NWSW Shelter Cluster Meeting

3rd August 2022

Hybrid Format

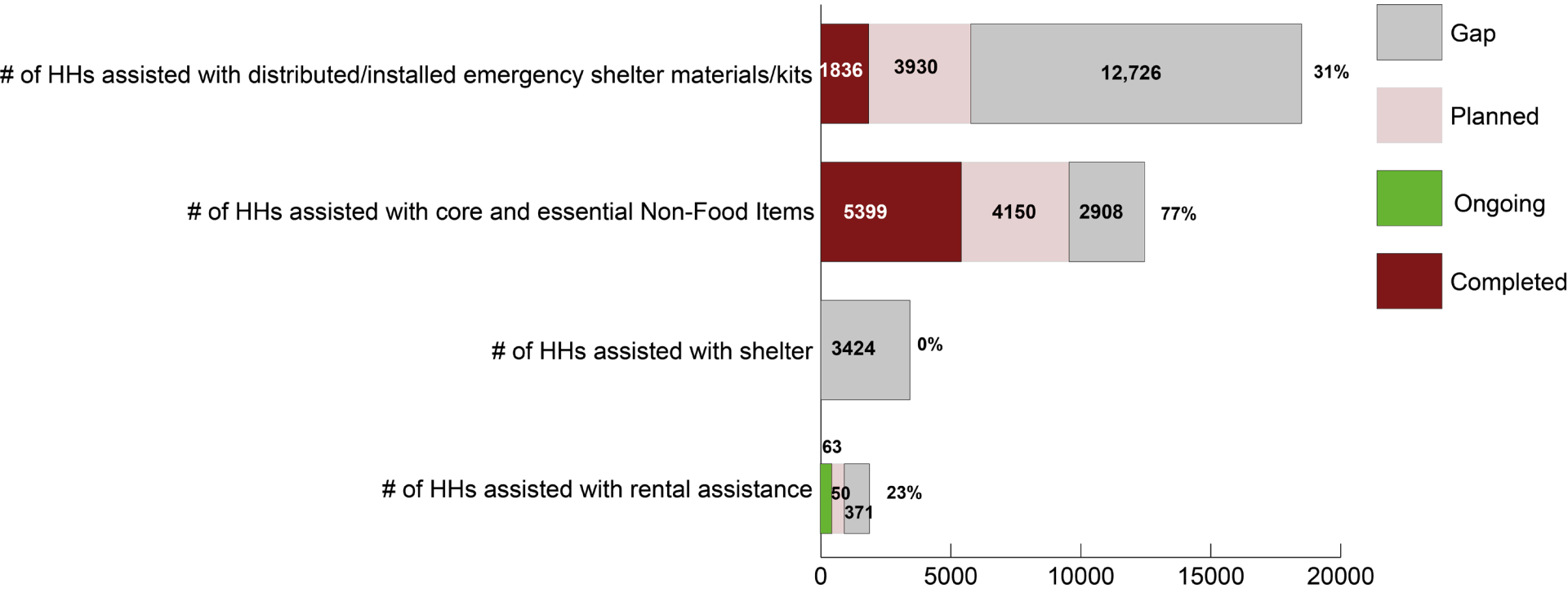
Agenda

1. Updates on Action Points from the Last meeting
2. IM Updates on Reporting Tools
3. Co-Chair Candidacy Presentations
    a. CRS
    b. NRC
4. Shelter Kit Checklist and Guidelines Updates
5. Price Monitoring
6. Partner Updates
7. AOB

