



NIGER

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IN SUPPORT OF THE RED CROSS SOCIETY OF NIGER



8

National Society
branches



71

National Society
local units



399

National Society
staff



10,102

National Society
volunteers

PEOPLE REACHED

Emergency
Operations



30,000

Climate and
environment



450,000

Disasters
and crises



450,000

Health and
wellbeing



546,525

Migration and
displacement



38,160

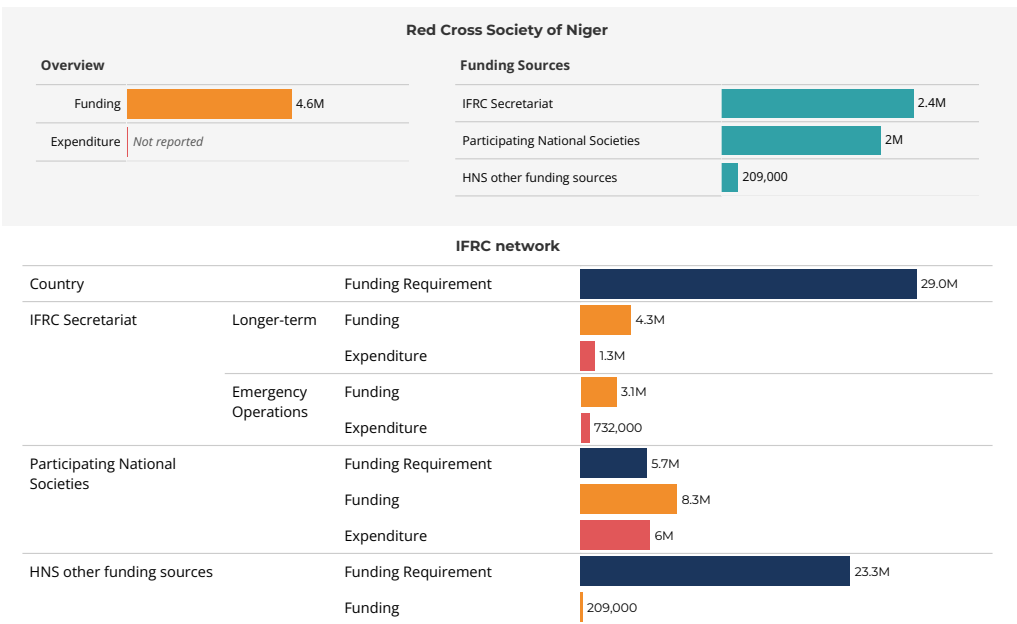
Values, power
and inclusion



9,600

FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

in Swiss francs (CHF)

