

VENEZUELA REGIONAL CRISIS

FACT SHEET #1, FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2020

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NUMBERS AT A GLANCE

4.8 million

Estimated Number of Venezuelan Migrants and Refugees
R4V – February 2020

6.5 million

Projected Number of Venezuelan Migrants and Refugees by End of 2020
R4V – November 2019

\$750 million

Funding Requirement for 2020 Humanitarian Response Activities in Venezuela
UN – December 2019

\$1.35 billion

Funding Requirement for Implementation of 2020 RMRP
R4V – November 2019

HIGHLIGHTS

- Government of Colombia grants citizenship to children born in Colombia to Venezuelan parents
- Measles-related deaths in Venezuela decline by 96 percent in 2019 following country-wide vaccination campaign
- Government of Brazil grants refugee status to 37,000 Venezuelans

HUMANITARIAN FUNDING

FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL CRISIS RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019

USAID/OFDA ¹	\$117,078,942
USAID/FFP ²	\$147,117,407
State/PRM ³	\$208,206,327
\$472,402,676	

KEY DEVELOPMENTS

- The 2020 Global Humanitarian Overview, released by the UN in December, requests \$2.1 billion to support the humanitarian response for the Venezuela regional crisis in 2020. The appeal includes \$750 million for humanitarian efforts in Venezuela to reach 3.5 million of the estimated 7 million people in need, and \$1.35 billion to reach approximately 4 million crisis-affected individuals across 17 countries in Latin America and the Caribbean, as outlined in the 2020 Regional Refugee and Migrant Response Plan for Refugees and Migrants from Venezuela (RMRP).
- The number of measles-related deaths in Venezuela declined by 96 percent in 2019 compared to the previous year, following a country-wide vaccination campaign between April 2018 and July 2019 that reached nearly 9 million children ages 6 months–15 years, with funding from USAID/OFDA and other donors. The Pan American Health Organization (PAHO) continues to stress the need to strengthen routine immunization programs in Venezuela and maintain epidemiological surveillance systems to prevent reintroduction of the virus.
- The International Solidarity Conference on the Venezuelan Refugee and Migrant Crisis—held in Brussels, Belgium, on October 28 and 29 and attended by approximately 120 international delegations—highlighted the severity and far-reaching impact of the Venezuela crisis and underscored international commitment to the regional response, including continued assistance to Venezuelans and affected host communities, as well as efforts to support sustainable integration of Venezuelans in host countries. International donors announced more than \$110 million in assistance at the conference, including approximately \$10 million in U.S. Government (USG) health and development assistance.

¹ USAID's Office of U.S. Foreign Disaster Assistance (USAID/OFDA)

² USAID's Office of Food for Peace (USAID/FFP)

³ U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration (State/PRM)

