HIGHLIGHTS

There have been a series of military operations in Belo since the beginning of August and have caused mass displacements. The operation of the 26th and 29th August was particular and that led to the displacement of over 6,000 persons. Women and children constitute the greater part of the displaced population. Many houses and businesses were destroyed. The violence also caused the displacement of 170 IDP mainly Bororo Fulani who ran away from violence specifically targeting them. Majority of them are children and self-settled in Bamum living condition is worsening.

NEED ANALYSIS

The IDPs newly displaced are living in huts that have leaking grass roofs. They lack every basic NFIs and some sleep on patches of picked mattresses and clothes. There is no latrine and no source of drinking water. They practice open defecation. The situation in this locality requires urgent action. ARRM has been activated and OCHA in consultation with partners are mobilizing resources to conduct MSNA

RESPONSE

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Elsewhere, 800 households benefited from assistance in core relief items as UNHCR through its partner Plan International carried out distribution in some highly affected communities in Bali. Close to 8613 persons were reached with core relief items in villages such as Gungong, Mbufung, Jam Jam, Mbeluh/Medium, Mbadmande, Kopin, Bali Centre, Njenka all in Bali subdivision in Mezam division of the North West region.

GAPS / CHALLENGES

Threats from NSAGs is still a significant deterrent in the delivery of humanitarian aid in both the NW/SW regions - Illegal checkpoints and demand for money from NSAGs is recurrent especially along areas with limited state security presence