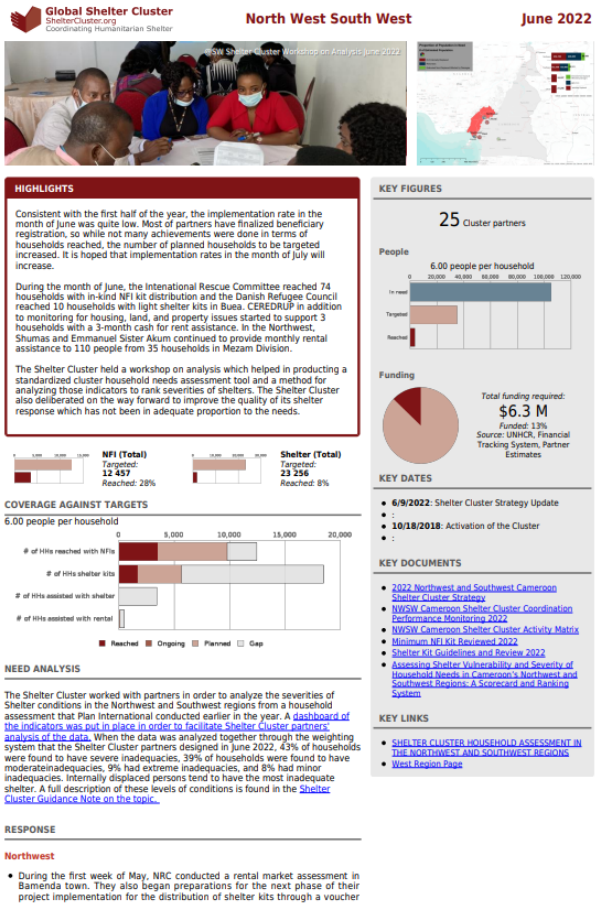
Action Points Updates

Action Points	Updates on Action Points
5W Submissions	8th August Deadline
Shelter Cluster discussion on MEB	Updating prices based on data shared by some agencies to be covered in today's meeting
CRS and NRC to update Cluster on timeline for cash training	Propose to meet with agencies this month to discuss ways forward
Shelter Toolkit	Updates and SOP Process to be shared today during the cluster meeting
Co-Chair Call for Applications	CRS and NRC to present their applications during today's cluster meeting
Shelter Cluster partners reporting rise in prices to commodities to share with the Cluster team	Today during the Cluster Meeting
Shelter Cluster partners to consider available resources that they have for response in the West	Open point- no concrete feedback

Updates from 5W Dashboard and Implementation Rate as of Mid-Year



Photos and Assessment Updates



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North West South West

June 2022

NWSW Shelter Cluster Workshop on Analysis June 2022

HIGHLIGHTS

Consistent with the first half of the year, the implementation rate in the month of June was quite low. Most of partners have finalized beneficiary registration, so while not many achievements were done in terms of households reached, the number of planned households to be targeted increased. It is hoped that implementation rates in the month of July will increase.

During the month of June, the Intenational Rescue Committee reached 74 households with in-kind NFI kit distribution and the Danish Refugee Council reached 10 households with light shelter kits in Buea. CEREDRUP in addition to monitoring for housing, land, and property issues started to support 3 households with a 3-month cash for rent assistance. In the Northwest, Shumas and Emmanuel Sister Akum continued to provide monthly rental assistance to 110 people from 35 households in Mezam Division.

The Shelter Cluster held a workshop on analysis which helped in producting a standardized cluster household needs assessment tool and a method for analyzing those indicators to rank severities of shelters. The Shelter Cluster also deliberated on the way forward to improve the quality of its shelter response which has not been in adequate proportion to the needs.

KEY FIGURES

25 Cluster partners

People

6.00 people per household

Funding

Total funding required:
$6.3 M
Funded: 13%
Source: UNHCR, Financial Tracking System, Partner Estimates

KEY DATES

- **6/9/2022**: Shelter Cluster Strategy Update
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- **10/18/2018**: Activation of the Cluster
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KEY DOCUMENTS

- 2022 Northwest and Southwest Cameroon Shelter Cluster Strategy
- NWSW Cameroon Shelter Cluster Coordination Performance Monitoring 2022
- NWSW Cameroon Shelter Cluster Activity Matrix
- Minimum NFI Kit Reviewed 2022
- Shelter Kit Guidelines and Review 2022
- Assessing Shelter Vulnerability and Severity of Household Needs in Cameroon's Northwest and Southwest Regions: A Scorecard and Ranking System

KEY LINKS

- SHELTER CLUSTER HOUSEHOLD ASSESSMENT IN THE NORTHWEST AND SOUTHWEST REGIONS
- West Region Page

NFI (Total)
Targeted: 12 457
Reached: 28%

Shelter (Total)
Targeted: 23 256
Reached: 8%

COVERAGE AGAINST TARGETS

6.00 people per household

# of HHs reached with NFIs
# of HHs shelter kits
# of HHs assisted with shelter
# of HHs assisted with rental

Reached Ongoing Planned Gap

NEED ANALYSIS

The Shelter Cluster worked with partners in order to analyze the severities of Shelter conditions in the Northwest and Southwest regions from a household assessment that Plan International conducted earlier in the year. A dashboard of the indicators was put in place in order to facilitate Shelter Cluster partners' analysis of the data. When the data was analyzed together through the weighting system that the Shelter Cluster partners designed in June 2022, 43% of households were found to have severe inadequacies, 39% of households were found to have moderateinadequacies, 9% had extreme inadequacies, and 8% had minor inadequacies. Internally displaced persons tend to have the most inadequate shelter. A full description of these levels of conditions is found in the Shelter Cluster Guidance Note on the topic.

