

Nutrition Sector Response in Nigeria

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Nutrition Sector Dashboard

PEOPLE IN NEED

2016



FUNDING REQUIREMENT

2016



STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

2.5 mil

Current (2017)

3.4 mil

33.2 mil

Current (2017)

110.3 mil

PEOPLE ASSISTED

2016

1.7mil

Current (2017)

226,576*



Nutrition Sector Objective #1

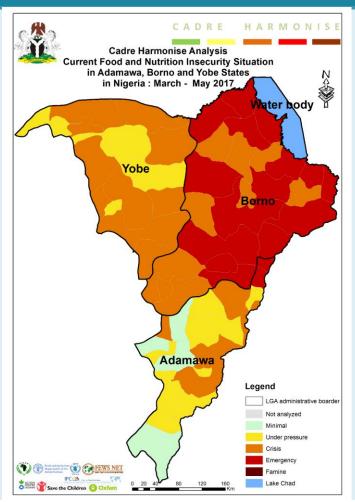
Improve equitable access quality to lifesaving services for management of acute malnutrition for children (boys and girls 6-59 months) and pregnant and breastfeeding through systematic identification, women referral and of treatment acutely malnourished cases.

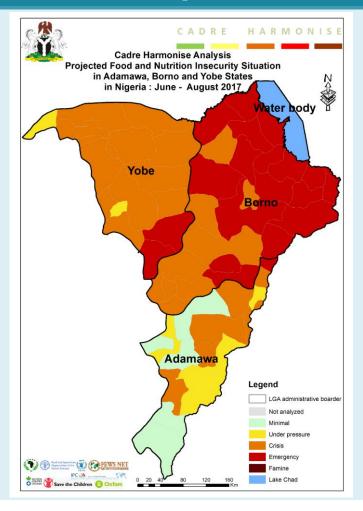
Nutrition Sector Objective #2

Promote access to services preventing under-nutrition for the vulnerable groups (children under the five and pregnant and breastfeeding women) focusing on infant and young child feeding in emergencies, micronutrient supplementation, and blanket supplementary feeding.



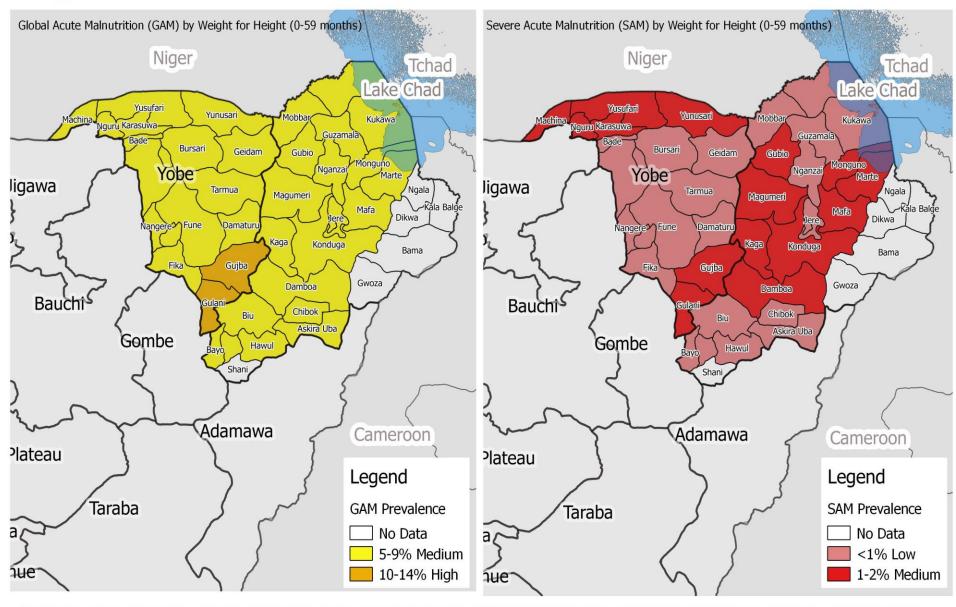
Cadre Harmonize Joint FS and Nutrition situation analysis framework







