

WORLD VISION ETHIOPIA HUNGER RESPONSE SITUATION REPORT NO.13

World Vision

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KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- **Agricultural harvests looking favourable in many areas:** In some areas, family food security may improve in the months to come as the current meher harvests (short growing season) are expected to bring favourable results and increase the availability of cereal crops. The kiremt (main growing season) 2017 seasonal rainfall was favourable for meher crop production in most areas including Western Oromia, Amhara, Benishangul and other places.
- **Areas at risk:** Still, in some areas lower yields are expected, particularly in the lowlands of central and eastern Oromia Region and in SNNPR, where rains were late and erratic and food insecurity is expected to persist in the months to come. The Somali region remains the worst affected in the country and many families are facing emergency levels of food insecurity.
- **Increasing need for therapeutic feeding to address severe malnutrition:** Between January and September 2017, a total of 255,863 children under age 5 were admitted into the national Community Management of Acute Malnutrition programme for treatment of severe acute malnutrition.
- **Conflict-induced displaced require more assistance:** Government and humanitarian partners continue to respond to the rising needs of conflict induced displaced people in Oromia and Somali regions, but needs surpass available resources.
- **Disease Outbreak:** Acute Watery Diarrhoea (AWD) remains a pending public health threat in Ethiopia, with increasing cases since the previous reporting. Since the start of this year, 48,131 cases have reported with 859 deaths.
- **Continuing response into 2018:** Due to continued need, World Vision plans to continue its response to Ethiopia's hunger crisis by providing life-saving nutrition support, water, sanitation and hygiene, health, education and livelihood/food security projects in the drought affected areas. World Vision has a target budget of US \$37.3 M to address the needs of 1.76M people affected by the crisis.

SITUATION HIGHLIGHTS



3.6 million

malnourished children under age 5, along with malnourished pregnant and lactating women



12.5 million

people will need emergency food assistance



10.5 million

people will require WASH support



2.2 million

families will require livestock support



48,131

people reporting cases of Acute Watery Diarrhea



1 million+

Internally displaced people throughout the country

WHAT WORLD VISION IS DOING



FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOODS

- **Improved Seed distribution:** A total of 40 MT of improved Irish potato seed were distributed to 800 households in Melka Bello area.
- **Community training:** 80 people took part in fruit processing and handling training. Moreover, 130 farming households were trained on improved agricultural practices in Dolo area.
- **Small scale Irrigation:** 100 households are benefiting from the completion of construction of irrigation canals for 50 hectare of communal land in Dolo Ado area



WASH

- **Rehabilitation of springs:** The rehabilitation works of 2 springs has been completed, bringing the total of completed springs to six, benefiting 6,500 people.
- **Construction of Water Supply System:** The construction of 100m³ reservoir and four water points with cattle trough are on the final stage of construction in Shashemene.
- **Procurement of Submersible Pumps:** Two submersible pumps were purchased and one installed at Melka Soda district and the other handed over to Dugda Dawa Woreda of West Guji.
- **Water Supply System Upgrading:** The constructions of 4 water supply system expansion at Melka Soda and Dugda Dawa Woredas are continuing. Currently the construction of three of the systems is 95% complete. The project will provide 7 water points, 2 cattle troughs and 2 reservoirs.
- **Community Training:** 198 hygiene promoters have trained on sanitation and improved hygiene in Shashemene, Melka Soda and Dugda Dawa woredas. Moreover, 81 members from 11 WASH committees have been established and trained at Kochere, Dugda Dawa and Melka Soda woredas.
- **Project Launched:** The project funded by UNOCHA called "Life Saving WASH Response for Drought Affected Pastoral and Agro Pastoralist Communities in Five Woredas of West Guji Zone" has launched with partners and field staff.



FOOD ASSISTANCE

- **Food Aid:** The 7th round food distribution is in progress. Accordingly, 2,340.195 MT of wheat, 234.020 MT of YSP and 70.206 MT of oil has been distributed for 156,013 targeted people in 6 woredas, one in Oromia and 5 in SNNP.
- **Children Receiving Food:** 12,325 children in World Vision program areas have been reached with different responses. These activities include food assistance and medical support.



