

UNFPA Humanitarian Response Indicators

Indicators for the reporting period

- 6,289 Women accessed ANC services
- 1,117 Women provided with PNC services
- 739 Assisted deliveries
- 95 Caesarian sections performed
- 137 Women provided with post-abortion care services
- 494 Women reached with FP services
- 4,322 Condoms distributed
- 8,667 People reached with GBV messages



Fainess Yobe, UNFPA Midwife in Wau visiting a mother and baby in IDPs camp for post-partum monitoring. Photo: UNFPA / Amadou Baraze

1. Situation overview

The situation remains relatively calm countrywide, but unpredictable. Intermittent clashes and intercommunity fighting were reported in some parts of the country.

The Government and opposition have signed a peace agreement in Addis Ababa under the mediation of the Intergovernmental Agency for Development (IGAD) and the international community to end the conflict that caused 1.5 million people internally displaced and may leave about 6.4 million people in need of humanitarian assistance by the end of 2015.

Biometric registration and verification of IDPs conducted by IOM have revealed an increase in the number of IDPs in some POCs and IDP camp sites. Hence the need to maintain and scale up services in IDP and PoC locations.

Humanitarian partners continued providing services for both IDPs and their host communities. UNFPA is providing frontline and coordination services in RH and GBV prevention and services and providing RH commodities and supplies to clinics to ensure quality service delivery of RH and GBV. UNFPA continues to engage partners in far flung areas of the country to reach affected populations.

Overall Humanitarian Needs in 2015

- 12 million**
Total population of South Sudan
- 6.4 million**
Estimated number of people in need of humanitarian aid
- 3.4 million**
Targeted with RH and GBV services
- 850,000**
Women of Reproductive age group
- 140,000**
Projected number of births
- 8,000**
Projected births that will require caesarean section
- 32,000**
Women and girls at risk of sexual violence
- 25 million**
Funding required

2. UNFPA Emergency Response

Reproductive Health

UNFPA continued providing reproductive health frontline information and services within IDP communities; working with partners to ensure availability of RH commodities and supplies and quality service delivery.

During the reporting period 6,289 pregnant women accessed antenatal care (ANC) services, 739 assisted deliveries were conducted, 1,117 women were provided with postnatal care (PNC) services, 137 women accessed post abortion care services, 1,814 clients counselled and tested for HIV and STIs, 494 women accessed family planning services, 95 caesarean sections performed. No maternal death was reported during this period.

UNFPA supported the establishment of a first aid team and standby ambulance at IOM registration and verification of IDPs in Awerial. UNFPA and partners ensured pregnant and lactating mothers were given priority in placement for registration and 1,654 lactating and pregnant mothers have received Vitamin A supplementation at the site.

In Mingkamann, 445 young people (aged between 12 - 22) were reached with messages on adolescent reproductive health and 540 condoms were distributed during the training sessions. RH kits were also distributed to partners to ensure availability across the health facilities.

UNFPA has started monthly ANC promotion campaigns in Bentiu, aimed at mobilising and encouraging pregnant mothers to attend Antenatal clinics and to promote skilled birth attendance.

The first of the campaigns was done together with Care International in Bentiu PoCs on 2 and 3 February 2015. Over the two days, 221 mothers benefited from ANC services.

UNFPA Continues to provide Partners with RH supplies to scale up service provision In Bentiu.

Key Package in Outreach ANC in Bentiu

- Distribution of Mosquito nets.
- Hygiene Kits including bathing and washing soap.
- Pregnancy tests and examinations to the pregnant mothers
- Provision of prophylactic drugs and tetanus vaccination.
- Distribution of personal delivery kits
- Distribution of dignity kits.

Gender Based Violence (GBV)

Women leaders in South Sudan call on UNMISS to provide women with more protection from Sexual and Gender-Based Violence both in and out of the PoC camps

Partners continued delivering psychosocial support and case management services within PoCs and IDPs camp sites.

During the reporting period a total of 8,089 (Women 3,349; Men: 1,417; Girls: 2,437; Boys: 886) were provided with GBV services.

UNFPA hosted a one day orientation meeting for its six (06) GBV partners to streamline the expected key deliverables for GBV in humanitarian settings based on the GBV Strategy and the Country Programme Annual Plan.

The UN Assistant Secretary General for Human Rights visited Unity State on 4 Feb 2015 and toured the Bentiu PoCs and meet women leaders. The women leaders called on UNMISS to provide women with more protection from Sexual and Gender-Based Violence both in and out of the PoC camps

The newly appointed GBV Sub-Cluster Roving Coordinator Ms. Camilla Marthinsen is now in office and will be supporting partners in the field.

The International Medical Corp (IMC) has taken on the responsibility of CO-Lead Agency for the GBV Sub-Cluster in South Sudan

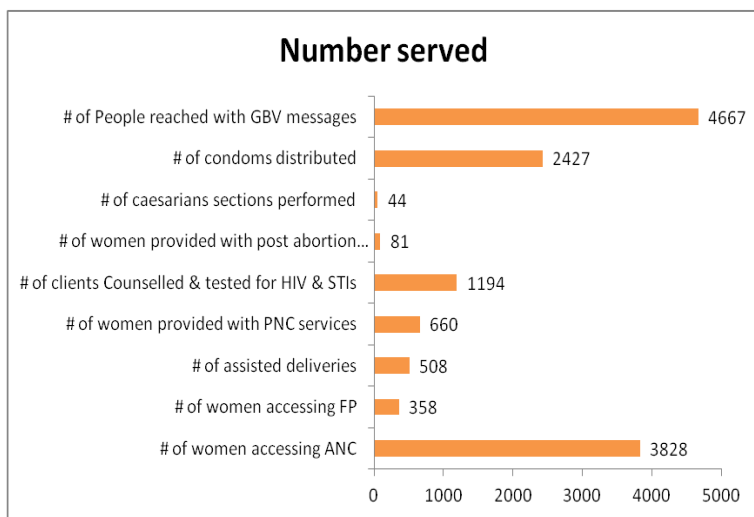


UNFPA RH & GBV Field Coordinator in Malakal, Wondimagegn Mekonnen having group discussion on GBV issues with women in Warjock IDP settlement .

