



Linha Verde da Resposta à Emergência 1458 Report period: 1st June - 31st July 2023

The **tollfree inter-agency hotline** accessible between **6am to 9pm, 7 days** a week. *Linha Verde 1458* is used by the affected population and humanitarian actors to make requests for information, assistance or raise concerns in relation to, or resulting from humanitarian assistance. An aspect of accountability for affected populations, the hotline also serves as a mechanism to report abuses in humanitarian assistance. In the context of Covid-19, *Linha Verde 1458* has the capacity and flexibility to assist in the dissemination of correct information about the virus and to forward relevant calls to health service providers.







Cases Registered 2,460 Cases Referred: 8.4% First Case Resolution: 91.6%





FEEDBACK ANALYSIS PER SECTOR 1ST - 31ST JULY 2023



 Referred cases is the number of cases Linha Verde 1458 shared with cluster's focal points and partners that require verification/ investigation.
 Referred Cases Feedback is the number of cases that were followed up on by the organization and subsequently provided feedback on the resolution or guidance/ clarification to callers.
 First Case Resolution are the cases were Linha Verde 1458 was able to respond to during the first call. This is the case of "information request" case type and subcategories.

Sectors	Referred Cases	Referred Cases Feedback	First Case Resolution
Food Security	112	86	2030
Shelter	43	30	3
Other	0	0	89
CCCM	0	0	0
Health	0	1	33
Education	2	0	0
WASH	9	0	4
Protection	2	2	0
Child Protection	4	2	21
GBV	1	0	2
Social Protection/INAS	1	0	4
IDP Registration	6	4	1
INGD	4	0	47
PSEA	0	0	0
Multi-purpose Cash Assistance	22	4	19
Total	205	129	2253

CASES PER REGION 1ST JUNE - 31ST JULY 2023







NORTHERN REGION DISTRICTS WITH THE HIGHEST NR. OF CASES 1ST - 31ST JULY 2023





1 - 30 June ■ 1 - 31 July

2085







ASSISTANCE REQUEST

June July



NORTHERN REGION **COMPLAINT/ NEGATIVE FEEDBACK** 1ST JUNE - 31ST JULY 2023

Approximately 92.5% of exclusion errors are from IDPs and some from host communities who were no longer targeted for assistance as a result of the VBT. These people were taken through the VBT questionnaire to verify their status and those who appear to meet the criteria will be verified at the community level.

NORTHERN REGION BREAKDOWN OF ABUSES OF POWER AND OTHER ACCESS BARRIERS 1ST JUNE - 31ST JULY 2023

Abuse of power: refers to corruption, diversion, fraud perpetrated by local leaders and/or humanitarian workers preventing beneficiaries from receiving humanitarian aid. Access: refers to problems that beneficiaries, mostly of value vouchers, when going to stores authorized to pick up products are faced with price increases, lack of stock, longlines and long distances to access such stores.

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Distance

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Exclusion error

CENTRAL REGION CASES PER SECTORS 1ST JUNE - 31ST JULY 2023



CENTRAL REGION DISTRICTS WITH THE HIGHEST NR. OF CASES 1ST - 31ST JULY 2023







LASE TYPES

Positive Feedback Assistance Request Information Request Complaint/Negative Technical problems Feedback

ASSISTANCE REQUEST







June July

CENTRAL REGION COMPLAINTS/NEGATIVE FEEDBACK 1ST JUNE – 31ST JULY 2023



CENTRAL REGION BREAKDOWN OF ABUSES OF POWER 1ST JUNE - 31ST JULY 2023



SOUTHERN REGION CASES PER SECTORS 1ST JUNE - 31ST JULY 2023

Most cases from Sector **Other** refer to inquiries about Linha Verde 1458 objectives

SOUTHERN REGION DISTRICTS WITH THE HIGHEST NR. OF CASES 1ST - 31ST JULY 2023

3 Protection 1 Health 3 5 Other 4 2 Food Security 2

Mabote 2 Cidade da Matola 2 Vilankulo 1 Moamba 1 Manhica 1 Kampfumo 1 Inharrime 1 Boane 1