VENEZUELA

- UN Under-Secretary-General and Emergency Relief Coordinator (ERC) Mark Lowcock travelled to Venezuela in November, marking his first trip to the country during the humanitarian crisis. ERC Lowcock met with interim President of Venezuela Juan Guaidó, National Assembly members, and with officials from former President of Venezuela Nicolás Maduro's administration to discuss the humanitarian crisis. He advocated authorities to improve humanitarian access, including reducing bureaucratic constraints for non-governmental organizations (NGOs) and other humanitarian actors. In a statement following the visit, ERC Lowcock emphasized that while the UN and response partners will continue efforts to deliver humanitarian assistance as needs persist, a political solution is required to address the ongoing crisis.
- Deteriorating conditions in Venezuela continue to negatively affect health outcomes in the country. A measles outbreak led to more than 7,000 confirmed cases and 84 deaths from July 2017 to December 2019. The number of measles-related deaths and confirmed measles cases declined by 96 percent and 91 percent, respectively, in 2019 compared to the previous year, following a country-wide vaccination campaign between April 2018 and July 2019 that reached nearly 9 million children ages 6 months–15 years, with funding from USAID/OFDA and other donors. PAHO continues to stress the need to strengthen routine immunization programs in Venezuela and maintain epidemiological surveillance systems to prevent reintroduction of the virus.
- A diphtheria outbreak ongoing since July 2016 had resulted in more than 3,000 suspected cases—nearly 1,800 of which were confirmed—and 291 deaths in Venezuela as of November 2019, according to PAHO. However, 461 suspected cases and 20 associated deaths were recorded from January to November 2019, marking a decline compared to the 1,208 suspected cases and 151 deaths reported in 2018 and 1,040 suspected cases and 103 deaths in 2017.
- The prevalence of malaria in Venezuela has increased during the ongoing crisis, according to data from PAHO. The organization reported more than 323,000 confirmed malaria cases—including 100 related deaths—from January to mid-October 2019, similar to the number of cases reported during the same periods of 2017 and 2018. In comparison, PAHO reported approximately 47,700 confirmed cases and six related deaths in 2012.
- The UN Children's Fund (UNICEF) has noted ongoing challenges with health care services in Venezuela, including the interruption of water services at two hospitals in Bolívar and Caracas in November. The UN agency has also highlighted a lack of access to maternal and neonatal care services, noting that an estimated 130,000 newborn babies and pregnant women will not receive basic health care due to poor hospital conditions, in the absence of additional humanitarian funding.
- In October and November, UNICEF supported a national deworming campaign that treated more than 1.3 million children ages 4–12 years and disseminated information on hand washing, safe food handling, and water treatment to more than 876,000 children. The UN agency also continues to facilitate access to safe drinking water, including through the ongoing rehabilitation of water supply systems in Venezuela's Capital District and Bolívar and Táchira states and through water-trucking services that reach an estimated 48,000 people per month in Miranda.
- Nearly 80 percent of the more than 900 individuals ages 50 years and older surveyed in Venezuela's Bolívar, Lara, and Miranda states reported that they lacked access to sufficient food, according to a September 2019 assessment conducted by NGO HelpAge International. The survey also indicated that individuals residing in rural areas were more likely to lack access to food than urban residents in the three states. Additionally, two-thirds of respondents depend on family and friends to meet their basic food needs. Among respondents living alone, approximately 95 percent reported insufficient food access.
- Relief actors continue to face bureaucratic impediments and insecurity in Venezuela, hindering efforts to meet the needs of vulnerable individuals. In a December assessment of humanitarian access conditions, the UN noted increased operational capacity of humanitarian actors in 2019, with more than 75 organizations operating in 231 municipalities in all 24 states of Venezuela. However, humanitarian access constraints and insufficient funding continue to limit the ability of response actors to scale-up operations in accordance with humanitarian needs, with regular humanitarian access constraints reported in 61 percent of the 236 municipalities included in the assessment. Primary constraints cited by humanitarian actors include restrictions related to climate, terrain, goods, or lack of infrastructure; denial of the existence of humanitarian needs or the right to assistance; bureaucratic impediments; and restrictions on access to services and assistance for affected populations. Insecurity and diversion or interference in the delivery of humanitarian

aid are also a growing concern. The UN also highlighted the importance of ensuring adherence to humanitarian principles by all stakeholders.

- On October 7, Clement Nyaletsossi Voule, UN Special Rapporteur on the Rights to Freedom of Peaceful Assembly and of Association, and Michel Forst, UN Special Rapporteur on the Situation of Human Rights Defenders, published a letter calling on the administration of former President Maduro to rescind the suspension of NGO registration in the country. The letter notes that the indefinite suspension of NGO registration violates established human rights principles and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, ratified by Venezuela in 1978, among other rights-related agreements. The Special Rapporteurs cite the measure as an excessive restriction on the right to freedom of association and have requested a response from the former Maduro administration regarding the motivation behind the suspension, steps taken to ensure registered and unregistered organizations can operate in a safe environment, and efforts to address the allegations described in the letter.

