Shelters habitable but need repair

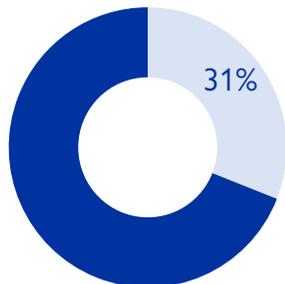


Fig 1.8B Shelters partially damaged but need repairs

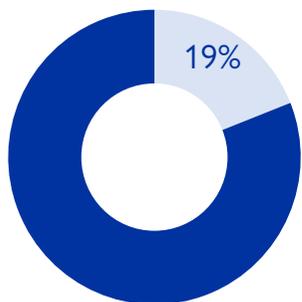


Fig 1.8C Shelters completely destroyed

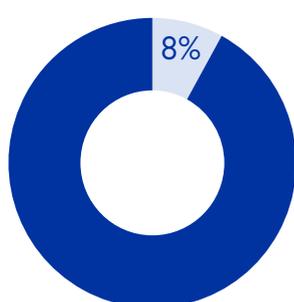


Fig 1.8D Shelters habitable, don't need repairs

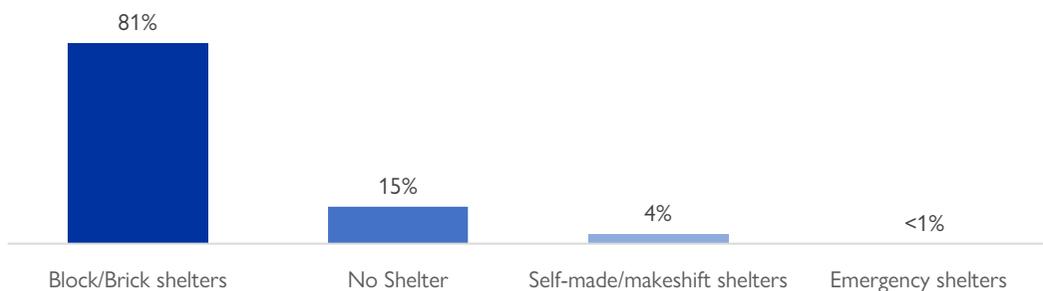


Fig 1.8E Shelter Types

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LIVELIHOOD



64%

Most preferred modality of intervention: **Cash**



36%

Most preferred modality of intervention: **Hybrid**

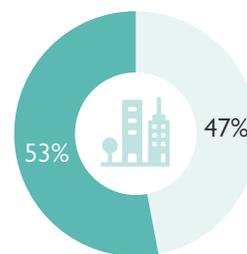


Fig 1.9A Operational (accessible and functional) financial institution in the community



Fig 1.9B Operational (accessible and functional) market in the community

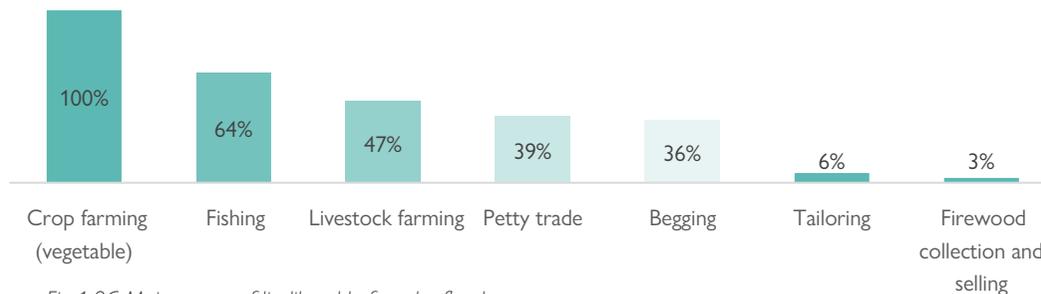


Fig 1.9C Main source of livelihood before the floods

[For more comprehensive data on the livelihood conditions of affected population, click here](#)





Table 1. Number of persons displaced and persons affected by floods in Anambra State*

LGA	Location	Displaced Persons	Affected Persons
Anambra East	Ama Eluagu	-	1,502
	Asako Aba	3,005	3,005
	CDC Camp Umueri	2,155	2,155
	Community Primary School Umundenze	656	656
	Fr. Joseph Memorial Camp	2,596	2,596
	Ogugu Ekiti	700	700
	Ugwu Asaa	672	1,250
	Unity Hall Umueri	1,900	1,900
	Unity Primary School	1,657	1,657
Awka North	Central School Ugbene	377	841
	Oba Ofemili	-	1,697
Ayamelum	Comprehensive Primary Health Centre	280	280
	Health Centre Ifite Gwari	1,175	1,175
	Isiokwe	1,513	1,513
	Nze Okafor Bonny Face Camp Umueje	170	170
	Otaku Primary School	481	481
Ekwusigo	Umolim Town Hall Camp Umuerem	1,140	1,777
	Ibobo Orafite	-	480
	Ubahu	-	560
Ihiala	Urezi	-	720
	Amaputu And Umuoma	-	430
	Ubahu Okija	-	460
Ogbaru	Umudara	-	1,550
	At. Patrick's Hall	1,165	1,165
	Central School Odekpe	943	943
	Chuchu Onyema	1,046	1,046
	Iyinze Ozubulu Road Camp	265	265
	Ogbakuba Primary School	81	81
	Ogbaru High School	318	318
	Ogbaru L.G.A Hall	1,102	1,102
	Okote Odekpe Block A & B	270	270
	Osamala Primary School	160	160
	Ossomala Jnr Pri School	170	170
	Umunankwo Ogbakuba	610	610
	Zim Primary School	283	283
Onitsha North	Crowther Memorial Primary School Camp	1,106	1,106
Grand Total		25,996	35,074


 * Anambra State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA), [Data on flood-affected persons in Anambra State \(2 October 2022\)](#)

 * See also, National Emergency Management Agency (NEMA) and Anambra State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) Joint Assessment, [Data on flood-affected persons in Anambra State \(24 October 2022\)](#)
