

# IOM ETHIOPIA'S RESPONSE TO THE SUDAN CRISIS

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Armed conflict in Sudan is forcing hundreds of thousands of people to flee to neighbouring countries. Since 21 April 2023, over 40,600 people have arrived in Ethiopia through multiple border crossing points in Amhara, Benishangul Gumz, and Gambella Regions.

Arrivals at border crossing points is monitored and additional Flow Monitoring

Points are being established as required to scale up assistance.

IOM has scaled up presence and response at border crossing points and Migration Response Centre (MRC) in Metema and is providing multi-sectoral assistance to arriving people, including immediate health and WASH assistance, onward transportation, and tailored protection assistance.

## ! KEY CONCERNS

- The large number of new arrivals is a major challenge for processing capacity and speed.
- Onward transportation is one of the key needs and gaps.
- Recent rains have made the conditions and terrains very difficult to provide timely support.
- Many people are arriving requiring urgent medical attention.
- Inadequate access to life-saving services including food, NFIs, WASH, and health.
- Protection services are a major concern, with Child Protection and GBV case management requiring urgent attention.
- Additional shelter facilities are urgently required.






**Number of Arrivals** **40,659**

Ethiopians <b>23,742</b>	Sudanese <b>6,253</b>	Third Country Nationals <b>10,664</b> <small>(68 Nationalities)</small>
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IOM's Dashboard [here](#).

**Number of People Supported** **30,200**



**Total Ethiopian migrants supported** **20,600**

-  Medical Screening **20,600**
-  Water and Sanitation **12,800**
-  Food **12,800**
-  Health Assistance **4,100**
-  Transportation **13,900**

**Third Country Nationals supported** **5,600**

-  Medical Screening **5,600**
-  Transportation **1,800**
-  Assisted Voluntary Return (AVR) **412**

**Refugees supported** **4,000**

-  Medical Screening **4,000**
-  Transportation **2,300**