



General data of the country

a. Secondary data

Country	Ethiopia
Total population	99.390.750
Population HCR	739.116
IDHI	0,330
Gender development Index	0,84
Maternal mortality ratio per 100,000 births	420
Gini Index	33,17
Social Support	0,63
INFORM RISK	6,4
Fragile State Index	97,2
Number of mine victims	0
Amount of demining aid (in millions)	0
Amount of development aid (in millions)	3.234

b. Humanitarian law instruments ratified by the country

UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities:	Ratified
Convention on Child Rights:	Ratified
Mine Ban Treaty :	No
Convention on Cluster Munitions	No

c. Geopolitical analysis

1. Social/cultural/demographic elements

Ethiopia is considered as a stable country, but deep clan tensions and inter-communal violence persist. Two decades of deadly conflict in the southeastern region of Ogaden have had a severe impact on the Ethiopian ethnic Somali population.

Ethiopia, and the rest of the Horn of Africa, has been facing its worst drought in decades since 2015. The number of people in need of humanitarian assistance increased from 2.9 million (2015) to more than 7.6 million in 2017 and is likely to have risen further in 2019.

2. Economic elements

Ethiopia is the second most populous country in Africa, with an estimated 96 million people in 2013 (Census 2013). Approximately 46 % of the population is under age 15 (PRB 2010) with a life expectancy of 50 years old. Over the last 15 years, Ethiopia has undergone significant economic and social changes and has recorded some of the highest growth rates in the world-over 10 % in some years. However, Ethiopia’s Human Development Index (HDI) and its relative ranking have not moved significantly during the past decade.

Presence of HI in the country

HI has been operating in Ethiopia since 1986, with the provision of rehabilitation services for refugees in the Somali region. This led to rehabilitation units in eleven hospitals (from 1996 to 2000). HI extended its activities in 1997 by launching a mine risk education project and to support the repatriation of Somali refugees living in Ethiopia; and HI diversified its operations to meet needs and improve the quality of life of vulnerable persons and people with disabilities and to answer to emergency situations. Over the years, HI has worked in the following areas: Inclusive Education, HIV/AIDS prevention, livelihoods, disaster risk reduction, child protection, Disability Mainstreaming, Gender Based Violence, Empowerment of DPOs, Food Security, Humanitarian Assistance for people with disabilities and children with disabilities in Refugee camps and IDPs through physical rehabilitation and WASH interventions.

Projects

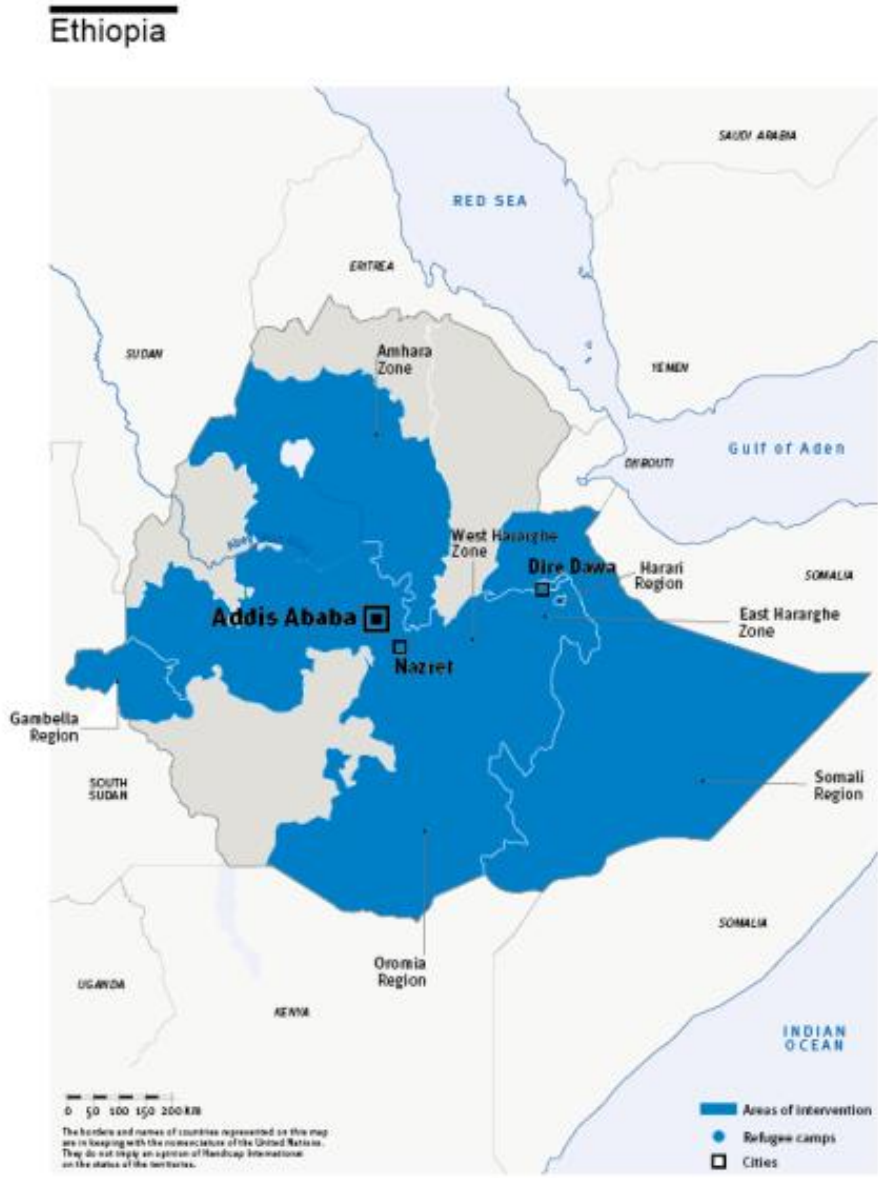
Project Title	Sector of intervention	(Main) ongoing donors	Funding period
Strengthen the provision of access to livelihood including rehabilitation services (AC5)	Rehabilitation and Socio-economic inclusion	MAE Lux	01/01/2018 31/12/2021
Integrated emergency Nutrition, IYCF, FSL and Psychosocial Support to South Sudanese refugees and host community in Gambella region, Ethiopia	Rehabilitation	BPRM MAE Lux	15/07/2019 15/09/2021