REGIONAL

- More than 50 percent of the more than 4.8 million Venezuelan refugees and migrants worldwide—including approximately 2.5 million of the 4 million Venezuelans residing in Latin America and the Caribbean—are living in Colombia and Peru as of February, according to the Regional Interagency Coordination Platform for Refugees and Migrants from Venezuela (R4V), led by the International Organization for Migration (IOM) and the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR). Overall, the R4V estimates that 1.6 million and nearly 862,000 Venezuelans are residing in Colombia and Peru, respectively. Additionally, the 2020 RMRP anticipates that an increasing number of Venezuelan migrants and refugees arriving in Colombia will choose to remain in the country rather than transiting to other destinations, following an observed decrease in formal migration to Chile, Ecuador, and Peru in recent months following the imposition of new or revised entry requirements in those three countries.
- At the Fifth Technical Meeting on Human Mobility of Venezuelans in the Americas—Quito V—in November, participating states reiterated their commitment to engaging on regional approaches to the migration crisis, including the expansion of national pilot programs on shelter, reception centers, health cards, and counter-trafficking and child protection protocols. In a statement, member states of the Quito Process stressed the need for increased mobilization of technical and financial support for host countries to attend to the needs of Venezuelan refugees and migrants.

BRAZIL

- As of February, nearly 254,000 Venezuelans are residing in Brazil, according to the R4V. Venezuelan populations in Brazil require food assistance, shelter support, and water, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH) services, as well as livelihood opportunities, relief actors report. The USG provided more than \$31 million in humanitarian assistance in FY 2019 to support multi-sector response activities in Brazil. The R4V anticipates up to 361,000 Venezuelans will be living in Brazil by the end of 2020.
- On January 31, the Government of Brazil (GoB) National Committee for Refugees (CONARE) granted refugee status to an estimated 17,000 additional Venezuelan asylum seekers, bringing the total number of recognized Venezuelan refugees in Brazil to 37,000 people. Brazil hosts the largest number of recognized Venezuelan refugees in Latin America. The decision to grant legal refugee status to the individuals follows the GoB's recognition in June of serious and widespread human rights violations in Venezuela. Additionally, CONARE recently adopted expedited procedures to evaluate requests for refugee status from Venezuelans. To be eligible for accelerated processing, Venezuelans must reside in Brazil and have irregular migration status in the country, be older than 18 years of age, and possess a Venezuelan identity document; in addition, Venezuelan applicants must not have a criminal record in Brazil. As of December, the GoB had registered more than 120,000 asylum seekers from Venezuela, UNHCR reports. State/PRM supports UNHCR to assist CONARE in addressing the backlog.
- State/PRM and USAID Disaster Assistance Response Team staff jointly visited Boa Vista and Pacaraima cities in November to assess humanitarian needs, identify areas and sectors that require additional support, coordinate with

GoB counterparts, and meet with UN and NGO partners to monitor USG humanitarian assistance to Venezuelan refugees and migrants displaced inside Brazil. During the visits, USG staff observed the IOM- and UNHCR-supported GoB registration process for Venezuelans, child-friendly spaces and other protection activities, and the GoB voluntary relocation program, which facilitates the voluntary resettlement of Venezuelans to areas across Brazil to reduce the impact of population flows and provide better socioeconomic opportunities for Venezuelans intending to remain in Brazil. State/PRM staff also met with partners in Brasilia, Manaus, and São Paulo cities during the visit.

- On October 2, the GoB, UN agencies, and the National Confederation of Municipalities—a non-profit organization representing more than 5,500 municipalities throughout Brazil—signed an agreement to encourage regional authorities to welcome and integrate Venezuelans into local communities. The agreement seeks to expand humanitarian assistance activities to focus on the social and economic integration of Venezuelans in Brazil, allowing municipal authorities to receive support from the GoB for integration policies and programs. USG partners, in coordination with GoB authorities, continue to provide humanitarian assistance to recently resettled Venezuelans in cities across Brazil.