1 - 30 June 1 - 31 July

SOCIAL PROTECTION/INAS

"I'm from Niassa, Cuamba district, in Titimane, Mendosa neighborhood. I was a victim of tropical cyclone Freddy and I am a beneficiary of financial assistance provided by INAS. As part of the second phase of support for people affected by the cyclone. I received a cell phone on 05.07.2023, through the INAS in order to receive money via mobile wallets. I call to say thank you for your support." **Male, Cuamba, Niassa**

INGD - FOOD SECURITY

"I call to thank you for the support I received from INGD on 28/07/23, where I received 1 food kit consisting of: 50 kg bag of rice and 10 kg of beans. I have been displaced from Mocimboa da Praia since December 2020, I currently live in the Province of Niassa, in the City of Lichinga, in the town of Malica, in the relocation center of Malica with my family of 8 people." **Female, Lichinga,**

Niassa

POSITIVE FEEDBACK 1ST - 31ST JULY 2023

SHELTER

"I called to thank you for the support I received from Solidarités. I received tarps on 07/07/2023. I have been displaced from Nangade since October 2020, I currently live in the district of Mueda, in the locality of Imbuho headquarters in the relocation center of Lyanda with my family composed of 7 members." Male, Mueda, Cabo Delgado

FOOD SECURITY

"I have been displaced from Meluco to Chiure since 2021 due to armed attacks. I live in Chiure, locality of Milamba, Meculane relocation center with 8 family members. I was registered by the village chief and am a beneficiary of food assistance provided by WFP and partners. I received support yesterday, July 22, 2023, for a value voucher of 4230MZN. I am very grateful to WFP for this help." **Female, Chiure, Cabo** Delgado

MULTI-PURPOSE CASH ASSISTANCE

"I was affected by the tropical cyclone Freddy in the province of Zambézia, in the district of Pebane. I called to thank you for the money I received via Mpesa account in the amount of 7500 MZN from the NRC (Norwegian Refugee Council) project on July 03, 2023." **Female, Pebane, Zambezia**

WASH

"I am from Zambézia, district of Namacurra, locality of Muebele, in the neighborhood of Nevura. I was a victim of tropical cyclone Freddy and partially lost my possessions. As part of social support for people who were victims of the cyclone, last Saturday, 1/7/2023, a partner whose name I don't know I received shelter and hygiene material (buckets, drums, brush, toothpaste and soap. I called to thank you for this support." Male, Namacurra, Zambezia

<u>1st – 31st July 2023</u> Cases Registered: 2142 Feedback Provided: 2111

<u>1st – 31st July 2023</u> **97%** of the cases registered here are from the northern region of the country. Requests for **food assistance** in some cases are also accompanied simultaneously by requests for NFI assistance in the form of agricultural

tools and seeds, shelter kits and or



Sofala	33
Zambezia	18
Tete	3
Nampula	21
Cabo Delgado	2059
Inhambane	2
Niassa	5
Manica	1
Deferred Cases	112
Referred Cases	112
Referred Cases Feedback	86
First Case Resolution	2030





CHILD PROTECTION







GBV



Civil documentation - 2 cases



Registered Cases 1 - 31 July
Feedback Provided 1 - 31 July





INGD





Registered Cases 1 - 30 June

Feedback Provided 1 - 30 June

Registered Cases 1 - 31 July

Feedback Provided 1 - 31 July

Overview

In July 2023 Linha Verde 1458 registered a total of 2,460 cases with an overall feedback rate of 97%.

- 91.6% are cases closed during the call (first case resolution)
- 8.4% are cases referred to cluster focal points for verification and feedback, of which 62.9% have been addressed and closed with feedback. The following sectors are notable for the rate of feedback provided: Food Security (77% of 112 cases), Shelter (69% of 43 cases), Child Protection (50% of 4 cases) and Protection (100 % of 2 cases).

Workshop on prevention of abuse of power in Nampula

In recognition of the high prevalence of concerns raised regarding local leaders, WFP, the PSEA Coordinator, IOM, OHCHR and the protection cluster have worked jointly with INGD and the Attorney General's office since February 2022 to run provincial and district level workshops for the prevention of abuses of power in the humanitarian assistance. Having started in Cabo Delgado, reaching a majority of the affected districts, the approach was taken to the district level in Nampula in July 2023.

