

14 - 20 November 2022



Affected Population:
840 Individuals



Damaged Shelters:
60



Casualties:
30

Movement Trigger:
Attacks/Fire/Communal Clash

OVERVIEW

On 14 November, a clash between herders and farmers was reported in the Zaki Biam community of Uyam ward in Ukum LGA, Benue State. The attack affected 45 individuals who currently are given shelter by neighbours within the community. As a result of the attack, 1 fatality and 6 injuries were reported.

On 15 November, a clash between herders and farmers was reported in the Mai Katako community of Butura ward in Bokkos LGA, Plateau State. The attack affected 756 individuals, who remained in the community. As a result of the attack, 12 fatalities and 7 injuries were reported.

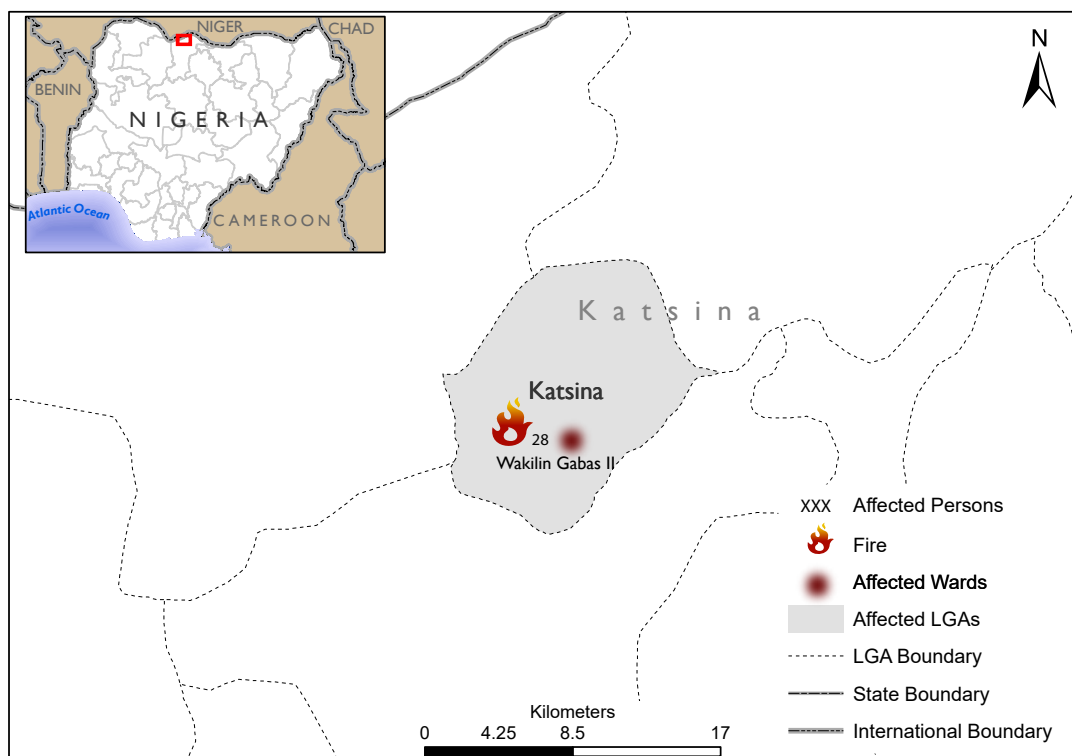
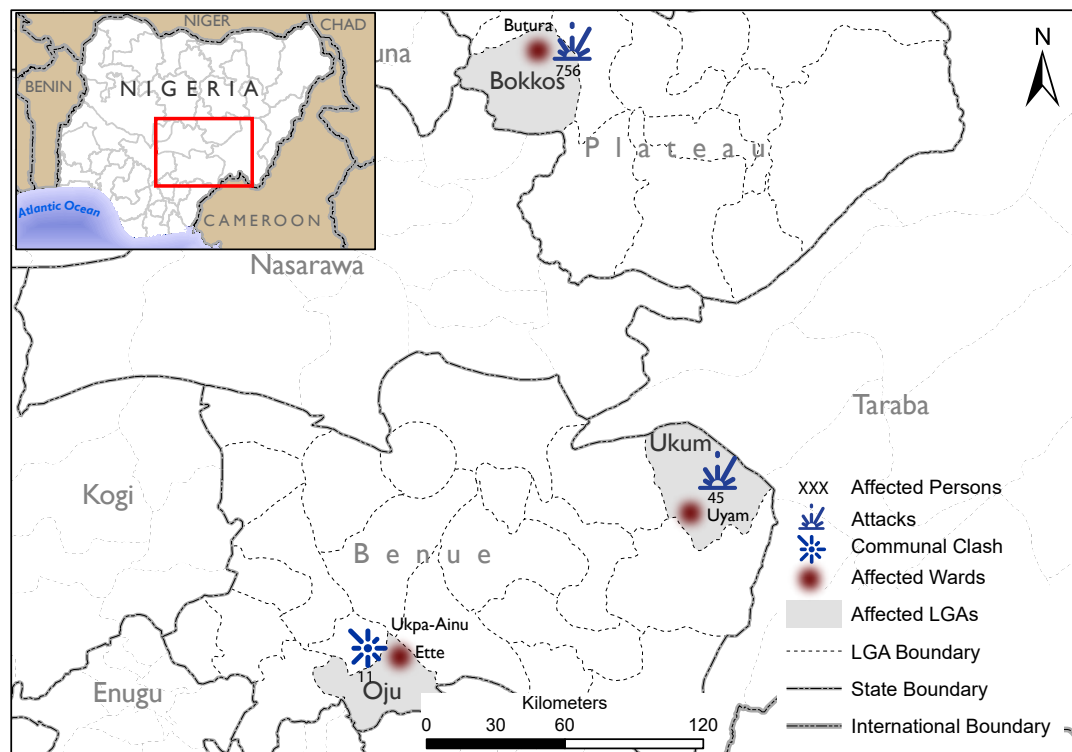
On 17 November in Benue State, a dispute over land and border issues resulted in a clash between the Bonta community in Mbagusa/Mbatser ward, Konshisha LGA and the AINU-ETTE community in Ukpa/Ainu-Ette ward of Oju LGA. The clash affected 11 individuals. No displacement was reported following this confrontation. As a result of the clash, 2 fatalities and 2 injuries were reported.