NUTRITION AND FOOD SECURITY SURVEILLANCE: NORTH EAST NIGERIA — EMERGENCY SURVEY March 2017

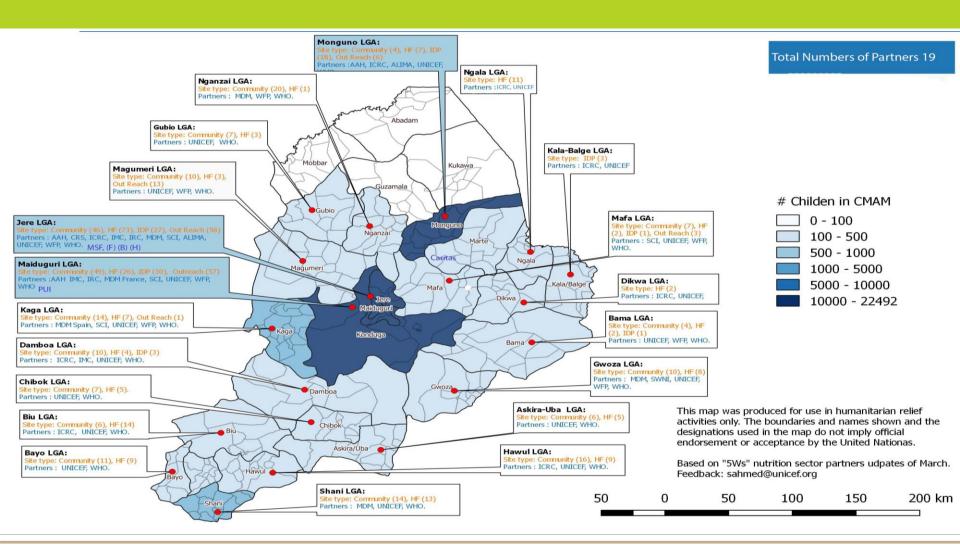




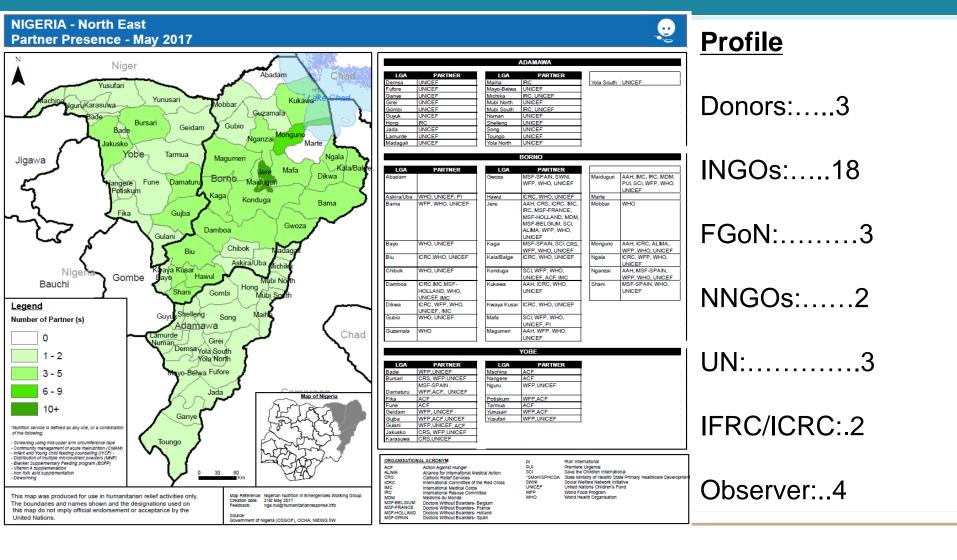
Operational Presence Maps



Nutrition Sector: Borno Partners Presence



Nutrition Sectors North East LGA Presence Map





Current Nutrition Sector Interventions



Current FSC / Nutrition Interventions

JOINT PIN



Joint targeting:

3.4 M beneficiaries targeted for **Nutrition Sector** interventions are part of **5.1M.** beneficiaries targeted in **Food Security Sector**

TARGETED POPULATION



- The Nutrition and Food Security Sectors' targeting was based on Cadre Harmonise phase classification
- The 2.7 M women and children targeted for nutrition interventions are part of the 5.1M beneficiaries that Food Security Sector targeted with various Interventions

