FLASH REPORT: Rapid Assessment of Damaturu, Gujba and Geidam LGA Attacks, Yobe State

North-east Nigeria

29 January 2024







Damaged Shelters: 24



Casualties:



Affected Locations:



Movement Trigger: Attack

OVERVIEW

The lingering conflict in Nigeria's Northeast region has been the major cause of widespread population displacement. Over two million persons have been forced to leave their areas of residence to other parts of Nigeria in search of safety and security in neighbouring wards and LGAs.

On 6 January 2024, a Non-State Armed Group (NSAG) carried out an attack in Gujba, Asheikri and Gabir/Maduri wards in Gujba, Geidam and Damaturu LGAs of Yobe State, leading to a substantial wave of population displacement. Following the attack, IOM-DTM Nigeria deployed a rapid assessment team to evaluate the immediate needs and vulnerabilities of the affected population with the purpose of informing the humanitarian community and government partners, and enabling targeted response. Flash reports utilise direct observation and a broad network of key informants to gather data and collect information on the number, profile and immediate needs of the affected population.

As a result of the attack, a total of 9,965 individuals from 1,536 households were displaced from their homes forcing them to seek refuge in nearby communities or makeshift shelters.

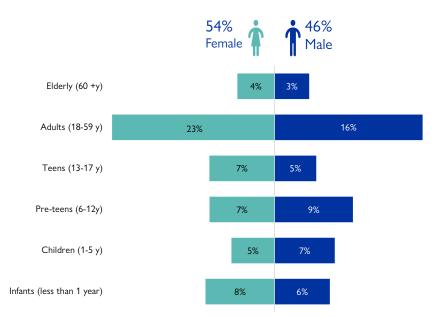
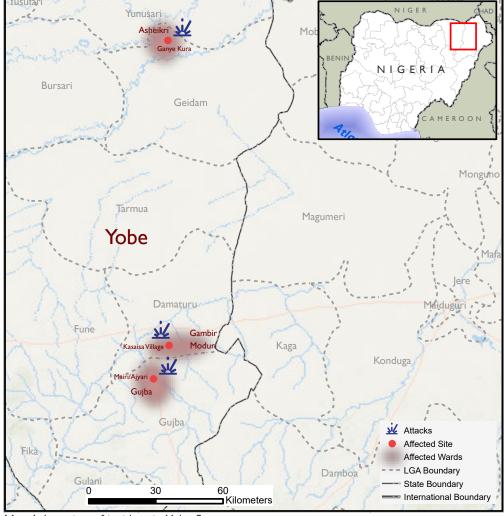


Fig. 1: Gender breakdown of the affected population

Maps of the affected areas



Map 1: Location of incident in Yobe State

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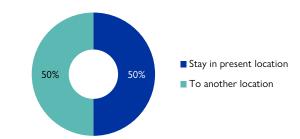


Fig. 2: Movement intention

Table 1: Affected individuals and LGAs

C4-4-	LCA	Ward	Current Locations	Site Type	Number of af- fected households	Number of affected individuals				C1;;;	Number of par-	Number of
State	LGA					Male	Female	Total	Children	Casualities	tially damaged	fully damaged
Yobe	Gujba	Gujba	Mairi/Ajiyari	Host Communities	1500	4530	5220	9750	5160	6	0	-
Yobe	Gujba	Gujba	Mairi/Ajiyari	Host Communities	13	39	52	91	73	11	3	-
Yobe	Geidam	Asheikri	Ganye Kura	Host Communities	13	29	55	84	23	20	8	-
Yobe	Damaturu	Gabir/Maduri	Kasaisa Village	Collective Settlement/Centre	10	21	19	40	16	7	13	-
	Total				1,536	4,619	5,346	9,965	5,272	44	24	0



OTHER NEEDS*									
Shelter	Non-food 	Health	Psychosocial						
(Î)	items NFI	3	iii						
50%	50%	25%	25%						

Fig. 3: Most needed assistance *Multiple response

