

## Monthly Humanitarian Situation Report CHAD

Date: May, 27<sup>th</sup> 2013

### Highlights

- UNICEF has delivered supply worth 1.2 million US\$ for immediate assistance to 50,000 new returnees and refugees in the border area of Tissi following renewed violence in Darfur, Sudan
- 40,540 Severe Acute Malnutrition new admissions have been registered as of April, representing 32.2% of the 127,000 admissions expected in 2013
- In response to the circulating Vaccine Derived Polio Virus (cVDPV) case confirmed in the district of Aboudeia, UNICEF, in collaboration with the MOH, WHO and partners, conducted the first tour of mass vaccination campaigns in 3 regions, Batha, Guera and Salamat, from 26-28 April 2013.



Returnees Sites in Rout-Rout, 30 km out of Tissi, Pic@Dramon

## **Situation Overview & Humanitarian Needs**

- The humanitarian situation in Chad, which has been calm since the beginning of the year, changed according to the influx of new refugees and Chadian nationals from neighbouring countries (CAR, Sudan and Nigeria).
- The returnees from Nigeria are Chadian nationals, and most of them are unaccompanied minors from fishing villages of Bagakawa. The influx followed reprisal attacks on members of the terrorist group, Boko Haram, by Nigerian armed forces. So far, Chadian authorities have reported an estimated 1,200 returnees dispersed in three hard-to-reach insular localities: Bagasola, Ngouboua and Tchoucoutelia. This number is expected to increase following a declaration by the Nigerian government of a state of emergency in three eastern states. UNICEF is accelerating efforts to reinforce the capacity of local partners to respond to a potential influx of returnees and Nigerian refugees in Lac and Kanem regions.
- In Tissi, a remote border town between Chad, Sudan and CAR, latest reports indicate more than 50,000 refugees have crossed the border to Tissi. Basic social services which were virtually non-existent have been improved, and now on-going through deployment of UNICEF partners in the department. Activities for targeted beneficiaries are estimated to reach more than 100,000 people (Sudanese new refugees, Chadian returnees and the host population).

<b>Estimated Affected Population</b>			
<i>(Estimates calculated based on initial figures from the General Population Census RGPH-INSEED 2009, SMART Survey June 2012,)</i>			
<b>Categories</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>
Total Affected Population	6,252,536	3,170,036	3,082,500
Children Affected (Under 18)	3,588,956	1,819,601	1,769,355
Children Under Five	1,137,962	576,947	561,015
Children 6 to 23 months	340,763	172,767	167,996
Pregnant women with MAM	100,000	-	100,000
Children Under Five with Severe Acute Malnutrition (SAM)	126,000	64,000	62,000
Children Under Five with SAM and medical complications	12,730	6,454	6,276
Children Under Five with Moderate Acute Malnutrition (MAM)	430,000	210,000	220,000
IDP's and Returnees	181,000	85,000	96,000
Refugees	350,000	170,000	180,000

## FUNDING UPDATE

Appeal sector	Requirements as per HAC January 2013	Funds Received to date	Unmet requirements	
			Amount	%
Nutrition	28,943,500	6,235,845	22,707,655	78
Health	14,445,000	4,830,022	9,614,978	67
WASH	7,651,591	1,262,850	6,388,741	84
Education	5,350,000	40,750	5,309,250	99
Child Protection	2,675,000	346,273	2,328,727	87
HIV/AIDS	1,230,500	8,103	1,222,397	99
Cluster/ Secteur Coordination	600,000	600,000	00	100.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>60,895,591</b>	<b>13,323,843</b>	<b>47,571,748</b>	<b>78.1%</b>

## Inter-Agency Collaboration and Partnerships

- Coordination meetings continue to be held on a monthly basis in Ndjamen and in the field (sub-cluster meeting). UNICEF is actively leading the process with the Child protection sub-Cluster, Nutrition, Education, and WASH, other UN agencies and NGOs. The inter-agency meeting was held in Ndjamen in the field this month for data sharing, epidemic surveillance, implementation of coordination mechanism and security issues.
- To ensure good coordination of the emergency response to the situation in Tissi, humanitarian actors are meeting weekly under OCHA coordination. This meeting is necessary for technical planning and discussions related to a holistic response to the Tissi Emergency.

