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# Lifesaving Health, Nutrition, WASH, and Child Protection Services for Displaced and Vulnerable Populations in **Cabo Delgado**

## Sectors of Intervention

Health • Nutrition • WASH • Child Protection

In Cabo Delgado

# 1.3M

people need

**health  
assistance<sup>1</sup>**

### The emergency at a glance:

- 93% of health facilities are partially damaged, and 50% of health facilities have no access to drinking water<sup>2</sup>
- Child vaccination coverage for measles is less than 31%<sup>3</sup>
- 1 in 2 children are stunted, and 74,700 children (6-59 months) and 22,000 pregnant and lactating women are affected by wasting<sup>1</sup>
- More than 767,000 people are experiencing high levels of food insecurity (IPC3). These levels are projected to persist through January 2023<sup>2</sup>
- 1.1M children need Child Protection services

The majority of the internally displaced people (IDPs) forced to flee their homes due to insecurity in northern Mozambique, remain in the province of Cabo Delgado. To respond to the IDP crisis, Save the Children is working to provide access to health, nutrition, WASH, and protection services to conflict-affected children and communities.

Save the Children aims to prevent and reduce excess morbidity and mortality, and to strengthen the protective environment, among IDP and host communities in two districts of Cabo Delgado.

Overall, the project will reach:

**138.342** beneficiaries, of which:

**61.976** IDPs

**76.36** host  
community

The objectives of the BHA project include:

- To ensure crisis-affected communities have access to safe, quality, life-saving Health, Nutrition, and WASH services
- To improve holistic Child Protection and Gender Based Violence prevention and response services among crisis-affected communities

**Duration of the project**  
**Two years**  
**(August 2021 to July 2023)**

**Current districts of Intervention:**  
**Chiure • Metuge**

Under the BHA project, Save the Children and its partners will:

Deliver primary health services through three Mobile Health Brigades (MHBs) and three referral health facilities (RHF)

Support three referral health facilities (RHF) with capacity building, medical supplies, and pharmaceuticals

Support 15 Community Health Committees (CHCs) and Community Health Workers (CHWs) to conduct disease surveillance and hygiene and nutrition promotion

Support the Ministry of Health's work on the management of acute malnutrition through the provision of supplies to RHF and technical support to healthcare staff

Provide cash or voucher assistance to families with children recently released from malnutrition programming

Construct semi-permanent emergency latrines, rehabilitate shallow boreholes, and install new hand pumps where necessary

Strengthen the formal and informal Child Protection system and capacity of protection partners and government officials on quality prevention and response strategies

Provide case management, mental health and psychosocial support services, and child rights monitoring for violations against children

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