Integrated Protection Services for Persons with Specific Needs in Displacement Affected Communities in the Somali Region	Protection	OCHA	01/06/2019 31/05/2020	–
Reducing the Suffering of South Sudanese Refugees and Host Communities in Gambella Region, Ethiopia, through multisectoral Response (2019 -2020)	Rehabilitation, MHPSS, Protection	ECHO	01/04/2019 31/05/2020	–
Women’s Integrated Sexual Health (Lot) 2 Access, Choice, Together, Innovation and Ownership (WISH2ACTION)	Sexual and Reproductive Health	DFID	07/09/2018 06/07/2021	–
Biruh Tesfa Expansion Project (Leave No Girl Behind)	Education and Protection	DFID Girls’ Education Challenge	01/12/2018 30/06/2020	–

<p>ECHO EUROPEAN COMMISSION</p>  <p>Humanitarian Aid</p>	<p>OCHA</p>  <p>OCHA United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs</p>
<p>USAID</p>  <p>FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE</p>	<p>MAE Lux</p>  <p>LE GOUVERNEMENT DU GRAND-DUCHÉ DE LUXEMBOURG</p>
	<p>DFID</p>  <p>UKaid from the British people</p>

HI team in Ethiopia

There are 60 HI staff working in Ethiopia.



Overview of ongoing projects

Sector of intervention	Objective	Type of intervention	Beneficiaries	Operational Partners	Location
Rehabilitation and socio-economic inclusion	Health, living conditions, social participation and socio-economic development of Persons with Disabilities are improved	<p>Results:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Health and social insertion professionals have strengthened their professional skills and are able to provide quality rehabilitation services and facilitate socioeconomic inclusion of PwDs in the targeted communities. -Public and private actors responsible for social inclusion of PwDs and rehabilitation in the target communities have strengthened their coordination, linkage and referral mechanisms enabling them to work in accordance with the guidelines outlined in the NPRS and the NPA and give a comprehensive responses to the socioeconomic and rehabilitation needs of PwDs. -The targeted communities have increased their knowledge on inclusion and rehabilitation and are engaged in facilitating socioeconomic inclusion and provision of rehabilitation services for PwDs and their families. 	<p>Health and Social Insertion Professionals</p> <p>Public and Private actors responsible for inclusion of PWD</p> <p>PWDs and Communities in Gursum</p>	Cheshire Services (Local NGO)	Somali Region, Fafan zone, District/Woreda of Gursum