Over 2 days per district, in Nampula city, Rapale, Meconta, Erati, Monapo, Nacala-Porto, Nacala-a-Velha and Memba, government stakeholders engaged in the IDP response and local leaders from host communities were engaged in a participatory manner on the disaster management law, the role of INGDs Social and Environmental Safeguarding Division, the new code of conduct for humanitarian actors which was approved by the consultive council of INGD in May, as well as the policies that guide the approach of the humanitarian agencies and organizations that provide humanitarian assistance in northern Mozambique. These presentations were followed by a presentation of trends of cases received through Linha Verde 1458 and a presentation by the local Prosecutor on laws as they apply to abuse of power in the humanitarian response.

At the end, actions were jointly identified for the prevention and response to abuses of power in the humanitarian response and a common strategy was defined to mitigate and prevent such cases by government representatives involved in the humanitarian assistance.

Northern Region (IDP): 1-31 July 2023

In the northern region Linha Verde 1458 registered a total of 2,187 cases regarding to the humanitarian assistance and response to internally displaced persons. Of all cases food security represent 95.3%, shelter needs and assistance 2.1%, 0.4% are related to WASH, and 0.3% concern registration of internally displaced persons (IDPs) for food assistance.

Food Assistance

Out of the total 2,085 food security concerns raised through the hotline, 66.5% are information requests, 27.3% complaints, 5.2% positive feedback, 0.4% requests for assistance and data amendment.

Information Requests

- The requests for information are divided as follows:
 - 1,319 assisted people called seeking information about the food distribution timing. Linha Verde 1458 continues to provide information on the dates based on the distribution plans shared by the World Food Programme (WFP) and if plans are not shared callers are guided to contact local leaders to gather planned dates based on the information shared by the partners. The majority called from Mueda, Montepuez, Chiure, Metuge, Pemba, and Ancuabe.
 - 62 people called to inquire about the vulnerability results to know whether their names are now included in the beneficiary after being submitted to the vulnerability assessment questionnaire (VBT). Callers are informed that after vulnerability questionnaire is applied a verification is done by WFP team before the names can effectively be in the lists. The inquiries came from Mueda, Chiure, and Montepuez.
 - 2 assisted IDPs called to ask whether it is possible to make changes to their entitlements by increasing the quantities distributed and change the corn for rice or maize. Linha Verde 1458 explained that due to scarcity of funds and limited availability of stocks WFP and partners are not in position to accommodate such requests. The calls come from Macomia and Muidumbe.

Complaints

- Linha Verde 1458 received 570 complaints concerning food assistance. 93.3% allegation of exclusion error, 2.6% claims of abuse of power, 2.4% were complaints of quality, 2.1% claims of access barriers.
- Out of the 533 exclusion errors received:
 - 502 IDPs and members of the host community claimed that their names were in the beneficiaries lists but did not receive food in the previous distributions. Linha Verde 1458 continues to apply the VBT questionnaire and inform callers about the results that indicate whether they can be considered to receive food assistance in the next distributions. Of the 502 assessed 447 seem to meet the eligibility criteria. Those were submitted to the WFP team for further analysis in the field. The cases came mostly from Mueda and Chiure, and then Metuge, Montepuez, Pemba, Ancuabe and Namuno.

