



WFP South Sudan

Situation Report #250

In Numbers

6.9 million people facing acute food insecurity from May to July 2019 (IPC)

2.1 million acutely malnourished women and children (HRP)

3.22 million people assisted by WFP in May 2019

1.9 million internally displaced people (OCHA)

2.3 million South Sudanese refugees (UNHCR)

202,776 seeking shelter with the UN (<u>UNMISS</u>)

Highlights

- WFP on 19 July welcomed a donation from the Government of the People's Republic of China which will enable WFP to deliver rice, oil, salt and pulses to 86,000 children in over 230 schools supported by WFP's school meals programme in South Sudan.
- On 22—24 July, WFP Executive Director, Mr. David M. Beasley and Ambassador Kip Tom, United States Permanent Representative to the United Nations Agencies for Food and Agriculture in Rome visited South Sudan.

People assisted lune 2019





Global Humanitarian Funding 2019 Overall: USD 1.5 billion WFP share: USD 660 million

WFP 6-month Net Funding Requirements

(July-December 2019)

234.3

Strategic Outcome 1

Food-insecure women, men and children in crisis-affected areas have access to safe and nutritious food

167.2

Strategic Outcome 2

People at risk of malnutrition in crisis affected areas, specially young children and pregnant and lactating women, are able to meet their basic nutrition requirements all year

26.0

Strategic Outcome 3

Food-insecure smallholders and communities in nonconflict zones have enhanced livelihoods and resilience to seasonal climate shocks throughout the year 12.5

Strategic Outcome 4

The humanitarian community has access to reliable common services until satisfactory alternatives are available

28.6



Situation Update

 WFP Executive Director David Beasley and US Ambassador to the UN Agencies in Rome Kip Tom visited WFP South Sudan, including a day field visit to Ganyiel and Katdalok on July 23. In Ganyiel, they witnessed air drops and general food distribution. They also saw how WFP's partnership with IOM works on the ground, with IOM providing biometric authentication of beneficiaries to WFP's general food distribution. In Katdalok, they observed how biometric registration using SCOPE works in the deep field.

WFP Response

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Food and Nutrition Assistance

- From January to June 2019, WFP and Cooperating Partners have managed to distribute 129,230 mt and around US\$ 18.39 million as cash-based transfers reaching around 3.47 million unique beneficiaries from January 2019.
- WFP assisted 81,041 people in hard-to-reach areas through the Integrated Rapid Response Mechanism (IRRM), distributing 1,656.55 mt of food and nutrition commodities across 9 RRM sites in 5 counties – Nassir, Nyirol, Leer, Akobo and Mayendit.
- WFP started distributing cash for milling expenses to refugees in Gorom, for the first time in July. There are more than 2,300 refugees hosted in the area. WFP has been rolling out cash to all food assisted refugees and other vulnerable populations in the country during the past years. WFP and partners are aiming to reach more than 850,000 people with cash assistance in July, providing over USD 4 million to the assisted populations this month going into the local economy.
- WFP in collaboration with the Ministry of General Education and Instruction (MOGEI) organized a two-day National Home





Safety Nets & Resilience

Grown School Feeding (HGSF) Strategy validation workshop from 17 to 18 July 2019. Participation was drawn from government ministries (from both national and state-level) including MOGEI, the Ministry of Gender, the Ministry of Environment and Forestry, UN agencies (UNICEF, FAO), International NGOs (Plan International, World Vision International, Adventist Development and Relief Agency, Norwegian Refugee Council), and the University of Juba. This led to the signing of a Letter of Understanding (LoU) between Ministry of General Education and Instruction (MOGEI) and WFP for School Feeding Programme, for the period between August 2019 to December 2020.

 WFP is in the process of conducting training to farmers and extension workers on post-harvest management of their commodities to reduce the volume of produce lost after the harvest. WFP is also conducting assessments in the former states of Easter Equatoria, Northern Bahr el Ghazal, and Warrap to inform the expansion of the Rural Aggregation Network (RAN), piloted last year in Western Equatoria, through which grains will aggregated from smallholder farmers and purchased by WFP for use in its food assistance programmes, such as school feeding.

Clusters and Common Services



Food Security & Livelihoods Cluster

 The Food Security and Livelihoods (FSL) cluster is continuing with the preparatory work for the 2019 second standard allocation for the South Sudan Humanitarian Fund (SSHF). The wider programme with SSHF support will prioritize the immediate and short term lifesaving activities in a multiple crisis scenario. This includes, supporting the populations in crisis, emergency, and catastrophe phases according to the May Integrated Food Security Phase Classification update; and that also align with the UN OCHA SSHF allocation strategy criteria and intersectoral severity ranking. The cluster has been allocated 3.185 million to respond to life saving food security needs in 14 prioritised counties targeting 117,962 households. A training was held for the FSL cluster partners to submit quality proposals for this allocation.



Logistics Cluster

 The lead of the Ebola Virus Disease Logistics Technical Working Group released 50 sets of

- Personal Protection Equipment donated by UNHCR .
- The Logistics Cluster began its internal staff sensitization program on the Ebola Virus Disease.

 Over 150 staff members in WFP were briefed.
- In light of the confirmed Ebola Virus Disease case close South Sudan's Kaya border, UNHAS facilitated the movement of a multiagency technical team (WHO, UNICEF & WFP) to Yei.

UN Humanitarian Air Service (UNHAS)

- UNHAS transported 3,125 passengers and 62mt of light humanitarian cargo to 50 destinations across South Sudan.
- UNHAS performed 8 medical evacuations on behalf of 7 organizations from Rumbek, Ulang, Rubkona, Duk Padiet, Pibor, Maban and Boma.
- In support of the UNICEF family reunification project, UNHAS flew 2 children to be reunited with their families.
- UNHAS performed 8 passenger charter flights on behalf of WFP, WHO, UNICEF, USAID, US embassy and AMREF and 1 charter flight from Yei-Juba for EVD Sample Infectious Substance for WHO.

WFP Interim Country Strategic Plan						
	Total Require- ments (in USD)	Allocated Contribu- tions (in USD) *	6 Months Net Funding Requirements** (in USD)	People Assisted*** (June, 2019)	Female	Male
ICSP TOTAL (2018-2020)	2.99b	1165.1	234.3	2,744,307	1,501,324	1,242,983
Activity 1 Provide nutrition-sensitive food assistance to crisis-affected populations Strategic Result 1: Access to food	1680.3	544.5	120.8	1,993,286	1,052,601	940,685
Activity 2 Provide food and nutrition assistance to refugees Strategic Result 1: Access to food	317.5	96.3	46.4	268,315	144,850	123,465
Activity 3 Provide nutrition assistance to populations at risk of malnutrition Strategic Result 2: End malnutrition	437.5	95.0	26.0	219,375	156,951	219,375
Activity 4 Provide livelihood support and build resilience of rural households Strategic Result 3: Smallholder Productivity and Income	220.2	58.6	12.5	263,331	146,992	116,409
Activity 5 Operate air services for the humanitarian community Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	152.4	102.2	18.0	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 6 Coordinate the Logistics Cluster in support of the humanitarian community Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	73.5	47.1	0.6	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 7 Supply Chain provision Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	16.5	7.6	0	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 8 Inter-Agency IT Communication Service Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	6.5	4.2	0.6	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 9 SCOPE Service to humanitarian partners Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	36.7	3.3	9.0	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 10 Provision of IT services to the humanitarian community Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	1.2	-	0.3	N/A	N/A	N/A
Non Activity Specific funding	0.0	206.3				

Donors (2019, listed alphabetically)*

