The humanitarian crisis in northeast Nigeria remains one of the most severe in the world, with **10.6 million people in need** and 7.8 million targeted for humanitarian assistance. The conflict has caused massive displacement, food shortages, malnutrition, human rights violations, the collapse of basic services, and disease outbreaks, resulting in enormous pressure on host communities.

**In addition to the ongoing humanitarian emergencies in the country, the COVID-19 pandemic poses a potentially devastating health, social and economic threat to Nigeria, especially for affected populations in the BAY states (Borno, Adamawa and Yobe).**

Large portions of the population settled in the IDP camps across Maiduguri and Local Government Area (LGA) capitals are extremely vulnerable.

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**Overview**

Since November 2016, iMMAP has been providing information management (IM) support to most humanitarian sectors responding to the crisis in northeast Nigeria. iMMAP currently supports nine sectors.

The project funded by the USAID Bureau of Humanitarian Assistance (BHA) aims to strengthen the IM capacity of humanitarian sectors across the country, including support of information flow from sectors and inter-sectoral analyses.

The project funded by the Nigeria Humanitarian Fund (NHF) aims to enhance national NGOs activities in the Protection Sector through the provision of IM capacity strengthening on best practices for data collection, analysis and dissemination.

Our activities conducted throughout the year of 2019 resulted in impactful, short, and medium-term outcomes that contributed to the improvement of the overall response.

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**Project Name:** Provision of IM Support to the Humanitarian Sectors in Northeast Nigeria  
**Donor:** USAID (Since 2016)  
**Budget:** USD **1,587,090.00**

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**Project Name:** Strengthening IM Capacities for NNGO Protection Humanitarian Actors in Northeast Nigeria  
**Donor:** Nigeria Humanitarian Fund (Since 2020)  
**Budget:** USD **100,000.00**

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**25**  
**Number of personnel**

- **Women:** 6  
- **Men:** 19

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**Better Data, Better Decisions, Better Outcomes**  
As at July 2020
Activities and Accomplishments

**Response Monitoring**

iMMAP supports sectors in reaching a high level of consistency in data collection using enhanced and user-friendly response monitoring tools including the 5W templates. iMMAP IMOs support the sectors through the preparation of analyses, incorporated into operational planning and coordination.

**Targeted Response**

iMMAP has been conducting analyses on the gaps in humanitarian activities, including the lowest administrative levels (Ward and LGA), and continues to provide valuable information to humanitarian organizations to enable targeted response activities.

**Innovative IM Approaches**

iMMAP throughout the project period has been improving data collection, analysis and reporting across all sectors while making cross-sector comparisons possible. Across all the sectors supported, iMMAP IM experts are laying the foundations for solid data visualization by creating geo-databases and

**ReportHub: Statistics reported**  
(WASH & Education Sectors):

- **4,892,419 Individual Beneficiaries**
- **186 Active Projects**
- **77 Organisations**

**COVID-19 Response**

iMMAP is providing IM support to humanitarian organizations in northeast Nigeria to better respond to and mitigate the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic. We facilitate the development and flow of information between humanitarian actors and organizations on the ground to maximize the effectiveness of the response. Our personnel contributed to people in need (PiN) estimate figures that formed the basis for the HRP

**Number of partners supported by sector:**

- **Nutrition**: 21
- **CCCM/Shelter/NFI**: 15
- **Child Protection**: 35
- **Health**: 72
- **Early Recovery**: 23
- **Education**: 50
- **WASH**: 27
- **Food Security**: 68
- **Gender-based Violence**: 58

**Capacity Building**

iMMAP initiated its humanitarian information management training and capacity building program in January 2018. These training sessions aim to strengthen the capacity of humanitarian partners to leverage information and optimize IM tools, technologies and best practices to effectively respond to the humanitarian crisis.

**Internship Program**

As a part of the program, iMMAP selects University of Maiduguri graduates that have participated in our capacity building training to our internship program. This program provides a career route for interns to gain practical work experience for the integration into the humanitarian workforce. All of the initial four interns have been successfully employed with iMMAP or within the humanitarian community.

**Government Humanitarian Coordination Support**

iMMAP has been working closely with the Borno State Agency for Coordination of Sustainable Development and Humanitarian response, providing critical IM support for the facilitation and monitoring of humanitarian activities within the state. iMMAP furthermore supports in collecting, processing, and visualizing data that is critical in harmonizing the state’s humanitarian/development data centers.