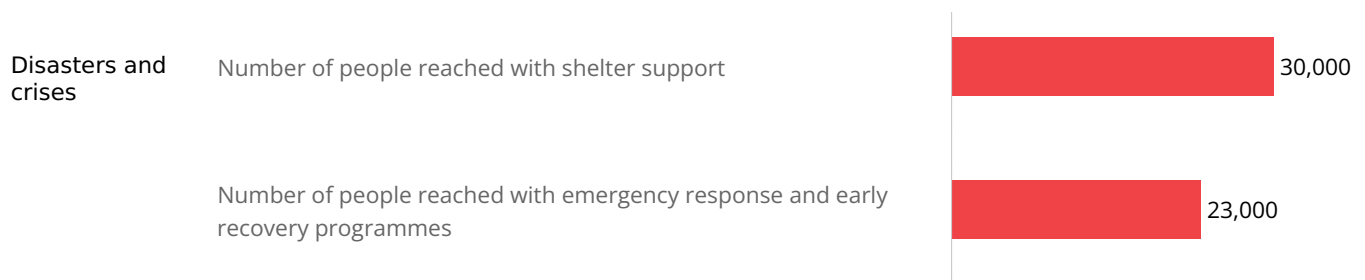


Appeal number **MAANE002**

*Information on data scope and limitations is available on the back page

ONGOING EMERGENCY INDICATORS

MDRNE030 / Niger Complex emergency



STRATEGIC PRIORITIES



Health and wellbeing	Number of people donating blood	5,000
	Number of people reached with contextually appropriate health services	547,000
	Number of people reached with contextually appropriate water, sanitation and hygiene services	155,000
	Number of people reached with immunization services	8,000
	Number of people reached with psychosocial and mental health services	79,000
	Number of people trained in first aid	4,000
Migration and displacement	National Society has undertaken any advocacy, dialogues, educational or communication initiatives to change the legal, policy, or operational environment to better assist and protect people on the move	Yes
	National Society has undertaken any data collection, research, analysis or other information management initiatives to better assist and protect people on the move	Yes
	Number of Humanitarian Service Points (HSPs) providing assistance and/or protection to people on the move along migration routes	3
	Number of migrants and displaced persons reached with services for assistance and protection	38,000
Values, power and inclusion	National Society has a Community Engagement and Accountability policy, strategy or plan	Yes
	Number of people reached by protection, gender and inclusion programming	4,000

Number of people reached by the National Society's educational programmes	10,000
Number of people whose access to education is facilitated through National Society's programming	5,000
Percentage of those surveyed report receiving useful and actionable information	85%

ENABLING FUNCTIONS

Strategic and operational coordination	Number of formal interagency/international coordination platforms the IFRC network is part of	7
	Number of government-led coordination platforms the National Society is part of	5
National Society development	National Society covers health, accident and death compensation for all of its volunteers	Yes
	National Society has created and implemented youth engagement strategies	Yes
	National Society has developed and/or implemented a strategy for strengthening their auxiliary role	Yes
	There is a National Society Development plan in place	Yes
Humanitarian diplomacy	National Society has a domestic advocacy strategy developed aligning, at least in part, with global IFRC advocacy strategies	Yes
	National Society participates in IFRC-led campaigns	Yes
Accountability and agility	National Society has a functioning data management system that informs decision making and supports monitoring and reporting on the impact and evidence of its actions	Yes
	National Society has a Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA) Action Plan to enforce prevention and support survivors	Yes
	National Society has a Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA) policy to enforce prevention and support survivors	Yes
	National Society has strengthened its integrity and reputational risk mechanism	

IFRC NETWORK BILATERAL-SUPPORTED ACTIVITIES

National Society	Funding Reported	Climate and environment	Disasters and crises	Health and wellbeing	Migration and displacement	Values, power and inclusion	Enabling Functions
Belgian Red Cross	1.4M						
British Red Cross	357,000						
Danish Red Cross	3M						
Finnish Red Cross	354,000						
French Red Cross							
Luxembourg Red Cross							
Spanish Red Cross	1.1M						
Turkish Red Crescent	1.9M						

Total Funding Reported **CHF 8.3M**

Q1. OVERALL PERFORMANCE

Context

The year 2025 unfolded in a particularly complex national context in Niger, characterized by a convergence of persistent security challenges, chronic food insecurity, recurrent epidemics and extreme climatic events, notably large-scale flooding. According to humanitarian estimates, nearly 4.8 million people required assistance in 2025, while more than 2.2 million individuals faced acute food insecurity during the lean season. Flooding affected over 246,000 people across 122 municipalities, further exacerbating existing vulnerabilities.

Key achievements

Climate and environment

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger integrated environmental sustainability into its humanitarian programmes and strengthened community resilience to climate-related hazards. The National Society disseminated its Disaster Management Strategy, trained communities in enhanced Vulnerability and Capacity Assessments ([eVCA](#)), installed autonomous water stations in flood-affected areas to support access to safe drinking water and promoted environmentally friendly sanitation, hygiene and food security practices.

Disasters and crises

During the reporting period, the Red Cross Society of Niger strengthened preparedness and response capacities for floods, population movements, insecurity and epidemics. The National Society updated contingency plans, conducted simulation exercises, responded to severe flooding and related humanitarian emergencies, strengthened local capacities through disaster management and [anticipatory action](#) training, and actively participated in national and international coordination mechanisms.

Health and wellbeing

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger responded to measles, meningitis, diphtheria and cholera outbreaks in collaboration with the Government of Niger. The National Society focused on disease prevention, strengthened staff and volunteer capacities through Integrated Disease Surveillance and Response training, developed mobile clinics, supported improved nutrition through food security activities and integrated Mental Health and Psychosocial Support ([MHPSS](#)) into community-based programmes.

Migration and displacement

From January to December 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger provided assistance to migrants and displaced populations. The National Society monitored migrant movements, identified missing migrants through the Migrant Twelve project, trained staff and volunteers in migrant protection, prevention of gender-based violence, and Protection, Gender and Inclusion ([PGI](#)). It also coordinated with humanitarian actors to strengthen the quality and reach of its interventions.

