

FLASH REPORT #19: POPULATION DISPLACEMENT North West/North Central Nigeria.

28 SEPTEMBER - 04 OCTOBER 2020





Affected Households: 144 Households Affected Population: 672 Individuals



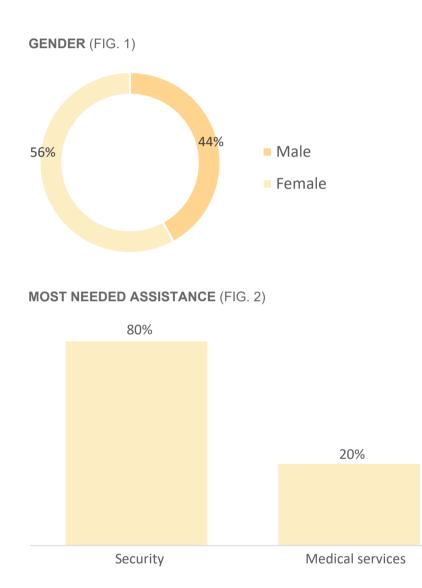
Movement Trigger: Armed attacks/ Floods

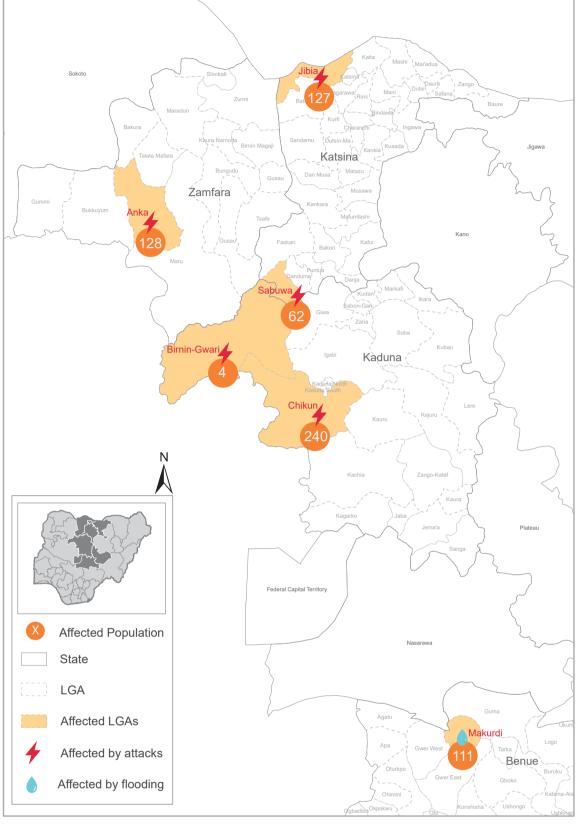
OVERVIEW

The crisis in Nigeria's North Central and North West zones, which involves long-standing tensions between ethnic and linguistic groups; attacks by criminal groups; and banditry/*hirabah* (such as kidnapping and grand larceny along major highways) led to fresh wave of population displacement.

Latest attacks affected 561 individuals, including 22 injuries and 9 fatalities, in Anka LGA of Zamfara State, Birnin Gwari, Chikun LGAs of Kaduna State and Jibia, Sabuwa LGAs of Katsina State between the 28 September - 04 October, 2020. The attacks caused people to flee to neighboring localities. Also, 111 individuals were displaced due to flooding in Benue State from heavy rainfalls that occured during the reporting period.

A rapid assessment was conducted by field staff to assess the impact on people and immediate needs.





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AFFECTED POPULATION (TABLE 1)

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Number of Affected	Number of Affected		

State	LGA	Cause of Incident	Number of Allected	Number of Allected	Number of Casualties	s Male	Female	Children
	LOA		Households	Individuals				
Benue	Makurdi	Floods	36	111	0	43	68	16
Kaduna	Birnin Gwari	Attacks	0	4	2	1	3	0
Kaduna	Chikun	Attacks	56	240	0	107	133	35
Katsina	Jibia	Attacks	25	127	1	60	67	28
Katsina	Sabuwa	Attacks	8	62	0	28	34	16
Zamfara	Anka	Attacks	19	128	6	59	69	32
Grand Total			144	672	9	298	374	127

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