On 19 November, a fire outbreak was reported in the community Sabon Layi in Wakilin Gabas II ward of Katsina LGA in Katsina State. The fire outbreak affected 28 individuals, who are currently in neighbouring shelters. The fire outbreak damaged a total of 9 shelters, of which 3 shelters are completely damaged and 6 shelter are partially damaged.

Following these events, rapid assessments were conducted by DTM (Displacement Tracking Matrix) field staff to inform the humanitarian community and government/partners, and to 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.

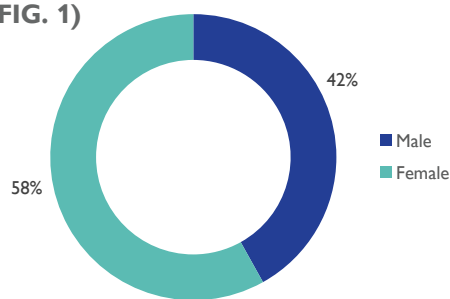
Nigeria's north-central and north-west zones are afflicted with a multi-dimensional crisis. Long-standing tensions between ethnic and religious groups often result in attacks and banditry or hirabah. These attacks involve kidnapping and grand larceny along major highways by criminal groups. During the past years, the crisis accelerated and has resulted in widespread displacement across the north-central and north-western regions.

Maps of affected areas

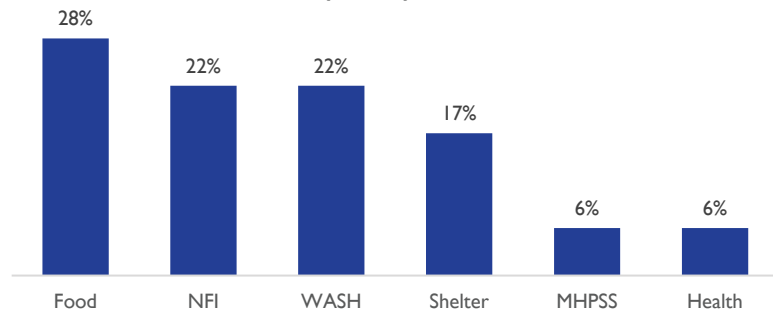


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GENDER TOTAL (FIG. 1)



MOST NEEDED ASSISTANCE (FIG. 2)



State	LGA	Ward	Cause of Incident	Number of Affected Households	Number of Affected Individuals	Casualties	Male	Female	Children	Number of damage shelters
Benue	Oju	Ukpa/Ainu Ette	Communal Clash	2	11	4	5	6	4	0
Benue	Ukum	Uyam	Attacks	6	45	7	25	20	19	12
Katsina	Katsina	Wakilin Gabas II	Fire_Outbreak	4	28	0	12	16	17	8
Plateau	Bokkos	Bokkos	Attacks	126	756	19	310	446	355	40
Grand Total				138	840	30	352	488	395	60

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