Values, power and inclusion

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger strengthened Protection, Gender and Inclusion ([PGI](#)) and Community Engagement and Accountability ([CEA](#)) across its programmes. The National Society trained staff and volunteers in the prevention of gender-based violence and Prevention and Response to Sexual Exploitation and Abuse ([PSEA](#)), provided community-based Mental Health and Psychosocial Support, established a Community Contact Centre to strengthen dialogue and feedback mechanisms, and developed communication materials to improve information sharing, community participation and the incorporation of beneficiary feedback into programme design.

Enabling local actors

During the reporting period, the Red Cross Society of Niger mobilized financial and in-kind resources from international partners to support multisectoral humanitarian programmes, flood response operations and migration initiatives. The National Society also strengthened domestic resource mobilization through fundraising, digital communications, media outreach and the development of institutional materials. These efforts increased visibility, reinforced credibility and strengthened engagement with existing and potential partners. It also strengthened its institutional and operational capacities through organizational development, branch reinforcement and the monitoring and updating of agreements, contracts and legal opinions related to humanitarian activities and partnerships.

The Red Cross Society of Niger strengthened regional committees through training and support for focal points in Health, Protection, Disaster Risk Management and Community Engagement and Accountability. The National Society trained volunteers in malnutrition, Integrated Disease Surveillance and community-based interventions and engaged communities in Protection, Gender and Inclusion, Prevention and Response to Sexual Exploitation and Abuse, Mental Health and Psychosocial Support and Migration activities. It also involved youth and volunteers throughout programme implementation, strengthened its role in humanitarian coordination and as an auxiliary to public authorities, promoted donor advocacy, enhanced accountability and transparency systems, strengthened risk management and security measures, improved supply chain processes and advanced digital transformation through the Community Contact Centre, digitized beneficiary information systems and digital data collection tools.

Q2. CHANGES AND AMENDMENTS

During 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger adjusted its Unified Plan to respond to a rapidly changing humanitarian, institutional and operational environment. Persistent insecurity, worsening food insecurity, major flooding and recurring public health emergencies required a stronger focus on emergency response and disaster risk management. Resources were redirected to flood response operations, the Complex Emergency Appeal and cash transfer interventions, resulting in the postponement or scaling down of some planned prevention and development activities.

Institutional changes also significantly affected implementation. The closure of International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) offices in Niger, together with the withdrawal or repositioning of several partners, disrupted activities linked to Restoring Family Links, organizational development, institutional communication and support functions. This led to the suspension or reconfiguration of some activities, a greater emphasis on Protection, Gender and Inclusion ([PGI](#)), Mental Health and Psychosocial Support ([MHPSS](#)) and Community Engagement and Accountability ([CEA](#)) programmes that retained funding, as well as increased efforts to strengthen internal capacities, localization and income diversification. At the same time, the introduction of new UEMOA accounting standards and national finance regulations required extensive staff training, system digitalization and technical support, causing some delays but improving compliance, traceability and financial accountability.

Implementation was further affected by delayed fund disbursements, security and logistical constraints, staffing gaps in key departments, limited digitalization of monitoring and financial management systems, and uneven volunteer capacities across regions. Despite these challenges, the National Society achieved most strategic objectives fully or partially. The adaptations maintained operational continuity, enabled effective responses to priority humanitarian needs and strengthened the foundation for community resilience and organizational transformation, although some planned targets were deferred or reduced due to institutional, financial and security constraints.

Q3. MEASURING RESULTS OF THE IFRC NETWORK ACTION

ONGOING EMERGENCY RESPONSE

For real-time information on IFRC emergencies, visit IFRC GO page: Niger

Emergency Appeal name	Niger Floods
IFRC Emergency Appeal code	MDRNE030
People affected	2 million people
People to be assisted	250,000 people
Duration	12 months (19 September 2024 to 30 September 2025)
Funding requirements	IFRC funding requirement through the Appeal: CHF 4 million Federation-wide funding requirements: CHF 8 million
Link to Operational Strategy	Operational strategy

Between July and August 2024, Niger experienced its worst flooding on record, affecting all regions and impacting around 1.5 million people, with 396 deaths and 405 injuries. The disaster destroyed or damaged nearly 158,000 homes, devastated agricultural land and livestock, disrupted access to essential services, and triggered multiple disease outbreaks. Food insecurity and malnutrition worsened significantly, while vulnerable groups, including women, children, older persons, and persons with disabilities, faced heightened protection risks and reduced access to basic services.

