

SNAPSHOT

 **2,035,232**

INTERNALLY DISPLACED POPULATION

91% due to insurgency, 8% communal clashes & 1% natural disaster

IOM-DTM Round XXIX - as of December 2019

 **240,377**

NIGERIAN REFUGEES REGISTERED IN CAMEROON, CHAD AND NIGER

UNHCR - as of December 2019

 **55,199**

REFUGEES AND ASYLUM SEEKERS REGISTERED IN NIGERIA

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SITUATION OVERVIEW

Nigeria faces immense humanitarian and protection challenges due to the ongoing insurgency in the North East. The conflict has caused grave human rights violations, impacting particularly on the most vulnerable civilians. As of December 2019, there are **2,035,232** persons internally displaced in the North East regions, with **90%** of the displacements originating from Borno, Adamawa and Yobe States. Nigeria has registered refugee / asylum seeker population of **55,199** individuals, **65%** located mainly in Cross Rives, **13%** in Benue, **15%** in Taraba, **1%** in Akwa Ibom and **6%** urban refugees located in Lagos. **241,039** Nigerian refugees are taking asylum in neighbouring countries Niger (**49.6%**), Cameroon (**45.4%**) and Chad (**5.0%**)