EDUCATION AND PROTECTION

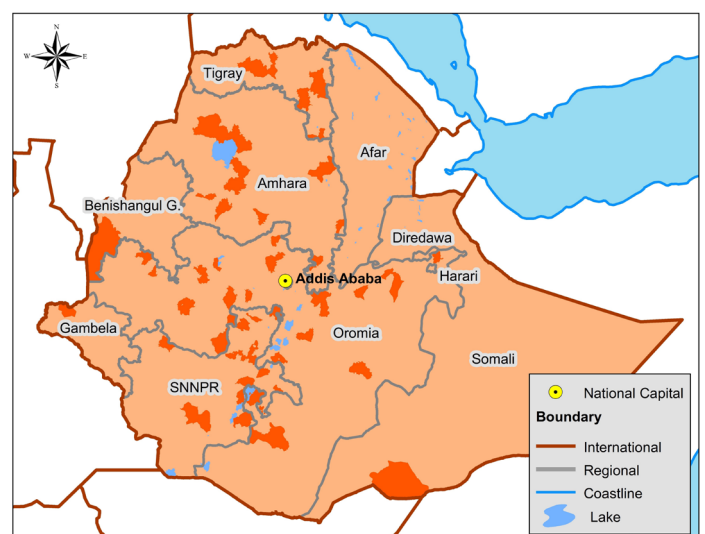
- **Education Material and Clothing Support:** A new project in Amaro is planning to provide 3,602 needy children affected by the recent ethnic conflict with clothes and education supplies.



HEALTH & NUTRITION

- **Addressing Child Malnutrition:** In the reporting period, 856 severely malnourished and 950 moderately malnourished children were treated in World Vision supported health institutions in South Ari, Kochere, Gedeb and Melka Bello. The service includes emergency medication and nutrition supplements.
- **Government Staff Training:** 16 Health Extension Workers were trained in infant and young child feeding and community management of malnutrition.
- **Community Mobilization Session:** A community mobilisation session was conducted to encourage more caregivers to take their children to outpatient therapeutic programmes to address child nutrition.
- **Project Launched:** A project called "Emergency Nutrition Support to Drought Affected People in Habro Woreda, Oromia region" was launched with concerned government partners and the project staff.

WORLD VISION ETHIOPIA AREAS OF OPERATION



■ World Vision areas of operation

NUMBER OF PEOPLE REACHED & FUNDING RECEIVED

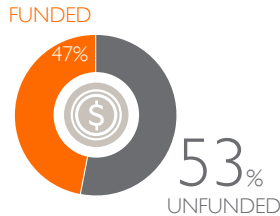


FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOODS

600,000 PEOPLE TARGETED IN PLANNED RESPONSE



544,534 PEOPLE REACHED 55,466 PEOPLE TO BE REACHED



6M REQUESTED FOR FOOD SECURITY AND LIVELIHOOD ACTIVITIES
3.2M FUNDING GAP, PREVENTING RESPONSE FROM REACHING PEOPLE IN NEED

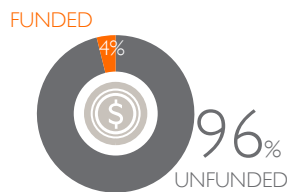


EDUCATION AND PROTECTION

100,000 PEOPLE TARGETED IN PLANNED RESPONSE



18,471 PEOPLE REACHED 81,529 PEOPLE TO BE REACHED



1M REQUESTED FOR EDUCATION AND PROTECTION ACTIVITIES
957k FUNDING GAP, PREVENTING RESPONSE FROM REACHING PEOPLE IN NEED

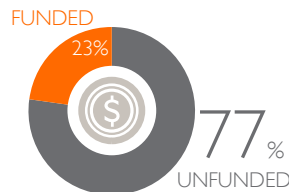


HEALTH AND NUTRITION

300,000 PEOPLE TARGETED IN PLANNED RESPONSE



34,324 PEOPLE REACHED 265,676 PEOPLE TO BE REACHED



6M REQUESTED FOR HEALTH AND NUTRITION ACTIVITIES
4.6M FUNDING GAP, PREVENTING RESPONSE FROM REACHING PEOPLE IN NEED

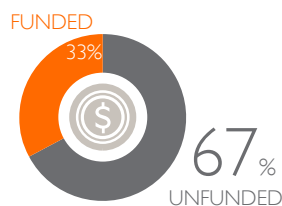


WATER SANITATION AND HYGIENE

520,000 PEOPLE TARGETED IN PLANNED RESPONSE



385,542 PEOPLE REACHED 134,458 PEOPLE TO BE REACHED



6.2M REQUESTED FOR NUTRITION ACTIVITIES
4.4M FUNDING GAP, PREVENTING RESPONSE FROM REACHING PEOPLE IN NEED



GENERAL FOOD DISTRIBUTION

248,802 PEOPLE TARGETED IN PLANNED RESPONSE



257,464 PEOPLE REACHED 8,662 MORE PEOPLE REACHED



1.8M REQUESTED FOR WATER, SANITATION AND HYGIENE
18.1M FUNDING RECEIVED ENABLING WORLD VISION TO REACH TARGET BENEFICIARIES

RESPONSE HIGHLIGHTS



544,534

people reached with food security and livelihood support



257,464

people reached with food assistance



385,542

people reached with water, sanitation and hygiene support



34,324

people reached with health and nutrition support



18,471

children reached with child protection and education interventions

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