Short description of the emergency operational strategy

The Red Cross Society of Niger implemented a comprehensive operational strategy in response to severe flooding that has affected over a million people across the country. The operation integrated emergency relief, recovery, and resilience-building to support vulnerable communities. During the initial phase, the focus was on life-saving assistance, including the provision of shelter, food, water, health and hygiene services, with special attention to Protection, Gender and Inclusion. During recovery, it prioritized sustainable livelihoods, disaster risk reduction, climate resilience and community engagement to help affected families rebuild and adapt.

The operation provided comprehensive support to flood-affected communities through emergency shelter materials, household items and training in safe shelter construction for displaced families. Livelihoods assistance included food support, agricultural inputs for farmers, livestock assistance and skills training for youth to help restore incomes and strengthen recovery. Health and water, sanitation and hygiene (WASH) interventions reached affected households with mosquito nets, first aid supplies, water treatment products, water storage facilities, hygiene kits, and dignity kits for women and girls. The response also prioritized Protection, Gender and Inclusion (PGI) and Community Engagement and Accountability (CEA) Targeted support was provided for vulnerable groups, while investments in volunteer training, logistics, data management and partnerships helped strengthen the National Society's response capacity and promote longer-term resilience, disaster risk reduction and climate adaptation.

Since the last operational update, the Red Cross Society of Niger, sustained a nationwide flood response through its network of 8 regional branches, 63 sub-branches and over 10,000 volunteers. Assistance has reached approximately 13,500 households, while cholera vaccination campaigns covered more than 85,000 people and non-food items were distributed to nearly 100,000 households. Strong coordination with government authorities and humanitarian partners, combined with strengthened logistics, community engagement, safeguarding measures and monitoring systems, helped address operational challenges such as difficult access during the rainy season, although the response continued through March 2026.

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES



Climate and environment

Progress by the National Society against objectives

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger integrated environmental sustainability actions into the planning and implementation of its humanitarian programmes. It disseminated its Disaster Management strategy and conducted training sessions in enhanced Vulnerability and Capacity Assessments ([eVCA](#)) for communities. The National Society also made efforts to strengthen its resilience to climate-related hazards.

In response to severe flooding in Niger, the National Society installed autonomous water stations to guarantee sustainable access of affected populations to safe drinking water. It also promoted environmentally friendly sanitation and hygiene-related practices and conducted awareness campaigns in relation to this in several flood-impacted regions. Additionally, the Red Cross Society of Niger continued to integrate environmental considerations into food security projects.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC provided technical and financial support to the Red Cross Society of Niger in planning and coordinating its response to disasters, promoting sustainable resource management and the implementation of climate adaptation measures within the National Society's community resilience programmes.



Disasters and crises

For real-time information on emergencies, visit IFRC GO page: Niger

Progress by the National Society against objectives

During the reporting period, Red Cross Society of Niger strengthened its preparedness and response to crises, with a focus on floods, population movement, insecurity and epidemics. The National Society updated its contingency plans and conducted simulations in several regions. It continued to respond to severe flooding in the country and the complex humanitarian emergencies it engendered.

The Red Cross Society of Niger made an effort to build the capacities of local committees and community structures for strengthening multi-risk prevention and response by organizing training sessions in disaster management approaches and [anticipatory action](#). Additionally, it continued to actively participate in several national and international coordination mechanisms including OCHA and UNDRR.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC provided support to the Red Cross Society of Niger through its Emergency Appeal mechanism. It also provided assistance to the National Society in conducting training in disaster management approaches and anticipatory action.



Health and wellbeing

Progress by the National Society against objectives

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger responded to several epidemics including measles, meningitis, diphtheria and cholera, in collaboration with the Nigerian government. The National Society focused on prevention activities, strengthening of the capacities of its staff and volunteers through training in integrated disease and surveillance response as well as developing mobile clinics. Additionally, the National Society made efforts to improve nutrition outcomes through various activities focused on food security.

The Red Cross Society of Niger also continued to integrate Mental Health and Psychosocial Support ([MHPSS](#)) into its community-based programmes, thus supporting mental and emotional wellbeing of communities.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC supported the Red Cross Society of Niger in conducting staff training and multi-sectoral interventions focused on health. It also supported the National Society in regional and national coordination of epidemic response and disease surveillance.