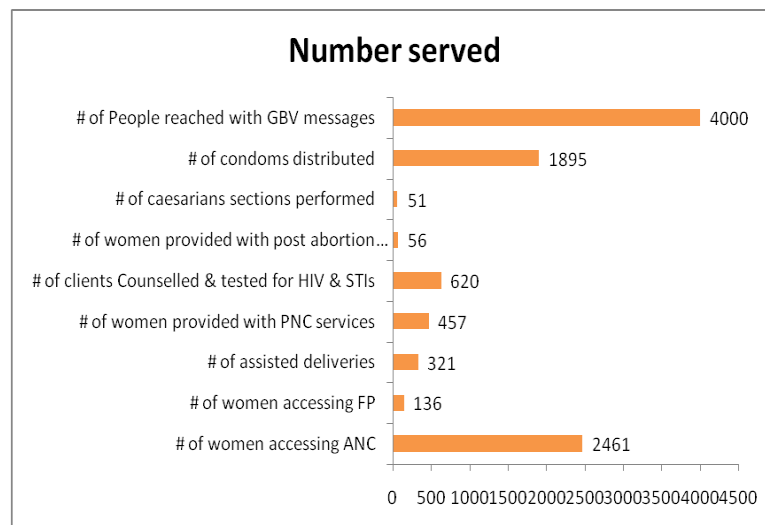


Fainess Yobe, UNFPA midwife in Wau educating TBAs on post delivery management. Photo: UNFPA/ Amadou Baraze

3. Selected Indicators of RH and GBV Services provided during the reporting period

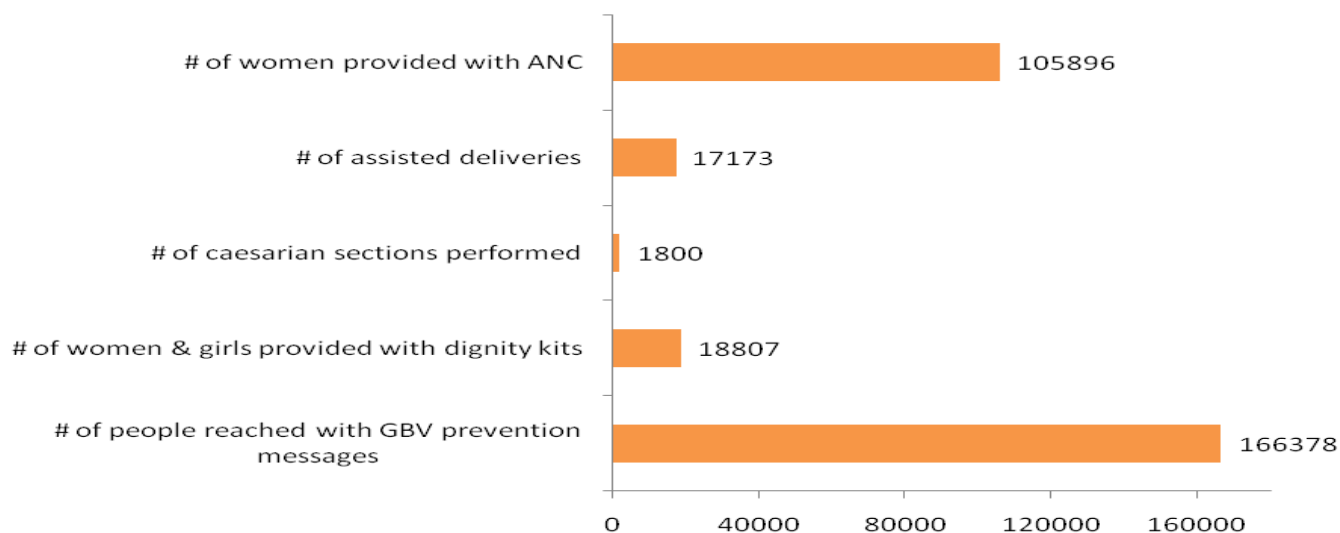


Graph 1: Numbers for week 22 - 29 January



Graph 2: Numbers for week 30 Jan. - 5 February

Cumulative Numbers Reached with UNFPA Support to Date



4. Funding

During this reporting period, UNFPA received notification from CHF on the disbursement of US \$ 860,000 to support UNFPA humanitarian programming as part of the CHF standard allocation for 2015. This brings us to US \$3.9million funds mobilized for the response this year 2015.

5. Advocacy and Communication

UNFPA is hosting a journalist from Canada visiting South Sudan and documenting Canada funded maternal health projects and contribution to quality sexual and reproductive health and rights services in the country. The journalist has so far visited UNFPA project sites in Juba, Wau and Bentiu and is scheduled to visit Malakal next week.

5. Donors Supporting Operations of UNFPA in South Sudan

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