

2010 CONSOLIDATED APPEAL-UGANDA
PROTECTION SECTOR - IDPS
Monitoring Report for May - August
BUNYORO REGION-WESTERN UGANDA

The progress chart operates in two levels: the text in each box expresses the indicators of the SECTOR and the colors show the trend, toward meeting the target by the end of 2010

ON TRACK: Target already met or expected to be met during 2010.

MINOR GAPS: Programming challenges and/or gaps are delaying progress in some areas

MAJOR GAPS: Programming challenges and/or gaps are delaying progress in many areas

UNABLE TO MEET TARGET: This target is not expected to be met in 2010

INSUFFICIENT DATA: Unable to monitor, or indicator not applicable for the quarter.

OVERVIEW, PRIORITY GAPS, ACTIONS REQUIRED:

According to local authorities, Kiryandongo district (recently carved out of Masindi district) hosts about 55,000 IDPs from the Acholi sub-region. In view of the transition from relief to recovery and ongoing returns and resettlement, another IDP head and household count by local authorities is necessary and already planned for later this year to secure credible and updated statistics on residual numbers and precise locations, including ascertaining EVI/PSN households. Following the count & mapping exercise, a mini Durable Solutions Assessment or rapid intentions' survey will be necessary to establish a baseline for a coordinated and targeted programming response, to include support to EVIs/PSNs.

Interim priority actions focus on key protection concerns: (i) EVIs/PSNs; (ii) SGBV (women battering, defilement, rape, and early/forced marriages); and (iii) access to basic services.

In collaboration with the district government, the following activities will be undertaken: (i) Trainings of Area Land Committees and sub-county courts; and (ii) Community outreaches on SGBV, protection and human rights.

Above efforts notwithstanding, critical protection concerns and durable solution gaps persist. There is need for greater and sustained local government leadership and ownership of process; stronger recovery support from the central government; and joint advocacy for a targeted and sustained recovery effort to support IDPs achieve sustainable durable solutions.

CAP 2010 STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE 1: BASIC SERVICES

To supplement Government efforts to save lives and alleviate suffering, as the basis for creating the conditions to achieve Durable Solutions.

TARGET INDICATOR	STATUS	PROGRESS UPDATE AND ACTION REQUIRED
Number of PSN/EVIs supported to achieve durable solutions	UNABLE TO MEET TARGET	There are as yet no specific coordinated and targeted responses to support EVIs/PSNs achieve sustainable durable solutions. Planned head/household count and mapping to include identification of EVIs/PSNs for possible targeted support in 2009-2010.
Number of camps closed/ transformed into viable communities	UNABLE TO MEET TARGET	Irrelevant as there are no IDP camps in western Uganda. IDPs live together with host communities.