

ANGLOPHONE CAMEROON

Due to tensions between English-speaking communities and the central government, violence in the North West and South West regions of Cameroon has intensified sharply since 2016.

The restricted humanitarian access to the two regions and the significant presence of spontaneous refugee settlements in the region close to Nigeria make it difficult to monitor displacement. However, the anglophone crisis counted 711,056 internally displaced persons (IDPs) in Cameroon (OCHA) and over 63,000 Cameroonian refugees registered in Nigeria (UNHCR).

The main humanitarian needs of Cameroonian refugees and IDPs are related to protection, food and water, sanitation and hygiene. However, the education sector has been particularly affected, with 80% of children being deprived of their schooling.

For further information:

Institutional Websites and NGOs

OCHA_ Situation Report

<https://reports.unocha.org/en/country/cameroon/>

UNHCR_ Nigeria: Cameroonian Refugees Overview

<https://data2.unhcr.org/en/documents/details/86049>

IDMC_ CAMEROON: A DEEPENING BUT NEGLECTED CRISIS

<https://www.internal-displacement.org/publications/cameroon-a-deepening-but-neglected-crisis>

Caritas Cameroon, "They are hunting us"

<https://www.caritas.org/2018/05/cameroon/>

Online Newspapers and Periodicals:

FIDES_ Civil War creates lost generation

[http://www.fides.org/en/news/68889-AFRICA CAMEROON Civil War creates lost generation](http://www.fides.org/en/news/68889-AFRICA_CAMEROON_Civil_War_creates_lost_generation)

CISA_ Pope Francis Condoles With Families of Murdered Students, Prays for Peace in Country

<http://cisanewsafrika.com/cameroon-pope-francis-condoles-with-families-of-murdered-students-prays-for-peace-in-country/>

VATICAN NEWS_ Cameroon and Nigeria: Struggling communities host Refugees

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en/africa/news/2020-11/cameroon-and-nigeria-struggling-communities-host-refugees.html>

CISA_ Bishops Condemn Killings in Anglophone Regions

<http://cisanewsafrika.com/cameroon-bishops-condemn-killings-in-anglophone-regions/>

VATICAN NEWS_ Cardinal Parolin brings Pope's message of peace to Cameroon

<https://www.vaticannews.va/en/vatican-city/news/2021-02/cardinal-parolin-cameroon-visit-pope-francis-peace.html>

FIDES_ The Catholic Church takes on the role of mediator

[http://www.fides.org/en/news/69951-AFRICA CAMEROON The Catholic Church takes on the role of mediator People have great confidence in the Church](http://www.fides.org/en/news/69951-AFRICA_CAMEROON_The_Catholic_Church_takes_on_the_role_of_mediator_People_have_great_confidence_in_the_Church)