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- 21 IDPs complained that they did not receive food in the previous distribution cycle because their names were removed from the beneficiary lists. Linha Verde 1458 recommends callers to report these issues to helpdesks during the distribution for immediate verification and possible resolution. The cases came from Mocímboa da Praia, Macomia, Quissanga, and Muidumbe where lists are still determined in collaboration with local leadership.
- 7 assisted people complained that during the distribution people unknown to them and without their consent received their ration in their name. They are instructed to report these issues at the helpdesks immediately and arrive early at the distribution point. The cases came from Mpeme and Lyanda sites in Mueda, Ocua site in Chiure, EPC 25 de Junho temporary center in Metuge, Muadi in Nangade and community of Praia in Quissanga.
- 2 reports of exclusion of food distribution of the entire neighborhoods of Nanduadua in Mocímboa da Praia and Arexi in Cidade Nampula. The cases were referred to WFP.
- * 15 complaints of abuse of power were received and they are distributed as follows:
 - 11 allegations of corruption of which 6 come from Pemba in the neighborhoods of Josina Machel and Alto Gingone where callers reported that local leaders were charging amounts between 200, 300, 500 and 1000MZN to keep the names of assisted people in the beneficiary lists. Linha Verde 1458 explained that there was no registration of beneficiaries in progress in Pemba, as the registration had been done previously with the application of the VBT questionnaire. The other 5 corruption allegations refer to local leaders charging between 10, 500, 700, 1000 and 3000MZN to include people in the lists for food assistance. The allegations came from Nicavaco site in Metuge, Lyanda site and community of Maputo in Mueda, Ocua site in Chiure, and Changane community in Macomia. Linha Verde 1458 explained to callers that humanitarian aid is free and no one should pay such charges.
 - 3 complaints of fraud stating that people in charge of management of the beneficiary lists are creating fictitious names to include in the lists so they can collect the rations for them. The complaints are from Lyanda site in Mueda, Quissanga in Cabo Delgado and Monapo in Nampula.
 - 1 complaint of diversion and sale of food rations by the local leader in the community of Litandacua in Macomia. This case was forwarded to WFPs CFM focal points for follow up.
- 12 reports of access barriers regarding food assistance:
 - 10 claims increase of retail price of rice, maize and cooking oil right after distributions of value vouchers take place. Callers were informed that due to the scarcity of rice in the market, the prices are rising. For other products, Linha Verde 1458 continues to encourage callers to monitor prices in the different available shops to opt for the most affordable ones. The cases are from Eduardo Mondlane and Nandimba sites in Mueda, Alto Gingone in Pemba and Bairro Cimento in Chiure.

- 2 complaints of long distance between the communities and the food distribution point. One complaint refers to the previous distribution cycle where assisted people in the Nangua site, Metuge had to travel 2km to reach the distribution point due to breakdown of the distribution truck. Other complaint come from Nachivela community in Macomia.
- 5 complaints about poor quality of the food received/ purchased in contracted retailers. Linha Verde 1458 immediately referred these complaints to WFP CFM focal points for verification and action, while advising callers to inspect the food at the distribution point/shop to facilitate verification and resolution on site.
- 3 reports of food distribution issues were received, whereby distributions were reportedly interrupted early due to insufficient food (1); disruptions caused by local leaders who wanted to be on the distribution list (1); and technical issues with voucher scanners which meant assisted households couldn't purchase food. At the time of the call the callers were still waiting the hear when the distribution would be rescheduled.
- * 1 complaint about **quantity** having received only maize and sardine.

Registration of IDPs in host communities

7 IDPs called to raise concerns regarding registration to become beneficiary of food assistance: 6 IDPs claimed that their names have never been included in the food assistance lists despite several attempts to register as beneficiaries. The cases are from Quissanga and Macomia, Cabo Delgado and Cidade de Nampula in Nampula; 1 IDP from Quissanga called to request information about the registration process to benefit from food assistance as he never received food since he fled from his area of origin. He was instructed to consult with local leadership and follow their guidance.

WASH

A total of 9 request for assistance to increase the water supplied were received from the site of Lyanda and in Mueda, and from the neighborhood of Unidade in Mocímboa da Praia. The cases were referred to the WASH cluster for follow up.

Shelter and NFIs

A total of 45 cases related to shelter assistance and NFIs needs were registered, 80% are assistance requests, 13.3% are complaints, and 6.7% are positive feedback.

Assistance Requests

- Mueda (Lyanda, Nandimba, Mpeme, Eduardo Mondlane, sites): 24 IDPs requested tarpaulins, blankets, kitchen utensils, buckets, grass mats, and mosquito nets.
- Nangade (Ntoli and Mualela temporary centers): 3 IDPs requested tarpaulins, kitchen utensils, and blankets.

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- Metuge (Naminawe site and temporary center of Namuapala) 2, Mocímboa da Praia (communities of Chitolo and Metumbati) 2: 4 IDPs requested kitchen utensils, blankets, buckets, grass mats, mosquito nets, and tarpaulins.
- Chiure (Maningane site) 1, Muidumbe (7 de Abril community) 1, Quissanga (Mahate community) 1, Lago (Muchenga community) 1, Mecanhelas 1: 5 IDPs requested tarpaulins, kitchen utensils, and mosquito nets.

