

Somalia January 2015

Picture Bossaso: Miguel Gomez



STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

- SO1: contribute to the protection of displaced people, including those affected by natural hazards, through provision of NFIs and Emergency shelter.
- SO2: Improve the living conditions of the protected internally displaced persons (T-shelters, permanent shelter and improved land tenure).

NEED ANALYSIS

Somalia continues to face a severe humanitarian crisis with displacement across the country from natural disaster and conflict in 2014. Humanitarian actors operate within insecure environment at great personal risk, and with restricted movement and access.

Funding for shelter is a main constraint, with many humanitarian actors in Puntland and Somaliland scaling down their shelter response capacity as a result. IDPs in Mogadishu and Kismaayo suffer from secondary displacement through evictions. In South Central Somalia, new displacements are common due to inter-clan conflict, floods, military offensive and disruption of market activities. Drop out pastoralists remains problematic in the Gedo and Juba regions.

While reporting gaps shelter and NFI needs persist, the Shelter Cluster has pioneered innovative approaches in data collection and remote mapping to improve the baseline information on displaced communities.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Infrastructure mapping exercise implemented in 2014 in 13 different cities: Luuq, Bossaso, Mogadishu, Gaalkacyo, Kismaayo, Baidoa, Hargeysa, Burao, Jowhar, Marka, Dholeby, Afmadow and Diff. For more information see maps on home page.
- Shelter cluster has advocated strongly with the authorities in various regions for longer term land tenure agreements. In Puntland and Somaliland, the authorities continue to demonstrate the desire to address durable solutions for IDPs with the provision of land tenures.

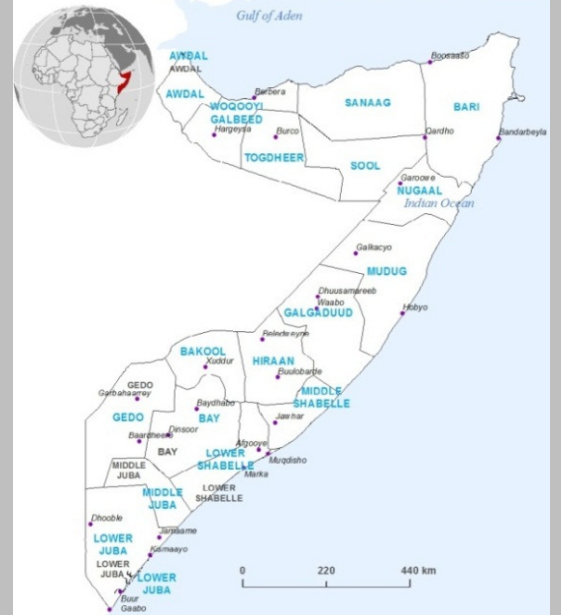
KEY FIGURES

937,000

Total affected population

467,000

Cluster target population



KEY DATES

Crises: Clan conflicts; Floods, Military offensive, Drought, Fire and evictions
Activation of Cluster: 2006

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KEY DOCUMENTS - Hyperlinks

Shelter Cluster Somalia
Somalia Cluster Maps
Somalia Cluster Projects

SRP FUNDING - Shelter Cluster

\$ 44 million requested