The Red Cross Society of Niger conducts post-distribution monitoring surveys to gauge the effectiveness of its interventions (Photo: IFRC)



Migration and displacement

Progress by the National Society against objectives

For the period from January to December 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger provided assistance to migrants and displaced populations. It continued to monitor migrants and identified missing migrants under its Migrant 12 project. The National Society trained its staff and volunteers in migrant protection, prevention of gender-based violence and Protection, Gender and Inclusion (PGI). Additionally, the National Society continued coordinating with humanitarian actors to strengthen its coverage and improve the quality of its interventions focused on migrant welfare and assistance.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC supported the Red Cross Society of Niger in conducting data collection and follow ups in relation to migrants, as well as training for its staff and volunteers. Support for this was also provided by the **British Red Cross**.

Additionally, the IFRC supported the National Society in regional engagements such as with Migration Working Group and the Nigerian Ministry of Interior.



Values, power and inclusion

Progress by the National Society against objectives

The Red Cross Society of Niger continued to strengthen Protection, Gender and Inclusion ([PGI](#)) and Community Engagement and Accountability ([CEA](#)) across its programmes throughout 2025. It trained its staff and volunteers in prevention of gender-based violence as well as Prevention and Response to Sexual Exploitation and Abuse ([PSEA](#)).

The National Society supported communities affected by crises, displacement and epidemics through community-based mental health and psychosocial support activities. It also conducted regional workshops and regular follow-ups to ensure emotional wellbeing of community members. Additionally, the Red Cross Society of Niger established a Community Contract Centre, enabling direct dialogue with communities, feedback collection and adaptation of interventions based on expressed needs, further enhancing [CEA](#).

The Red Cross Society of Niger developed several communication tools and materials including articles, multimedia content and social media content to improve information sharing and raise awareness among communities to encourage greater participation. Monitoring and incorporation of beneficiary feedback into programme design, ensuring improved quality and relevance of interventions.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC provided technical and financial support to the National Society for Protection, Gender and Inclusion ([PGI](#)), Community Engagement and Accountability ([CEA](#)) as well as training sessions focused on prevention of gender-based violence and Prevention and Response to Sexual Exploitation and Abuse ([PSEA](#)). Support for this was also provided by the **British Red Cross** and **Danish Red Cross**.

Additionally, the IFRC provided support to the Red Cross Society of Niger for conducting advocacy and promoting best practices to strengthen sustainability and local ownership of programmes.

ENABLING LOCAL ACTORS



Strategic and operational coordination

IFRC membership coordination

IFRC membership coordination involves working with National Societies to assess the humanitarian context, agree on common priorities and jointly develop common strategies. This includes addressing issues such as obtaining greater humanitarian acceptance and access, mobilizing funding and other resources, clarifying consistent public messaging and monitoring progress. It also entails ensuring that strategies and programmes in support of people in need incorporate clarity of humanitarian action while linking with development assistance and contribute to reinforcing National Societies in their respective countries, including through their auxiliary role.

The National Society was part of the global [Pilot Programmatic Partnership](#) between the DG ECHO and IFRC and as such, received the implementation support of the Belgian Red Cross, French Red Cross and Luxembourg Red Cross

(as the lead EU National Society), as well as the coordination support of the IFRC. This partnership met the realities of extended crises with longer-term predictable funding, facilitating actions and processes with the potential for greater, longer-term impact. It leveraged the IFRC's global network and unique access to people and communities, and it helps to fulfil the ambitions of the European Union as the world's biggest international donor for humanitarian assistance. The partnership ended in mid-2025.

The Red Cross Society of Niger is involved in the four [IFRC Pan-African initiatives](#) focusing on Tree Planting and Care, Zero Hunger, Red Ready and National Society Development. These initiatives are reflected in the relevant sections of this plan.

Participating National Societies that supported the Red Cross Society of Niger under various initiatives include the **Belgian Red Cross, Danish Red Cross, Finnish Red Cross, French Red Cross, Luxembourg Red Cross and Spanish Red Cross.**

Movement coordination

The Red Cross Society of Niger ensures regular exchanges with the IFRC, the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC) and participating National Societies, for the alignment of support and action between Movement partners. In times of emergencies, closer coordination is organized. This is carried out in line with the Strengthening Movement Coordination and Cooperation ([SMCC](#)) principles and the newly adopted [Seville Agreement 2.0](#).