COLOMBIA

- More than 1.6 million Venezuelan migrants and refugees are residing in Colombia as of February, many of whom are in urgent need of humanitarian assistance, according to the R4V. In FY 2019, the USG provided more than \$160 million to support food, health, multipurpose cash assistance (MPCA), nutrition, protection, and WASH interventions for vulnerable Venezuelans, Colombian returnees, and host communities in Colombia.
- The Government of Colombia (GoC) enacted a new round of the Special Residency Permit (PEP) on January 29, permitting Venezuelans to apply for residency in Colombia if they legally entered Colombia at a valid immigration checkpoint before November 29, 2019; possess a passport and entry stamp; and have no criminal record or deportation order. The PEP is valid for 90 days, is automatically renewable for a period of two years, and provides permission to work, as well as access to education and public health services. In addition, the GoC enacted a Special Work Permit (PEP-FF), a temporary measure to permit legal employment for Venezuelan adults in irregular immigration status who hold a current or expired Venezuelan identity card or passport, have no criminal record, have no expulsion or deportation measure in force, and hold a legitimate job offer or employment by a contractor or employer in Colombia. The PEP-FF does not extend any legal rights to family members.
- On October 15, UNHCR announced the launch of a registration campaign for children born in Colombia to Venezuelan parents. The campaign intends to support the GoC in its efforts to grant citizenship to more than 24,000 children born to Venezuelans in Colombia since 2015, as well as to those born in Colombia through August 2021. With support from State/PRM, UNHCR will work with the GoC National Civil Registry to implement the resolution and disseminate relevant information to Venezuelan parents.
- USAID partner the UN World Food Program (WFP) provided food assistance to more than 267,400 Venezuelan migrants, Colombian returnees, and host community members in December, including through hot meals at community kitchens, food vouchers, food kits for migrants in transit, and other activities. A September food security assessment conducted by WFP in five Colombian departments bordering Venezuela indicated that 54 percent of Venezuelan migrants were facing acute food insecurity.
- State/PRM partner the Save the Children Federation (SCF) continues to facilitate protection activities at child-friendly spaces across Colombia. In Maicao municipality, La Guajira Department, approximately 440 children participated in activities to promote active listening, communication, and social skills from November 4 to 11. In Arauca Department, SCF conducted protection awareness session for more than 30 children during the same period. In addition, approximately 70 people participated in a workshop on positive parenting skills and prevention of gender-based violence (GBV) in Arauca. Moreover, with State/PRM support, UNICEF continued to provide guidance on safe travel practices to children and youth transiting through Colombia in Nariño Department's Ipiales city in November. As of late November, UNICEF had provided protection messaging to more than 880 children and youth at transit sites and other areas along the Colombia–Venezuela border.
- From December 11 to 20, State/PRM partner the Pan American Development Foundation (PADF) provided 110 Venezuelan households with legal and occupational orientation, among other services, in Atlántico Department's

Barranquilla city. Additionally, PADF and the Colombian Red Cross reached more than 120 Venezuelans with basic health services and an additional 60 Venezuelans with psychosocial assistance in Bolívar Department's Cartagena city. PADF also conducted a food handling training for nearly 40 Venezuelans as part of the certification process to work in the food and beverage industry in Arauca.

ECUADOR

- Approximately 385,000 Venezuelans are residing in Ecuador as of February, according to the R4V. Priority needs among Venezuelan populations include food, immigration support, legal information, livelihood opportunities, psychosocial support services, and shelter, according to humanitarian organizations. In FY 2019, the USG provided nearly \$45 million to support the delivery of multi-sector assistance, including emergency food assistance, in Ecuador. The R4V anticipates that the number of Venezuelans in Ecuador will increase in 2020, reaching approximately 660,000 people by the end of the year.
 - As of January 2020, the Government of Ecuador had registered more than 180,000 Venezuelan migrants and issued approximately 10,000 visas to Venezuelans inside Ecuador, as well as approximately 3,000 visas to Venezuelans applying at Ecuadorian consulates abroad. Ecuador began requiring a humanitarian visa for Venezuelans seeking entry into Ecuador in August 2019; relief actors have expressed concern that many Venezuelan migrants lack the necessary documents and fees to obtain the visa, or face fines if they overstay their tourist visas.
 - With support from USAID, WFP provided emergency food assistance to nearly 90,000 people in Ecuador in November. This assistance included food vouchers for nearly 84,000 people, more than 90 percent of whom were Venezuelan. WFP also provided hot meals to nearly 3,400 people—including approximately 2,200 Venezuelans—at shelters and through community kitchens and one-time food kits to more than 2,150 people at border crossing points.
 - In December, State/PRM partner Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society (HIAS) conducted psychosocial activities, reaching more than 500 Venezuelans and Colombian children and adolescents in Carchi, El Oro, Esmeraldas, and Sucumbíos provinces, as well as Ecuador's capital city of Quito. HIAS conducted the activities in coordination with other State/PRM partners Jesuit Refugee Service (JRS) and UNHCR, as well as the Ecuadorian Red Cross.
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PERU