<p>Rehabilitation</p>	<p>To contribute to the reduction of the risk of morbidity and mortality amongst South Sudanese refugee and host community population in the Gambella region, Ethiopia</p>	<p>Specific Objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -To increase detection and treatment of severe and moderate acute malnutrition among under five (U5) children, pregnant and lactating women (PLW) in refugee and host community population -To increase access to interventions preventing under-nutrition and to provide psychosocial support among children, women and pregnant and lactating women in refugee camps and host community population -To Increase access to specialized service, detecting disability/developmental delay and promoting overall development of children recovering from SAM/MAM as well as persons with disabilities. 	<p>Children, pregnant and lactating women in refugee and host community population.</p> <p>Persons with disabilities</p>	<p>Action Against Hunger UK (INGO)</p>	<p>Gambella Region</p>
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<p>Protection</p>	<p>Enhancing protection for most at risk IDPs and host communities and reducing vulnerability through safe and equal access to immediate and lifesaving protection service and support.</p>	<p>Outcome : -Person with specific needs (including, in particular, persons with disabilities, injuries, chronic illnesses, the elderly, women/girls and children) are protected and supported in developing their capacities to mitigate their protection risk through increased access to protection services and meaningful access to essential and lifesaving services.</p> <p>Outputs: - Identify persons with specific needs (including, in particular, persons with disabilities, injuries, chronic illnesses, the elderly, women/girls and children), assess their protection risks and specific needs, and facilitate referrals to appropriate service providers. - Reinforce protection of persons with specific needs (including, in particular, persons with disabilities, injuries, chronic illnesses, the elderly, women, and children) through increased access to psychosocial support services, functional rehabilitation, and referral to specialized health care services -Provision of individualized counselling and/or legal assistance services to IDPs on legal identity, civil and other documentation, as well as referral services for other protection related concerns that are outside of NRC’s mandate. Complementing outreach activities engaged in collaboratively with HI staff, ICLA staff will also provide individualized, tailored advice to beneficiaries on how to obtain a particular legal identity document or advance a related legal claim</p>	<p>Internally Displaced People Host Communities Persons with Disabilities</p>	<p>Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC) (INGO)</p>	<p>Leben Zone</p>
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<p>Rehabilitation, MHPSS, Protection</p>	<p>To provide more direct support to the targeted groups and develop their individual functional capacity to mitigate their individual protection risk, able to have direct access to services and advocate for their own needs and rights.</p>	<p>. Through this proposed action HI will ensure full integration of the specific needs of this population through enhancing their own physical and emotional capacities, building their self-confidence, improving their self-coping mechanism to mitigate their protection risk and promoting their meaningful access to essential services. In addition to this; HI will complement OXFAM and WVI teams’ expertise and organizational capacity in the field of protection mainstreaming and inclusion of this population in their proposed humanitarian response. Moreover, this on ground technical support will not be limited to OXFAM and WVI, but will also extended to other humanitarian actors (INGOs, NGOs), governmental services and authorities as relevant - to have a fully inclusive response.</p>	<p>Persons with specific needs (in particular to person with disabilities, injuries, chronic illness, elderly, separated children, and women with disabilities)</p>	<p>Oxfam International (INGO) World Vision International</p>	<p>Gambella Region</p>
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<p>Sexual and Reproductive Health</p>	<p>Disability Inclusion of the WISH2ACTION project. It is a comprehensive and integrated approach to delivering family planning and sexual and reproductive health and rights (SRHR)</p>	<p>Partner with public and private sector actors to coordinate and strengthen the provision of comprehensive, quality, integrated and disability inclusive sexual and reproductive health services.</p> <p>Promote community demand for a rights-based, youth-friendly, gender transformative SRHR approach</p> <p>Use evidence to foster policy change, accountability and financing for SRHR to be protected and fulfilled</p>	<p>The most underserved women and girls, particularly youth under 20, the very poor, and marginalized populations (including people with disabilities, displaced populations or those affected by humanitarian crisis, and people living in hard-to-reach areas)</p>	<p>International Rescue Committee (IRC) (INGO)</p> <p>Marie Stopes International (MSI) (INGO)</p> <p>Development Media International (DMI) (INGO)</p> <p>OPTIONS Family of Services (INGO)</p> <p>International Planned Parenthood Federation (IPPF) (INGO)</p>	<p>Ethiopia (National)</p>
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<p>Education and Protection</p>	<p>The project will upscale a proven safe spaces education and life skills project that utilizes adult female mentors who are local leaders – many of whom are disabled - recruited from poor urban communities.</p>	<p>During house-to-house visits, mentors negotiate for girls’ participation with gatekeepers, including employers of domestic workers and guardians of girls with disabilities. Should the mentor encounter a girl with a disability who needs support to attend the programme, she takes steps to address barriers, including providing assistive devices or accompaniment.</p>	<p>Out-of-school girls aged 10 to 19: Child domestic workers, rural-urban migrants, girls with disabilities and other destitute girls</p>	<p>Population Council (INGO) Plan International</p>	<p>Urban areas of Ethiopia</p>
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