In Ethiopia, **the ICRC** supports conflict and violence-affected people with food and essential items, helps to establish livelihoods and incomes, builds and maintains water-supply systems, provides health structures with medical supplies, visits detainees, reunites separated families due to conflict, provides physical rehabilitation and promotes [International Humanitarian Law \(IHL\)](#).

External Coordination

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger continued to reinforce its role as an auxiliary to public authorities in humanitarian action and enhance collaboration with national, regional and international partners. The National Society actively participated in humanitarian coordination mechanisms at national and regional levels, including the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA), thematic clusters covering health, nutrition, protection and disaster risk management and multi-stakeholder platforms such as the United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR), Rapid Response Mechanism, One Health and Sahel+.

It worked closely with national and local authorities, including the ministries responsible for health, interior affairs, food security and civil protection, to plan and implement emergency interventions, further strengthening its auxiliary role and operational legitimacy.

The National Society also maintained strong partnerships with United Nations agencies and international non-governmental organizations, which facilitated technical exchange, capacity strengthening and the joint implementation of multisectoral humanitarian programmes.

Resource mobilization

The Red Cross Society of Niger mobilized financial and in-kind resources from a range of international partners to support multisectoral humanitarian programmes, flood response operations and migration initiatives. It also strengthened resource mobilization efforts through domestic fundraising and enhanced visibility initiatives, including digital communications, media outreach and the development of institutional materials. These efforts increased the National Society's visibility, reinforced its credibility and strengthened engagement with existing and potential partners.



National Society development

Progress by the National Society against objectives

In 2025, The Red Cross Society of Niger strengthened its institutional and operational capacities through an integrated approach to organizational development and branch reinforcement in line with its national development strategy. The National Society strengthened its statutory and legal framework by monitoring and updating agreements, contracts and legal opinions related to humanitarian activities and partnerships.

The National Society strengthened regional committees through training and follow-up support for regional focal points in Health, Protection, Disaster Risk Management and Community Engagement and Accountability. It trained volunteers in malnutrition, Integrated Disease Surveillance and community-based interventions and engaged communities in Protection, Gender and Inclusion ([PGI](#)), Prevention and Response to Sexual Exploitation and Abuse ([PSEA](#)), Mental Health and Psychosocial Support ([MHPSS](#)) and Migration activities. The National Society also involved youth and volunteers throughout the planning and implementation of activities, contributing to the sustainability of interventions.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC, along with the **British Red Cross, Belgian Red Cross, French Red Cross** and **Red Crescent Society of the Islamic Republic of Iran** provided the National Society with technical, logistical and financial support for staff and volunteer training. Additionally, the IFRC supported the Red Cross Society of Niger in organizational development, branch strengthening and humanitarian activities.



Humanitarian diplomacy

Progress by the National Society against objectives

In 2025, the Red Cross Society of Niger actively participated in board meetings, cluster sessions and national and regional humanitarian coordination platforms. The National Society strengthened its role in multisectoral coordination and as an auxiliary to public authorities. It also promoted advocacy efforts with donors.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC, along with the **British Red Cross, Belgian Red Cross, French Red Cross** and **Red Crescent Society of the Islamic Republic of Iran** supported the Red Cross Society of Niger in its advocacy efforts.



Accountability and agility (cross-cutting)

Progress by the National Society against objectives

During the reporting period, the Red Cross Society of Niger strengthened accountability, operational agility and internal governance by integrating these elements across its programmes and activities. The National Society implemented human resources policies that promoted staff protection, volunteer safety and skills development, with a focus on Protection, Gender and Inclusion ([PGI](#)), gender-based violence prevention, mental health and psychosocial support, and Community Engagement and Accountability ([CEA](#)). It also maintained financial transparency through programme-based budget tracking, regular donor reporting and strict application of anti-fraud procedures and integrity mechanisms.

The National Society strengthened risk management and security systems to monitor, control and mitigate risks across its interventions, particularly in high-risk operational areas. It also optimized supply chain processes and the distribution of food kits, medicines and essential relief items and applied results-based monitoring to maintain quality standards and achieve operational objectives.