Complaints

- 5 complaints from from sites of Lyanda, Nandimba and Eduardo Mondlane in Mueda. of exclusion error of IDPs from the beneficiary list for shelter items such tarpaulins, buckets, blankets, lamps and construction materials such shovels.
- 1 claim of diversion of construction materials by local authorities intended for the construction of houses for the IDPs in Marokani temporary center in Ancuabe. All complaints were referred to the Shelter cluster for verification in the field.

Central Region: 1 – 31 July 2023

In the central region Linha Verde 1458 registered 236 cases, 72.5% information requests, 17.8% complaints, 7.2% positive feedback and 2.1% requests for assistance. Majority of the concerns raised are inquiries related to response to tropical storm Freddy and to the weather forecast.

Weather related queries

Linha Verde 1458 received a total of 45 inquiries from Nhamatanda, Muanza, and Cheringoma in Sofala about the weather forecast during the month. Callers received weather updates from the Instituto Nacional de Meteorologia (INAM).

Cyclone Freddy Response

40 calls were received by Linha Verde 1458 from people affected by cyclone Freddy. Out of the total 42.5% were requests for information, 40% were complaints, 15% positive feedback, and 2.5% requests for assistance.

Information Requests

- 17 information requests were received, 15 of which called to inquire when the next food distribution will take place while one caller asked when WASH items will take place for those that missed the previous distribution. The majority of the cases came are from Marromeu and Muanza in Sofala.
- 1 request for information from Marromeu asking for clarification about targeting criteria for food assistance.

Complaints

- Of the 16 complaints received, 9 were related to exclusion from food assistance. The cases were referred to WFP CFM focal points who clarified that the process of lists verification was thorough and conducted in transparent manner, and only the families that met eligibility criteria were included. The complaints came from Muanza, Marromeu, Cheringoma in Sofala, Chinde in Zambezia and Mutarara in Tete.
- 7 reports of abuse of power that include:
 - 4 allegations of corruption by local leaders in Cheringoma, Sofala who charged 100MZN to community members affected by the cyclone to have their names included in the distribution lists. Follow up on the case permitted the return of the values wrongfully charged to the affected population.
 - 2 claims of fraud where local leaders in Cheringoma and Muanza in Sofala, registered family members and government employees while excluding the vulnerable households from the lists. Follow up of the case confirmed the acts and enabled the removal of the actors from the beneficiary list.
 - 1 claim of diversion of value vouchers of 3,850MZN by the local leader from Alto Molocue in Zambezia which following verification was returned to WFP.

Assistance Requests

One caller from Mocuba requested support with mosquito nets.

Multi-purpose Cash Assistance (Norwegian Refugee Council)

- A total of 36 cases regarding multi-purpose cash assistance from the Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC) where received by Linha Verde 1458. 50% were complaints, 27.7% positive feedback, 19.4% requests for information and 2.8% technical problems.
 - 18 registered people to receive assistance claimed that they received the mobile phone to start receiving money transfer via Mpesa or E-mola, however complained did not receive the transfers during the expected date. The cases come from Pebane in Zambezia. All cases were referred to NRC focal points.
 - 7 requests for information about distribution dates for the money transfers. The cases are from Pebane in Zambezia.
 - I report of technical problems from an assisted person experiencing difficulties withdrawing the amount transferred. Linha Verde 1458 directed to the nearest mobile operator store for assistance.

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Protection

* A total of **29** protection cases were registered by Linha Verde 1458. The cases include:

- 4 child protection cases were received: 2 reports of rape from Mueda and Alto Molocue; 1 report of forced marriage from Maputo Cidade; 1 report of psychological/emotional abuse from Cidade de Nampula. All cases were referred to Linha Fala Crianca (116) focal points. Furthermore 21 information requests related to child protection focusing on: forced marriage, majority came from Alto Mulocue, Quelimane and Maganja da Costa in Zambezia, Mogincual and Cidade de Nampula in Nampula.
- 2 protection cases from IDPs, from Quissanga and Montepuez, that called to request assistance in obtaining civil documentation. Cases were referred to Protection cluster focal points, which advised the callers to go to the district civil registry office and go to the UNOPS tents there, where the service is free. Services operate from Monday to Friday from 07:00 to 15:00.
- 2 callers sought clarification on what gender-based violence is.