



## WFP South Sudan

Situation Report #249

#### **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 (UNMISS)

## **Highlights**

- Representatives of the Joint Technical Committee (JTC) from WFP in South Sudan and Sudan, as well as the Governments of South Sudan and Sudan, convened a joint meeting in Ethiopia to review the Sudan – South Sudan humanitarian corridor operations.
- WFP participated at the UN-wide Table Topic Exercise (TTX) hosted by United Nations Mission to South Sudan (UNMISS) on Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) Preparedness on 2 July.

# People assisted May 2019





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

## **WFP 6-month Net Funding Requirements**

(July-December 2019)

193.3

#### **Strategic Outcome 1**

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

135.8

#### **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 round.

20.1

#### **Strategic Outcome 3**

Food-insecure smallholders and communities in nonconflict zones have enhanced livelihoods and resilience to seasonal climate shocks throughout the year 23.1

#### Strategic Outcome 4

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

14.3



## **Situation Update**

- Representatives of the JTC from WFP in South Sudan and Sudan, as well as the Governments of South Sudan and Sudan, convened a joint meeting to review the cross border humanitarian corridor operation. The meeting took place in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, between 2—4 July 2019. The parties agreed to extend the existing Memorandum of Understanding for the period between July 2019 June 2020. The parties also made firm commitments of saving lives and working together to address the ongoing humanitarian access challenges between the two countries.
- WFP has commenced the implementation of the African Development Bank grant capacity strengthening activities, which are part of the 43.57 million USD grant for the Short-Term Regional Emergency Response Project.

#### **WFP Response**



#### **Food and Nutrition Assistance**

- WFP and Cooperating Partners reached around 3.22 million people with a total of approximately 28,233 mt of food and \$3.29 million in cash in South Sudan in May.
- WFP registered up to 1,031,770 people in SCOPE, including the recent import of 53,600 beneficiaries from IOM (excluding ongoing registrations and pending uploads). Export of WFP SCOPE beneficiaries to IOM (197,000) is expected in the first week of July-2019. Additionally, thanks to the effort of WFP partners Welthungerhilfe, World Vision International and ACTED, 60,000 beneficiaries are being registered in SCOPE in Bentiu, Malakal, Wau, Wunrock and Aweil.



- WFP South Sudan Logistics Team received the 'WFP's Best Team 2018' Award from the Executive Director in Rome, Italy on 26 June. The award was in recognition of the exceptional qualities the team displayed towards saving lives and changing lives in South Sudan. Throughout 2018, the team worked hard to preposition commodities across the country making significant cost efficiency gains through the enhanced use of surface and river transport which led to reduction in the use of air transport.
- WFP is constructing six new mechanical workshops in Aweil, Bentiu, Bor, Kuajok, Rumbek and Wau suboffices, in addition to the existing ones. The workshops will have a variety of facilities required by mechanics to maintain vehicles which deliver much needed humanitarian assistance in South Sudan.



## Monitoring, Evaluation, Accountability and Learning (MEAL)

• WFP released its first **Quarterly Monitoring Report** for the period January-March 2019, summarizes the monitoring activities undertaken under the first quarter of the year. The report highlights the increase in coverage of regular monitoring of WFP activities, the results of a baseline survey for the implementation of a urban conditional cash-transfer programme and efforts to advance the activation of formal Complaints and Feedback Mechanisms (CFM) across all field office locations. WFP plans to share the report on a quarterly basis, focusing on its monitoring activities, processes and results of its programmes on a more frequent basis.





## 🏅 🔔 Safety Nets & Resilience

• WFP participated in an Integrated Resource Management (IRM) workshop organised by Cordaid on behalf of the Partnership for Resilience, a consortium of government NGOs from the Netherlands. The workshop sought to share and discuss experiences on IRM among key government ministries, UN, NGOs and academic institutions. WFP shared a presentation on the resilience programme design framework in South Sudan.

### **Clusters and Common Services**



## **Logistics Cluster**

- Over the last two weeks, the Logistics Cluster facilitated the transport of 512 mt of humanitarian items via road, river and air to 28 locations on behalf of 32 organizations including National NGOs such as Nile Hope and UN Agencies such as UNHCR.
- The most recent Access Constraints Map can be found at this link here. A significant degradation of the main roads is to be noted due to ongoing rainy season.
- For the first time since 2016, the Logistics Cluster successfully coordinated a convoy to Kajo Keji on 26 lune.
- As WFP focal point for EVD Preparedness, the Logistics Cluster participated at the UN-wide Table Topic Exercise (TTX) hosted by UNMISS on 2 July.

#### Humanitarian Air **Service** (UNHAS)

- Over the last two weeks, UNHAS transported 3,752 passengers and 69.19 mt of light humanitarian cargo to 53 destinations across South Sudan.
- UNHAS performed 8 medical evacuations on behalf of 8 organizations from Maban, Duk Padiet, Aweil, Nyal, Yirol, Rubkona, Ulang and Pibor.
- In support of the UNICEF family reunification project, UNHAS flew 8 children to be reunited with their families.
- UNHAS performed 5 passenger charter flights on behalf of UNDP, USAID, Logistic Cluster and WHO.
- Security relocation from Mankien was performed for 8 NGO staff.

WFP Interim Country Strategic Plan						
	Total Require- ments (in USD)	Allocated Contribu- tions (in USD) *	6 Months Net Funding Requirements** (in USD)	People Assisted*** (May, 2019)	Female	Male
ICSP TOTAL (2018-2020)	2.99b	1022.8	193.3	3,215,273	1,756,311	1,458,962
Activity 1 Provide nutrition-sensitive food assistance to crisis-affected populations Strategic Result 1: Access to food	1680.3	589.7	100.6	2,350,355	1,241,487	1,108,868
Activity 2 Provide food and nutrition assistance to refugees Strategic Result 1: Access to food	317.5	108.7	35.2	269,134	144,880	124,254
Activity 3 Provide nutrition assistance to populations at risk of malnutrition Strategic Result 2: End malnutrition	437.5	115.6	20.1	263,955	185,986	77,969
Activity 4 Provide livelihood support and build resilience of rural households Strategic Result 3: Smallholder Productivity and Income	220.2	74.2	23.1	331,829	183,958	147,871
Activity 5 Operate air services for the humanitarian community Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	152.4	34.2	3.8	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	45.0	0.1	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 7 Supply Chain provision Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	16.5	4.9	0	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 8 Inter-Agency IT Communication Service Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	6.5	1.9	0.5	N/A	N/A	N/A
Activity 9 SCOPE Service to humanitarian partners Strategic Result 8: Global Partnerships	36.7	4.9	9.6	N/A	N/A	N/A
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	43.8				

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