

Golo Town, Central Darfur

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In March 2017, a total of **71,984** individuals were registered in Golo, of which **54,362** individuals are returnees and **17,586** are IDPs.

- 63 % of the registered caseload are under 18 years old, of which 30 % are under 5 years.
- All the registered returnees were IDP returnees.

Demographic Data

Population Category	Location	Younger than 5		5 to 17		18 to 59		Older than 59		Total
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Returnees	Boori	1,184	1,694	2,974	2,702	1,879	2,099	554	208	13,294
	Golo	2,104	2,893	5,811	5,076	4,238	4,376	575	375	25,448
	Jokosti	1,212	2,139	3,748	3,048	2,505	2,549	244	175	15,620
Sud-total		4,500	6,726	12,533	10,826	8,622	9,024	1,373	758	54,362
IDPs	Golo	1,561	1,668	3,713	3,950	2,273	3,788	301	332	17,586
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Grand total		6,061	8,394	16,246	14,776	10,895	12,812	1,674	1,090	71,948

Services



The most pressing need in Golo and surrounding locations is for nutrition interventions and improvements in provision of minimum basic health package (MBHP).



The food security situation is critical as residents reported a reduced agricultural yield compared to last year's produce, due to a reduction in the size of land that was successfully cultivated.



In terms of water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH) the most critical need is for clean drinking water for which the community can be provided with water filters, tablets for chlorination and jerry cans for safe storage of drinking water.

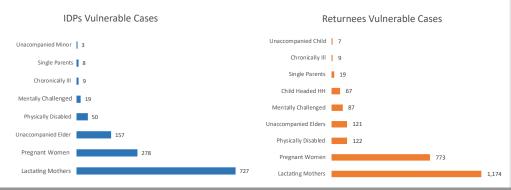


Three schools in Golo (one primary and two secondary) expressed a need for additional chairs and student kits. For the duration of the mission the general security situation in Golo town was calm and stable.

Vulnerability



Out of the registered individuals, the DTM team identified 3,360 individuals as most vulnerable including unaccompanied children and elders, pregnant and lactating women, mentally and physically challenged etc. of which 81 % are either pregnant or lactating women.









The returnees returned to three main locations (Golo town, Jokosti, and Boori).



Most of the IDPs were displaced between the month of January and March, 2016 (as reported).



Most of the returnees, returned during the month of June (as reported).

Notes:

As per the Recovery, Return, and Reintegration (RRR) Sector guidelines an assessment to confirm the voluntariness of the return needs to be conducted.

The beneficiary lists have already been shared with the key humanitarian partners.

Mission Duration:

27 February to 15 March 2017

The Mission was jointly conducted with HAC (State Level)







