DR CONGO

Since the end of October, heavy rains caused flooding in Isangi territory, eastern Ituri province, affecting 45 villages and forcing 18,000 people to flee inundated areas. No humanitarian response has been provided yet and those affected are in dire need of shelter, household items, water and healthcare.

NIGER

On 11 November, a traditional chief was kidnapped and killed by armed assailants in Boni Kado village, in western Tillabéri region. The unidentified armed men also ordered the population to abandon their village. Since April 2019, at least three traditional chiefs and four Tuareg leaders have been killed in the region. On 10 November, a private vehicle was hijacked in Deykoukou. Car jackings have become a trend in the region and have compromised humanitarian access. 17 vehicles have been taken by armed groups since May 2019, eight of which belong to humanitarian organizations.

NIGERIA

Up to 100,000 internally displaced people in the town of Rann, Borno State, may have little or no access to food following heavy flooding of the River Kaalia in neighboring Cameroon. The flood damaged an estimated 4,000 hectares of farmland, the main source of food for displaced communities in Rann. Access to the flood affected areas remains difficult but humanitarian actors are mobilizing resources to reach the affected populations.