## Programme response

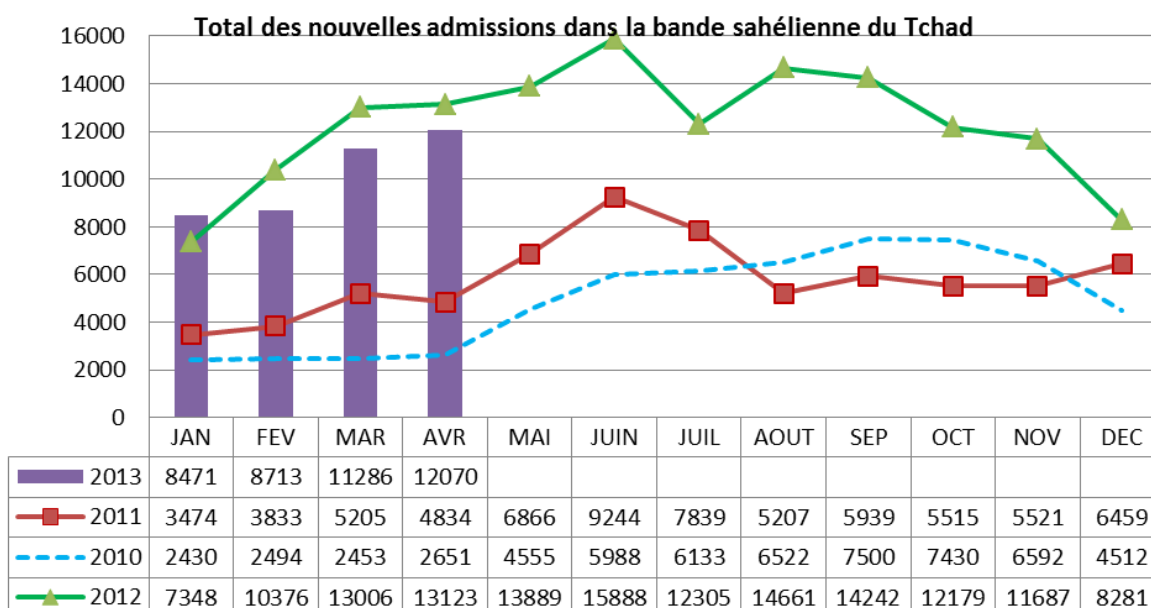
Sector	Estimated # / % coverage	UNICEF & operational partners			Sector / Cluster		
		UNICEF Target	Cumulative results (#)	% of Target Achieved	Cluster Target	Cumulative results (#)	% of Target Achieved
Nutrition	Children <5 with Severe Acute Malnutrition admitted to therapeutic care	126,000	40,540*	32.2%	147,000	40,540	27.57%
	Number of Health Centers with integrated nutrition program	476	439	92.2%	576	439	76.21%
UNICEF Operational Partners: MOH, FRC, Alima, IMC, Base, ARNUT, Bambini, Centre NDA, MSF-CH, MSF-H, MSF-F, IRC, ACF, Merlin, CRT, CHORA, Concern, SOS TCHAD, ASSAR, SIF, World Vision Tchad. *68% of data							
WASH	Number of Health Centers delivering the WASH in NUT packages	450	108	24%	450	108	24%
	# of SAM affected carer/mothers and children who receive hygiene kits with key hygiene messages	40,540*	2,994	7.3%	40,540	2,994	7.3%

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			UNICEF Operational Partners: CHORA, Merlin, ASSAR, AFDI, IAS; *based on 68% of data completeness					
Health	Children <1 receiving measles vaccination in refugee camps in Eastern Chad	84,487	5,558	6.5%	84,487	5,558	6.5%	
	UNICEF Operational Partners: IMC, BASE, CSSI, CRT, MoH, MENTOR							
Protection	"# of children with SAM who received psychosocial care"	50,000	2,166	4.3%	126,000	2,166	1.7%	
	UNICEF Operational Partners: IMC, BASE, CSSI, CRT, MERLIN							

### UNICEF and partners' programming

#### NUTRITION

- The number of new admissions increased this month by 784 malnourished children admitted to nutrition therapeutic centers, compared to last month. This increase was observed in 7 of the 10 Sahel belt regions.