- Nearly 862,000 Venezuelan nationals are living in Peru as of February, approximately 594,000 of whom had regularized migration status in the country as of early January, according to the R4V. As of January 6, 2020, the Government of Peru reported more than 394,000 Venezuelans seeking asylum in the country.
- Venezuelans in Peru's Tacna and Tumbes regions remain in need of food assistance, health services, and other relief commodities, according to a report published by IOM in late September. Among approximately 1,200 surveyed Venezuelans, more than 40 percent noted clothing as an immediate need in Tumbes, while surveyed individuals in Tacna highlighted food, health assistance, and regularization of immigration status support as priorities. Longer-term needs in both regions include livelihoods support, regularization and documentation assistance, and improved access to food, health care, and shelter.
- Nearly 30 percent of Venezuelans in Peru report experiencing one or more protection incidents—including intimidation, physical assault, sexual harassment, and theft, among other issues—according to a recent UNHCR protection monitoring report, which utilized data from approximately 1,200 interviews with Venezuelans in Peru's Arequipa, Cusco, Lima, Tacna, and Tumbes cities. Among the nearly 400 incidents recorded from January to June 2019, more than 80 percent were not reported to Peruvian authorities, primarily due to fear or mistrust, according to interviewees. At the time of the interviews, more than 10 percent of respondents did not have permission to remain in the country, whether due to irregular entry or exceeding residence or tourist permit limitations.
- Additionally, international media have reported numerous incidents of assault, harassment, or threats targeting Venezuelans in Peru. UNHCR Representative in Peru Federico Agusti noted in mid-October that incidents of

xenophobia and discrimination against Venezuelans—ranging from housing evictions and wage theft to violent threats and assaults—had increased in Peru in recent months.

- Venezuelan migrants living in shelters in Lima experience significant psychological and emotional impacts resulting from the crisis, according to an April assessment by the Institute for Democracy and Human Rights of the Pontifical Catholic University of Peru with support from UNHCR. Surveyed migrants identified the absence of work opportunities, inability to send money to family members, lack of permanent housing, limited communication with relatives in Venezuela, and fear of expulsion from Peru as the primary drivers of psychological stress. Respondents also noted feelings of guilt for having access to food and other goods and services not necessarily available to people who remain in Venezuela.

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

- In Trinidad and Tobago, State/PRM partner UNHCR provides access to alternative education for children of Venezuelan asylum seekers, who are not eligible to enroll in public or private school. UNHCR continues to engage with the Ministry of Education to advocate school registration for approximately 800 children of Venezuelan asylum seekers. With FY 2019 support from State/PRM, partner UNICEF reached more than 12,600 Venezuelans in Trinidad and Tobago with messages on health and hygiene, and nearly 10,400 Venezuelans with messages on preventing violence, exploitation, and abuse of children and women.

CONTEXT

- Deteriorating economic and political conditions—characterized by hyperinflation—in the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela since 2014 have decreased households’ access to food, medicine, and health care; contributed to increasing humanitarian needs; and triggered an influx of Venezuelans into neighboring countries, primarily to Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, and Peru. By February 2020, more than 4.8 million Venezuelans were living outside of Venezuela.
- The population influx has increased in the past years and is straining available services, especially in border areas of Brazil, Colombia, Ecuador, and Peru. Recent assessments indicate that food, health care, and WASH support are among the most urgent humanitarian needs of vulnerable populations, including Venezuelans, returnees, and host communities in border regions. The outflow of people from Venezuela is also contributing to increased public health concerns throughout the region, particularly with regard to overburdened health care systems and the spread of infectious diseases.
- In addition to supporting ongoing regional response activities, USAID and State/PRM staff based throughout the region and in Washington, D.C., are monitoring the humanitarian situation in close coordination with relevant host governments, donor governments, NGOs, and UN counterparts.

