

Cameroon June 2025



Construction of Emergency Shelters and Distribution of Shelter Kits by IOM, Far North region Photographer: Shelter WG Coordinator







HIGHLIGHTS

As part of the global humanitarian reset, the ISCG reprioritized the humanitarian response, leading to a 3% reduction in Shelter/NFI targets, now covering 650,500 individuals in line with ERC guidance. The revised budget, calculated using the activity cost methodology, amounts to \$16 million—a 27.3% decrease. Priority areas include key divisions across the Northwest, Southwest, and Far North regions, such as Donga-Mantung, Fako, Manyu, and Logone et Chari.

The Sector held its bimonthly meeting on May 28, finalizing two draft versions of a three-phase Transition Plan to strengthen national coordination, support leadership transfer, and build resilient structures, while considering political risks, regional crises, and existing coordination mechanisms including the NEXUS and Durable Solutions frameworks.

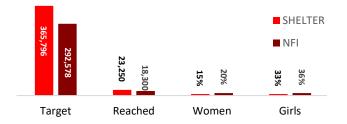
RESPONSE

A total of 40,496 people received NFI assistance and accessed adequate shelter through emergency – transitional – durable interventions. In the Far North region 2982 households have been assisted with shelter items/kits and household items while a total of 2518 households gained access to emergency shelters. In the North-West, South-West regions 1000 households have been assisted with shelter items/kits and household items while 126 households gained access to shelter through rental support and 200 households got their shelters repaired.

GAPS / CHALLENGES

The suspension of U.S. funding has worsened the already dire shelter crisis in 2024. In addition to 475,500 people lacking adequate shelter, 16,000 more—half of them children—in several Northwest and Southwest regions now face homelessness, poor health, food insecurity, and increased vulnerability due to the halted support.

SHELTER/NFI ASSISTANCE (HRP25)



KEY FIGURES (HRP 2025)

 $18~{\rm partners}~12~{\rm local~partners}~1,4~M$ people in need $686~K~{\rm targeted}~22~M~US\$$ requirements

2.6% funded* 55% Cash based interventions

* Source: Financial Tracking System by OCHA https://fts.unocha.org/plans/1159/summary

KEY DATES

On 17 October 2018, the Shelter Cluster was activated for the South-West and North-West regions of Cameroon to support the response to the Anglophone crisis. In the Far North region the Shelter WG exists since 2015 to respond to displacement generated by tensions at the border with Nigeria, seasonal flooding, inter-community tensions.

KEY DOCUMENTS

- Shelter/NFI Cluster Strategy (NATIONAL)
- Action Plan 2025

KEY LINK

Country pages:

- HNO 2025 & HRP 2025
- https://www.sheltercluster.org/response/cameroon
- https://reliefweb.int/country/cmr

DASHBOARDS LINKs

- The Far North region <u>Dashboard</u>
- The North-West and South-West regions <u>Dashboard</u>

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NATIONAL https://sheltercluster.org/response/cameroon https://sheltercluster.org/hub/north-west-south-we

FN https://sheltercluster.org/hub/far-north