- UNICEF signed two (2) Programme Cooperation Agreements with 9 *Centre Nationale de Nutrition et de Technologie Alimentaire (CNNTA)* and *Association Service de Sante RouRou (ASSAR)* to provide nutrition services in Tissi; 6 Nutrition Centers are operational and 265 children with SAM have been admitted in April.

#### HEALTH

- This past month, UNICEF, in collaboration with the MoH, WHO and partners, conducted the first tour of mass vaccination campaign in response to the case of

(cVDPV) in the 3 regions—specifically Batha, Guera and Salamat. A second tour will be organized from 24 May to 26 May 2013.

- UNICEF supported the MoH to set up a cold chain unit in Tissi for routine immunization; 83 children aged 0-11 were vaccinated and 19 pregnant women received VAT2 in April.
- Two (2) Programme Cooperation Agreements have been signed with *Association Service de Sante RouRou* (ASSAR) and *Delegation Regionale Sanitaire* (DRS) to provide Primary Health Care services to refugees, returnees and the host community. A network of 8 health posts have been set up in all returnee and refugee sites; 16 nurses, midwives and nutritionists have deployed to run the health posts.

## **EDUCATION**

- Three Field Agreements were drafted between the Regional Delegation of the Kanem Region and UNICEF for school enrollment campaign in Kanem, Bol and Barel Gazal.
- The Mao Field office conducted field monitoring and evaluation following the distribution of didactic materials donated by UNICEF to some 44 priority schools in the Kanem region. An estimated 9,155 students (4,485 girls and 4,670 boys) benefited from this support aimed at improving quality education in the Sahel. One major remaining challenge concerns adequate funding to promote Child Friendly Schools, and WASH in school interventions.

## **CHILD PROTECTION**

- A joint rapid assessment conducted in the Lac Region in the west by UNICEF, OCHA and the local government indicated that a majority (93%) of the returnees from Nigeria are unaccompanied minors (all boys), aged between 6 and 18 years, presumably sent to Bagakawa by their Chadian parents to attend Koranic schools (Madrassas).
- UNICEF signed a Programme Cooperation Agreement with the DRAS to strengthen Child Protection Mechanisms in Tissi; 10 Child Welfare Committees and 72 social workers have been trained in Child Protection; adequate assistance and support are being provided to 253 identified orphaned children.

## **WASH**

- In southern Chad, UNICEF drilled 10 new boreholes in two refugee camps for 6,800 new refugees, in addition to the distribution of 150 basic family water kits.
- 12 boreholes were dug out of 18 planned for refugees, returnees and the host community in Tissi; 500 Basic Family Water Kits were distributed; UNICEF signed four (4) Programme Cooperation Agreements (IAS, AFDI, FPT, DRH) for the WASH intervention in Tissi.

## SUPPLY & LOGISTICS

Total Value of RUTF Supplies in USD							
Sector	Total Needs	Total Amount SOs	In pipeline* April 2013	Total Amount Received	In UNICEF Warehouse ** April 2013	Delivered to Partners -- Cumulative April 2013	Delivered to Partners – Since Last Report
<b>Nutrition (RUTF) Quantity</b>	150,000 Cartons	32,287	32,287	5,270	500	8,300	38,600
<b>Amount in \$US</b>	7,650,000\$US	1,286,631	1,286,631	268,770	98,500	423,300	1,968,600
* In Pipeline defined as PGM raised, not yet in UNICEF Warehouse **Current inventory in Warehouse = previous including pre-positioned + new This Table is exclusive of the value of freight charges N.B. The above data reflects what was in the pipeline and delivered in April 2013.							

**Next SitRep: June, 25<sup>th</sup> 2013**

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