



World Food Programme

Near Real-time Food Security Monitoring During COVID-19

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Overview

WFP is a leader in remote, near real-time food security monitoring, implementing its first systems in early 2018 and growing steadily from just a few countries initially to dozens of countries currently. Transitions to near real-time monitoring has increased the efficiency and timeliness of WFP's monitoring systems and helped ensure the availability of daily, robust information on the food security situation in the world's most vulnerable countries.

With the emergence of COVID-19, WFP's near real-time monitoring has assumed even greater importance. Within days of the pandemic declaration, all systems immediately transitioned to monitor COVID-19-related risks and impacts on food security and livelihoods. WFP's existing networks of partners and call centres made it possible to expand our near real-time monitoring systems in 38 countries across 2020.

This document is intended to highlight key metrics on the evolution of the pandemic and the risk it poses to food security and livelihoods. More detailed information is provided in WFP's global hunger monitoring system, [Hunger Map LIVE](#).



Established Systems 38 countries

2018

- Nigeria
- Yemen
- Syrian Arab Republic

2019

West and Central Africa Expansion

- Burkina Faso
- Cameroon
- Central African Republic
- Chad
- Mali
- Mozambique
- Niger
- Democratic Republic of the Congo

January 2020

Central America Expansion

- Colombia
- El Salvador
- Guatemala
- Honduras

March 2020

- Afghanistan
- Iraq

May - August 2020

May

- Haiti
- Uganda
- Malawi

June

- Côte d'Ivoire
- Ethiopia
- Liberia
- Madagascar
- United Republic of Tanzania
- Sierra Leone

July

- Republic of the Congo

August

- Somalia
- Zambia
- Nicaragua

September - November 2020

September

- Guinea
- Zimbabwe

October

- Angola
- Kenya

November

- Benin

December 2020 - January 2021

- Mauritania
- Namibia
- Senegal

Key products from near real-time monitoring to assess the risk of COVID-19 on food security and livelihoods

HUNGER AND COVID-19 DAILY SNAPSHOT: GLOBAL

A daily overview of the evolution of COVID-19 globally, aggregating caseloads by country income groups and regions, alongside a summary of how food security is shifting in the countries where remote near real-time monitoring systems are established

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HUNGER AND COVID-19 WEEKLY SNAPSHOT: NATIONAL

A weekly overview of the food security situation, COVID-19 caseloads, and an indication of how relevant indicators – such as health and market access – are shifting in countries where remote near real-time monitoring systems are established

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Central African Republic	Honduras: EN ES	United Republic of Tanzania
Chad	Iraq	Yemen
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Congo, Republic of	Liberia	Zimbabwe
Côte d'Ivoire	Madagascar	
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Malawi	
	Mali	

HUNGER AND COVID-19 WEEKLY SNAPSHOT: URBAN

A weekly overview of the food security situation and an indication of how relevant indicators – such as health and market access or livelihood coping – are shifting in urban areas where remote near real-time monitoring systems are established

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Nigeria

– [Abuja](#) – [Kano](#) – [Ogun](#)
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Uganda

– [All Urban Areas](#) – [Kasese](#) – [Kampala](#)
– [Arua](#) – [Lira](#) ○ [Central Kampala](#)
– [Gulu](#) – [Masaka](#) ○ [Kawempe](#)
– [Hoima](#) – [Mbale](#) ○ [Makindye](#)
– [Jinja](#) – [Mbarara](#) ○ [Nakawa](#)
– [Kabarole](#) – [Mukono](#) ○ [Rubaga](#)
– [Wakiso](#)

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