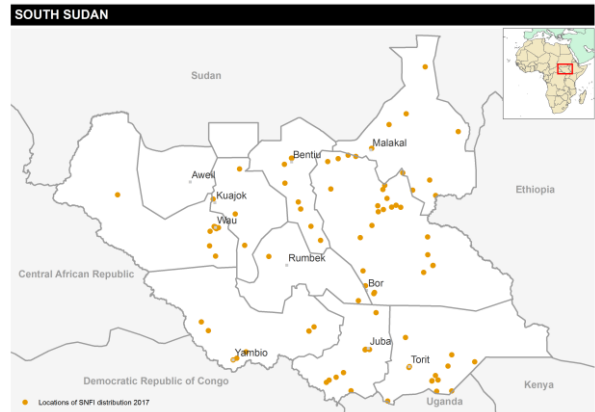




Women IDP constructing their shelter in Wau PoC. Rikka Tupaz/IOM



## NEEDS ANALYSIS

- About 1.9 million people were internally displaced as the results of recurrent conflict in various locations in South Sudan, while other hundreds of thousands of people fled to the neighbouring country (i.e. Uganda, Kenya, DRC, CAR and Ethiopia) seeking for refugee in 2017. The situation in South Sudan remains dire, people are unable to meet their basic needs and still relying on humanitarian assistance. The situation worsened when famine was declared in some parts of Unity State, on top of an ongoing cholera outbreak throughout the year in all regions of South Sudan.
- Some locations, such as Maiwut, Kajo-Keji and Yei, high, ongoing S/NFI needs remained, but were not accessible. Partners worked closely with UN OCHA trying to regain access to these locations to enable them to provide humanitarian assistance to the displaced populations.
- After months of negotiations, partners finally gained access to provide humanitarian assistance in Baggari area, Wau County.

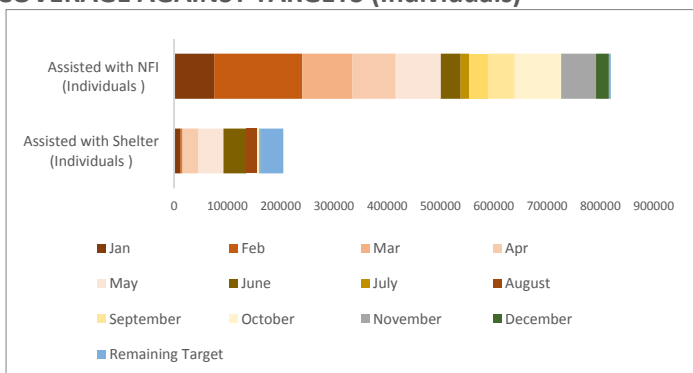
## RESPONSE

- In 2017, cluster partners reached **174,632 Households (815,834 individuals)** with NFIs and **39,154 households (162,164 individuals)** with shelter assistance.
- The core pipeline managed to dispatch **2,931 MT** of stock from central workhouse in Juba to the field locations for response.
- A total of 148 needs assessments/verifications and 133 distributions carried out in 2017.

## GAPS & CHALLENGES

- Access and insecurity remain the key challenges for the humanitarian actors in South Sudan. Active hostilities and violence against humanitarian personnel continued hampering the humanitarian operations particularly in conflicted areas.

## COVERAGE AGAINST TARGETS (Individuals)



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## KEY DATES

The Shelter-NFI Cluster was activated in 2011 upon South Sudan's independence from Sudan. Since the civil war began in December 2013, the S-NFI Cluster has drastically scaled up to meet shelter and NFI needs that continue to increase.

Activation of cluster: 2011

## KEY DOCUMENTS

- [Shelter/NFI Cluster Strategy - 2017](#)
- [Methodology for Response](#)
- [Cluster Snapshot](#)
- [Pipeline Snapshot](#)

## KEY LINKS

- [Sheltersouthsudan.org](http://Sheltersouthsudan.org)
- [sheltercluster.org/response/south-sudan](http://sheltercluster.org/response/south-sudan)

## KEY FIGURES

**23** Cluster partners      **1.63 M / 1.02 M** People in need / targeted

## FUNDING (Source: OCHA Funds Tracking System)