USG HUMANITARIAN FUNDING FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL CRISIS RESPONSE IN FY 2019

IMPLEMENTING PARTNER	ACTIVITY	LOCATION	AMOUNT
ARGENTINA			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$100,000
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$1,860,000

UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$3,350,964
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN ARGENTINA IN FY 2019			\$5,310,964
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN ARGENTINA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$5,310,964
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN ARGENTINA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$5,560,964
ARUBA			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society (HIAS)	Health, Protection	Countrywide	\$651,949
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$75,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN ARUBA IN FY 2019			\$726,949
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN ARUBA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$726,949
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN ARUBA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$826,949
BRAZIL			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
AVSI	Livelihoods	Countrywide	\$1,392,873
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$50,000
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$5,500,000
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$7,676,546
The UN Children's Fund (UNICEF)	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$2,250,000
World Vision	Livelihoods	Countrywide	\$1,800,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN BRAZIL IN FY 2019			\$18,669,419
USAID/FFP			
Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA)	Food Vouchers, Local, Regional, and International Procurement	Amazonas, Bahia, Minas Gerais, Paraná, Rio Grande do Sul, Roraima	\$5,763,411
TOTAL USAID/FFP FUNDING IN BRAZIL IN FY 2019			\$5,763,411
USAID/OFDA			
ADRA	Livelihoods, Logistics Support, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	Amazonas, Bahia, Minas Gerais, Paraná, Rio Grande do Sul, Roraima	\$5,655,000
Caritas	WASH	Roraima	\$997,472
TOTAL USAID/OFDA FUNDING IN BRAZIL IN FY 2019			\$6,652,472
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN BRAZIL FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$31,085,302
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN BRAZIL FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$41,562,677
CARIBBEAN			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$150,000
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$3,900,000

TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN THE CARIBBEAN IN FY 2019			\$4,050,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN THE CARIBBEAN FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$4,050,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN THE CARIBBEAN FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$4,665,868
CHILE			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$100,000
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$1,300,000
UNICEF	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$50,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN CHILE IN FY 2019			\$1,450,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN CHILE FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$1,450,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN CHILE FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$1,750,000
COLOMBIA			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
ICRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$1,600,000
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$12,300,000
JRS	Health, Livelihoods, Protection, Shelter and Settlements	Countrywide	\$1,831,529
Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC)	Protection	Countrywide	\$2,000,000
PADF	GBV Prevention, Protection	Countrywide	\$2,000,000
Pastoral Social	Protection	Countrywide	\$500,000
SCF	Protection	Countrywide	\$2,000,000
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$15,000,000
UNICEF	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$4,300,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN COLOMBIA IN FY 2019			\$41,531,529
USAID/FFP			
Action Contra el Hambre (ACH)	Cash Transfers for Food, Complementary Services	Atlántico, Cundinamarca, La Guajira, Magdalena, Valle del Cauca	\$8,000,000
Implementing Partners (IPs)	Local, Regional, and International Procurement	Countrywide	\$24,340
Mercy Corps	Cash Transfers for Food, Complementary Services	Antioquia, Atlántico, Cesar, Cundinamarca, La Guajira, Norte de Santander, Valle de Cauca, and other departments	\$8,000,000

WFP	Food Vouchers, Local, Regional, and International Procurement, U.S. In-Kind Food Aid	Arauca, Cesar, La Guajira, Nariño, Norte de Santander	\$50,036,485
TOTAL USAID/FFP FUNDING IN COLOMBIA IN FY 2019¹			\$66,060,825
USAID/OFDA			
ACDI/VOCA	Agriculture and Food Security, Protection, WASH	Select Department	\$1,960,856
ACH	MPCA	Atlántico, Cundinamarca, La Guajira, Magdalena, Valle del Cauca	\$12,000,000
ADRA	Health, WASH	Antioquia, Santander	\$4,500,000
American Red Cross	Health, Protection	Cundinamarca, La Guajira, and other departments	\$2,867,619
Americares	Health	Atlántico, Bolívar, Cesar, La Guajira, Magdalena, Nariño, Norte de Santander, and other departments	\$4,999,858
American Refugee Committee (Kuja Kuja)	Humanitarian Coordination and Information Management (HCIM), Humanitarian Studies, Analysis, or Application	Nariño, Norte de Santander, Santander	\$250,000
iMMAP	HCIM	Countrywide	\$181,909
IOM	Health	Antioquia; Atlántico; Arauca; Bogotá, D.C.; Bolívar; Cesar; Cundinamarca; La Guajira; Magdalena; Nariño; Norte de Santander; Santander; Valle del Cauca; Vichada	\$4,700,000
Mercy Corps	MPCA	Antioquia, Atlántico, Cesar, Cundinamarca, La Guajira, Norte de Santander, Valle de Cauca, and other departments	\$15,000,000
PAHO	Health, WASH	Arauca; Atlántico; Bogotá, D.C.; Bolívar; Cesar; La Guajira; Magdalena; Nariño; Norte de Santander; Santander; Sucre; Vichada	\$4,400,000
Profamilia	Health	Antioquia; Atlántico; Bogotá, D.C.; Bolívar; Boyaca; Cundinamarca; La Guajira; Magdalena; Nariño; Norte de Santander; Santander; Valle del Cauca	\$631,727
World Vision	Economic Recovery and Market Systems, Protection	Norte de Santander	\$342,231
	Logistics and Program Support	Countrywide	\$579,661
TOTAL USAID/OFDA FUNDING IN COLOMBIA IN FY 2019²			\$52,413,861
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN COLOMBIA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$160,006,215
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN COLOMBIA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$214,643,004
COSTA RICA			

