

Afghanistan - Rapid Household Assessments 2022

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Identification

SURVEY ID NUMBER

UNHCR_AFG_2022_RHAF_anon_data_v2.1

TITLE

Rapid Household Assessments 2022

COUNTRY

Name	Country code
Afghanistan	AFG

STUDY TYPE

Other Household Survey [hh/oth]

ABSTRACT

Dataset of the ongoing UNHCR Household Rapid Assessment Survey, Afghanistan. UNHCR Afghanistan conducts Rapid Household Assessments (RHAF) across all 34 provinces to identify families needing UNHCR assistance.

KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

UNIT OF ANALYSIS

Households

Version

VERSION DESCRIPTION

v2.1: Edited, cleaned and anonymised data

VERSION DATE

2022-12-31

Scope

NOTES

Following the change in authority in Afghanistan on 15 August 2021 and the resulting declaration of a Level 3 emergency, UNHCR introduced a rapid assessment methodology to quickly assess humanitarian and protection needs throughout the country as part of scale-up by UNHCR to respond to the unfolding crisis. The primary focus of the assessments were IDPs and IDP returnees who account for the majority of the households interviewed in these assessments. Nonetheless, as UNHCR takes a whole-of-community approach in its assistance programme, vulnerable host community members were also assessed, alongside a small number of refugee returnees, asylum seekers and refugees, as well as deported and spontaneous returnees under an area-based approach. The survey assesses needs of the interviewed across multiple sectors, including:

1. Expenses and income
2. Protection issues
3. Shelter

TOPICS

Topic
Protection
Shelter/Other Infrastructure
Basic Needs

Mental Health and Psychosocial Support

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

34 provinces in Afghanistan

UNIVERSE

Persons of Concern in Afghanistan

Producers and sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

Name
UNHCR

Sampling

SAMPLING PROCEDURE

Due to the dynamic situation and lack of a complete sampling frame, rapid assessments were implemented using convenience sampling. Selection of the areas to conduct assessments was based on information coming from the Community-Based Protection Monitoring and UNHCR's key informants. Interagency joint assessments data was also used in some locations.

WEIGHTING

Considering the magnitude and scale of the exercise, the quality of responses, and the interview techniques employed using a solid questionnaire, UNHCR considers the resulting information to contain valuable responses. This data analysis focuses on findings received from the population reached and does not make inferences about the total population. Though the sampling does not produce representative findings, the report still helps to provide information on the challenges IDPs and IDP returnees, in particular, face in Afghanistan.

Data Collection

DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start	End
2022-01-01	2022-12-31

DATA COLLECTION MODE

Face-to-face [f2f]

DATA COLLECTORS

Name
Seventeen national NGO partners conducted the rapid assessments, as well as UNHCR's own workforce.

Access policy

CONTACTS

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PRODUCERS

Name
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Data Dictionary

Data file	Cases	Variables
Household data Anonymized Household data	192659	258