RESPONSE

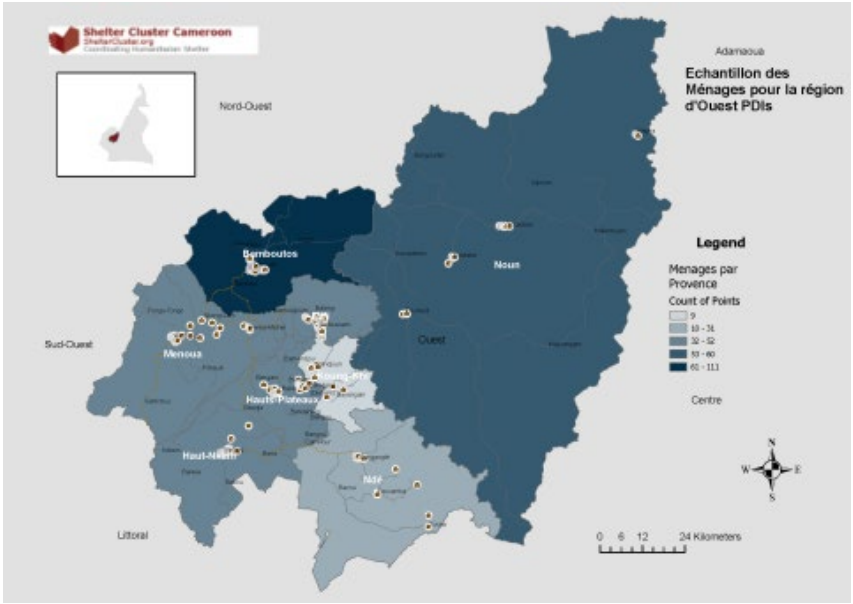
Northwest

- During the first week of May, NRC conducted a rental market assessment in Bamenda town. They also began preparations for the next phase of their project implementation for the distribution of shelter kits through a voucher

- COHESODEC reported 173 burnt homes assessed in Bui, Mezam, Menchum, and Momo Divisions

Light Shelter Coordination Mechanism in West and Littoral

- https://sheltercluster.org/hub/west-region
- Dedi Assessment: Analysis Plan is available
- Partner capacity for response



Co-chair Scope

- Co-chair is an agency, but the agency will need to select a staff
- The staff will need to spend 50% of time working on the cluster activities
- Activities and outputs are specific:
  - Monitoring and Evaluation in the Field
  - 3 Subdivision Cluster Notes updating on needs and response outcomes

Call for Applications for Co-Chair

- Criteria
  - Evidence of independent funding
  - CV of staff that will spend 50% of time to the Cluster
  - Presence in both NWSW and ability to represent Cluster regularly in SW
  - Experience in Shelter, NFI implementation

Presentations by CRS and NRC of their applications

- Voting to be circulated after the meeting with submissions for your vote due by Wednesday 10th August

Shelter Kit Tool SOP

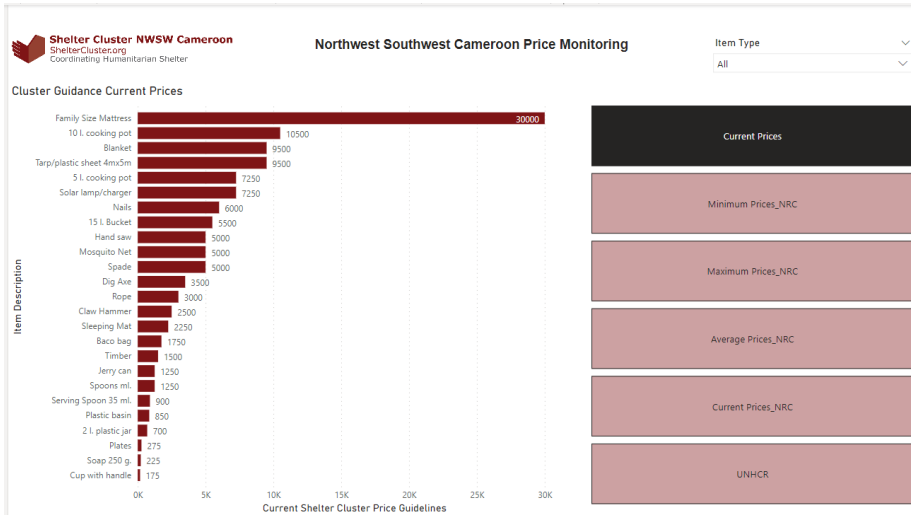
- 2 components
- Requires agencies to assign a unique ID based on geographic location and number as guided by the tool (First 3 letters of Region, First 3 letters of Division, First 3 letters of Subdivision, First 3 letters of village, number)
- Butang village in Bafut example: Nor-Mez-Baf-But-1
- How to ensure follow up unique ID: SMS on cellphone, ID cards, etc? (to be given at distribution)
- Training of shelter committees for follow up at the shelter level

1st part of the tool to be used during beneficiary registration

2nd Part of the tool to be used by Shelter Committees after distribution at the HH level

Price Monitoring Updates

- NRC, UNHCR shared updates
- DRC proposal to implement price monitoring tool
- Global inflation accelerated in Cameroon by Russian invasion of Ukraine
- WFP reported that Ukraine was primary exporter of iron to Cameroon heavily impacting Cameroonian Construction sector and materials



Updates from Partners