APPROPRIATE FAMINE PREVENTION RESPONSE PACKAGE

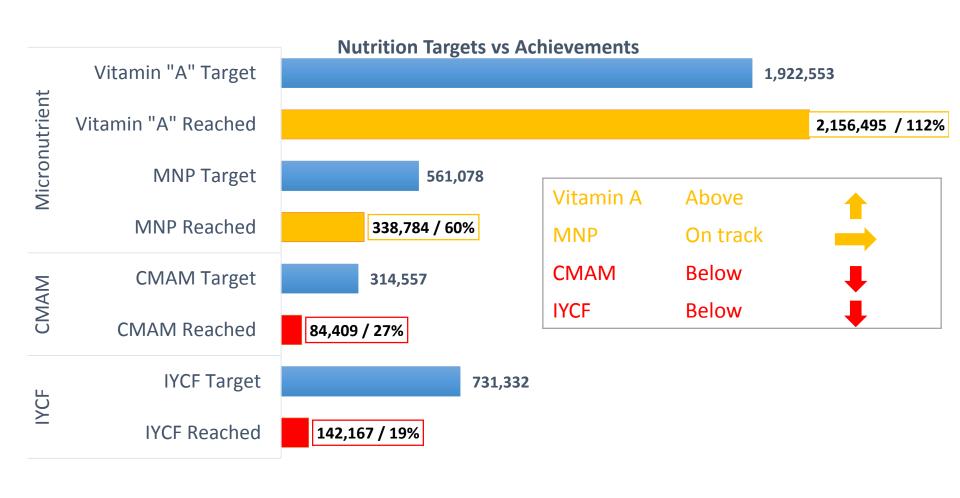
- Food assistance (in-kind and cash) 3.2 m people
- Agriculture (crop production inputs- tools seeds& fertilizer) –
 1.9 m people
- Nutrition (total 2.7m people part of 5.1m people)
 - SAM 315,000
 - IYCF 731,335
 - Vitamin A 1.9m

Achievements to date - Current FS / Nutrition Sectors Joint Programming



- 275,801 households with acutely malnourished children targeted for general food distributions
- 12,209 HH received Cash Transfers linked to uptake of nutrition services
- 4 Cadre Harmonise conducted Evidence based multi sectorial (food security and nutrition) assessment
- 18 Joint Rapid response mechanism (RRM) missions to access constraint areas conducted.

Nutrition Sector Achievements





Challenges

- Secondary displacement occasioned by flooding, returnees from Cameroon and relocations due to the inability of the Banki and Pulka IDP camps to hold more IDP's.
- Mobilize donors and partner with capacity to fund and implement rapid response or mobile emergency response teams as well as multi sector projects.
- The sector is challenged with capacity to provide inpatient care for severely malnourished with medical complications in newly liberated areas (qualified human resources)
- Lack of commitment from implementing partners to update funding status on financial tracking services FTS.
- Likelihood of increased insurgency attacks due to the vegetation overgrowth and limited movement of security forces affecting service delivery.
- Slow progress to achieving the sector targets on SAM due to inadequate service coverage, weak community nutrition component, sub optimal reporting and limited workforce from State in the areas with access challenges.



Recommendations

- Advocate for further commitment by donors i.e DFID to increase funding for joint food and nutrition intervention through the use of cash based transfer linked to SAM admission.
- Discussions on developing Joint approach on assessment initiated with the EFSA teams discussing with the NFSS team to see the possibilities of combining the two assessments.
- Task force formulated between the food and nutrition sector to facilitate the agenda for the joint meeting between the two sectors and implement the joint action plan.
- Implement the nutrition and food security sectors flood and returnees contingency plan and a multi sectorial rapid response mechanism proposal submitted in the First allocation of the Nigerian humanitarian pooled funding.
- Round two of the nutrition and food security surveillance training ongoing and data collection and analysis to be finalized by mid-July.



Key asks from GNC and Global level Partners.

- Support required from GNC or TRRT on finalizing the 2017- 2018 nutrition sector response / scale-up plan, current draft being reviewed by sector partners.
- Support the current stand by partner IM with GNC information management training for country clusters.
- GNC depending on availability technically support with the CCPM validation workshop scheduled 13th July 2017 and subsequent presentation of the action plan to CLA and HCT.
- Global partners with presence in Nigeria to support their technical staff to establish Mobile/ rapid response capacity in their response.



