



Background

The first indications of a potential crisis with Venezuelan migrants occurred in 2015, with the decision by the Government of Venezuela to remove a number of Colombians living in Venezuela close to the border. This removal process included the destruction of many Colombians homes.

In 2017 the crisis began to draw attention as the economic situation began to deteriorate. In April 2018, a new regional platform led by UNHCR and IOM was created to coordinate the response to the crisis. iMMAP was funded by OFDA in order to provide IM support to OCHA, and has since expanded to provide support to the UNHCR and IOM mechanism. Currently, estimates are that a total of 2.9 million Venezuelans have left the country, including nearly 1 million in Colombia, with 5,000 additional Venezuelans fleeing the country daily.

Profiles

Project Manager, Needs Assessment Advisor, Health Cluster IMO, Web Developer, Data Analyst.

Objectives

Create a solid evidence base for the response through three areas of action:

- ▶ Establishing People in Need (PIN) figures;
- ▶ Organizing response data, including data on appeals, IM capacity, 3w – who is doing what where, and when available, 4w, project-based data; and,
- ▶ Providing specific health-related information products for Colombia.

Support to

Direct support to OCHA and coordination spaces including mixed migration flow coordination spaces led by UNHCR and IOM.

Better DATA
Improve data quality, collection and timeliness to stimulate sharing and coordination

Better DECISIONS
Analyze and visualize data to support better decision making

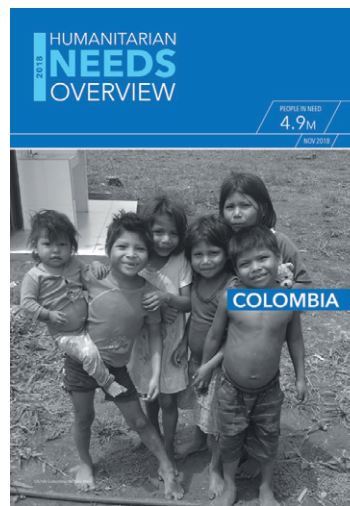
Better OUTCOMES
Maximize program outcomes and make a difference

iMMAP's services have facilitated informed and effective disaster risk management, emergency response, and development activities by enabling evidence-based decision-making for cluster/sector leads, critical NGO, and government operations. iMMAP's goal is to alleviate the suffering of victims of natural disasters and armed conflicts by providing the humanitarian community with a decision-making service through the provision of recent, reliable and appropriate geographical and strategic information.

Project Deliverables

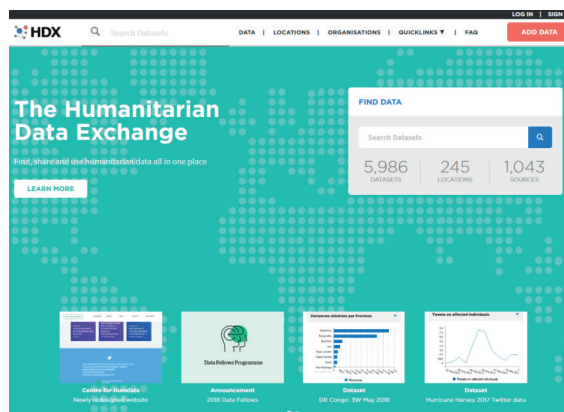
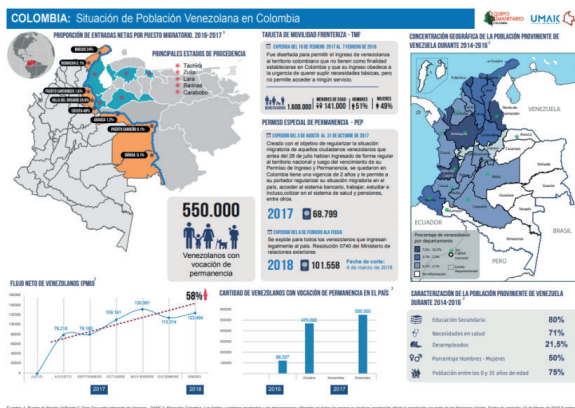
Preparation of People in Need (PIN) and 4w response data for the Colombia Venezuela response.

- Support to HNO process
- More frequent PIN estimates
- Direct support to OCHA Colombia and OCHA ROLAC and coordination spaces including migration spaces under UNHCR and IOM
- Health Cluster members in Colombia,
- Coordination with UMAIC



IM Products

- Maps - a series of maps of the results of all PIN and 4w data
- Infographics - a consolidation of one monthly infographic of the situation using PIN and 4w data. A specific health data infographic produced every other month
- HDX repository access - upload data into HDX based on the results each quarter for sectoral data and all information which can be published.



IM Processes and Services

- IMWG – leadership and participation with existing IMWG, any GIFMM spaces created.
- HDX training and upload of third party data HDX visualizations - in coordination with the HDX team and with the support of the software developer, design relevant visualizations for the Venezuela crisis.
- HR.info platform maintenance - ensure access to finished products over HR.info and promote the upload of relevant public documents onto the HR.info platform relevant to Venezuela in Colombia in a single HR.info Venezuela crisis space.