FY 2019			
State/PRM			
HIAS	Protection	Countrywide	\$685,731
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$650,000
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$800,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN COSTA RICA IN FY 2019			\$2,135,731
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN COSTA RICA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$2,135,731
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN COSTA RICA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$4,413,995
CURAÇAO			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$75,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN CURAÇAO IN FY 2019			\$75,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN CURAÇAO FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$75,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN CURAÇAO FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$175,000
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$350,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN DOMINICAN REPUBLIC IN FY 2019			\$350,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN DOMINICAN REPUBLIC FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$350,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN DOMINICAN REPUBLIC FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$638,000
ECUADOR			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
CARE	Protection	Countrywide	\$1,981,320
HIAS	Protection	Countrywide	\$2,000,000
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$100,000
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$5,200,000
JRS	Health, Protection, Shelter and Settlements	Countrywide	\$1,897,087
NRC	GBV Prevention, Protection	Countrywide	\$1,306,600
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$6,000,000
UNICEF	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$2,600,000
UN Women	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$600,000

TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN ECUADOR IN FY 2019			\$21,685,007
USAID/FFP			
WFP	Food Vouchers, Local, Regional, and International Procurement	Countrywide	\$23,000,000
TOTAL USAID/FFP FUNDING IN ECUADOR IN FY 2019			\$23,000,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN ECUADOR FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$44,685,007
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN ECUADOR FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$55,203,194
GUYANA			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
HIAS	Health, Protection	Countrywide	\$727,261
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$50,000
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$400,000
PADF	Capacity Building, Protection	Countrywide	\$1,168,371
UNICEF	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$250,000
UN Women	GBV Prevention, Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$300,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN GUYANA IN FY 2019			\$2,895,632
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN GUYANA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$2,895,632
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN GUYANA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$3,570,632
MEXICO			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$350,000
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$600,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN MEXICO IN FY 2019			\$950,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN MEXICO FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$950,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN MEXICO FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$1,367,000
PANAMA			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
HIAS	Protection	Countrywide	\$1,300,708
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$100,000
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$600,000
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$500,000
UNICEF	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$150,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN PANAMA IN FY 2019			\$2,650,708
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN PANAMA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$2,650,708

TOTAL USG FUNDING IN PANAMA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$3,577,708
PARAGUAY			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$140,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN PARAGUAY IN FY 2019			\$140,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN PARAGUAY FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$140,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN PARAGUAY FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$140,000
PERU			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
CARE	GBV Prevention, Protection	Countrywide	\$1,361,707
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$100,000
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$4,100,000
NRC	Protection	Countrywide	\$193,400
RET International	Health, Livelihoods, Protection, Shelter and Settlements	Countrywide	\$1,997,000
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$6,492,261
UNICEF	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$1,600,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN PERU IN FY 2019			\$15,844,368
USAID/FFP			
SCF	Cash Transfers for Food, Complementary Services	Arequipa, Lambayeque, Lima, Piura, Trujillo	\$2,995,601
World Vision	Cash Transfers for Food; Local, Regional, and International Procurement	La Libertad, Lima, Tumbes	\$3,201,062
TOTAL USAID/FFP FUNDING IN PERU IN FY 2019			\$6,196,663
USAID/OFDA			
SCF	HCIM, MPCA, Protection	Arequipa, Lambayeque, Lima, Piura, Trujillo	\$3,284,399
World Vision	MPCA, Shelter and Settlements, WASH	La Libertad, Lima, Tumbes	\$2,973,225
TOTAL USAID/OFDA FUNDING IN PERU IN FY 2019			\$6,257,624
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN PERU FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$28,298,655
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN PERU FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$35,926,905
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$100,000

IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$450,000
PADF	Capacity Building, Protection	Countrywide	\$831,629
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$1,000,000
UNICEF	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$350,000
UN Women	GBV Prevention	Countrywide	\$600,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO IN FY 2019			\$3,331,629
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$3,331,629
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$5,632,629
URUGUAY			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$100,000
IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$580,000
UNICEF	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$50,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN URUGUAY IN FY 2019			\$730,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN URUGUAY FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$730,000
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN URUGUAY FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$830,000
VENEZUELA			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
Implementing Partners (IPs)	Multi-Sector Assistance	Countrywide	\$25,800,000
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN VENEZUELA IN FY 2019			\$25,800,000
USAID/FFP			
IPs	Emergency Food Assistance	Countrywide	\$3,450,000
TOTAL USAID/FFP FUNDING IN VENEZUELA IN FY 2019			\$3,450,000
USAID/OFDA			
IPs	Agriculture and Food Security, HCIM, Health, Nutrition, Protection, WASH	Countrywide	\$19,124,234
	Logistics and Program Support	Countrywide	\$104,149
TOTAL USAID/OFDA FUNDING IN VENEZUELA IN FY 2019			\$19,228,383
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN VENEZUELA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$48,478,383
TOTAL USG FUNDING IN VENEZUELA FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2018–2019			\$56,023,640
REGIONAL			
FY 2019			
State/PRM			
IFRC	Multi-Sector Assistance	Regional	\$100,000

IOM	Multi-Sector Assistance	Regional	\$6,420,000
UNHCR	Multi-Sector Assistance	Regional	\$4,816,977
UNICEF	Education, Health, Multi-Sector Assistance, Protection, WASH	Regional	\$1,500,000
TOTAL REGIONAL STATE/PRM FUNDING IN FY 2019			\$12,836,977
USAID/FFP			
WFP	Emergency Food Assistance	Regional	\$15,000,000
TOTAL REGIONAL USAID/FFP FUNDING IN FY 2019			\$15,000,000
USAID/OFDA			
	Logistics and Program Support	Regional	\$3,020,632
TOTAL REGIONAL USAID/OFDA FUNDING IN FY 2019			\$3,020,632
TOTAL REGIONAL USG FUNDING FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$30,857,609
TOTAL REGIONAL USG FUNDING FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$35,894,511
TOTAL USG FUNDING FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FY 2019			\$368,207,784
TOTAL USG FUNDING FOR THE VENEZUELA REGIONAL RESPONSE IN FYs 2017–2019			\$472,402,676

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TOTAL USAID/OFDA FUNDING	\$117,078,942
TOTAL USAID/FFP FUNDING	\$147,117,407
TOTAL STATE/PRM FUNDING	\$208,206,327
TOTAL USG FUNDING	\$472,402,676

¹ Total reflects adjusted award amounts.

² Total reflects adjustments for Logistics and Program Support.

³ Year of funding indicates the date of commitment or obligation, not appropriation, of funds. Funding figures reflect publicly announced funding as of September 30, 2019.

PUBLIC DONATION INFORMATION

- The most effective way people can assist relief efforts is by making cash contributions to humanitarian organizations that are conducting relief operations. A list of humanitarian organizations that are accepting cash donations for disaster responses around the world can be found at www.interaction.org.
- USAID encourages cash donations because they allow aid professionals to procure the exact items needed (often in the affected region); reduce the burden on scarce resources (such as transportation routes, staff time, and warehouse space); can be transferred very quickly and without transportation costs; support the economy of the disaster-stricken region; and ensure culturally, dietarily, and environmentally appropriate assistance.
- More information can be found at:
 - USAID Center for International Disaster Information: www.cidi.org.
 - Information on relief activities of the humanitarian community can be found at www.reliefweb.int.

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