The Red Cross Society of Niger advanced its digital transformation by managing the Community Contact Centre, partially digitizing beneficiary information systems and using digital platforms for institutional communication, community engagement and feedback dissemination. It strengthened information and communications technology infrastructure in regional branches despite technical and financial constraints. Additionally, the National Society promoted innovation through the use of digital data collection for needs assessments and intervention monitoring.

IFRC network joint support

The IFRC provided technical support to the Red Cross Society of Niger in strengthening its monitoring, evaluation and accountability systems. They also supported the integration of accountability, risk management and staff protection practices across multisectoral programmes. The IFRC supported the enhancement of digital capacities and data collection tools used by the Red Cross Society of Niger for needs assessments and intervention monitoring. Additionally, support was provided to the National Society in its digital transformation efforts as well as the reinforcement of institutional systems that promoted accountability, risk management and operational agility across the National Society's programmes and activities.

Q4. AFFECTED PERSONS (PEOPLE REACHED)

See cover pages

Q5. PARTICIPATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY FOR AFFECTED PEOPLE – COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY

See Strategic Priority on 'Values, power and inclusion' under Q3: MEASURING RESULTS OF THE IFRC NETWORK ACTION

Q6. RISK MANAGEMENT

This information is not available in Annual Reports

Q7. EXIT STRATEGY AND SUSTAINABILITY

See Strategic Priorities or Enabling Local Actors, where relevant under Q3: MEASURING RESULTS OF THE IFRC NETWORK ACTION

Q8. LESSONS LEARNED

The Red Cross Society of Niger found that engaging local committees, volunteers and community structures strengthened the effectiveness of interventions in Protection, Health, Migration and Disaster Resilience, demonstrating the importance of strong community ownership for programme relevance and sustainability. It also found that active participation in coordination mechanisms and collaboration with participating National Societies and public authorities improved the effectiveness and efficiency of interventions, although gaps remained in coordination between departments and some partners.

The National Society learned that complex contexts marked by security crises, population movements, epidemic outbreaks and natural disasters require greater operational flexibility and adaptability. Experience showed that rigid planning limits the ability to respond effectively to changing situations. In addition, the systematic integration of Protection, Gender and Inclusion, Prevention of Gender-Based Violence, Child Protection and Mental Health and Psychosocial Support across multisectoral programmes improved the relevance and quality of interventions and strengthened accountability to affected populations.

The Red Cross Society of Niger identified reliable data collection and regular monitoring as essential for planning, supervision and donor advocacy. Challenges related to limited access and mobile populations highlighted the need to further strengthen monitoring and evaluation systems and expand the use of digital technologies. Based on these lessons, the National Society will strengthen community participation and engagement, improve internal and external coordination, adopt more flexible and risk-informed approaches, continue integrating Protection, Gender and Inclusion across programmes, and expand digital tools and monitoring and evaluation capacities to support reliable data collection and the adherence to good practices.

ANNEX 1. IFRC APPLICATION OF THE 8+3 REPORTING TEMPLATE

The IFRC network structures its result-based management along five Strategic priorities and four Enabling functions, developed based on the IFRC network's [Strategy 2030](#):

IFRC network Strategic Priorities	IFRC network Enabling Functions
SP 1 - Climate and environment	EF 1- Strategic and operational coordination
SP 2 - Disasters and crises	EF 2 - National Society development
SP 3 - Health and wellbeing	EF 3 - Humanitarian diplomacy
SP 4 - Migration and displacement	EF 4 - Accountability and agility
SP 5 - Values, power and inclusion	

The Federation-wide results matrix provides a standard way for the IFRC network to measure its progress towards Strategy 2030 implementation and supports consistent quality of the IFRC network planning, monitoring and reporting. To further advance coherence in monitoring across the IFRC network, a [Federation-wide Indicator Bank](#) has been developed and integrated into the Federation-wide monitoring systems for emergencies and longer-term work, structured along the Federation-wide results matrix as well. Signatory of the Grand Bargain Agreement, the IFRC has committed to its monitoring and reporting standards through integration of the 8+3 reporting template contents into its results-based management approach. The following mapping demonstrate the way in which this report aligns with 8+3 reporting:

8+3 template	IFRC network Annual Report (with variance in structure in red)
Core Questions	
1. Overall Performance	Overall Performance
2. Changes and Amendments	Changes and amendments
3. Measuring Results	Measuring Results
4. Affected Persons	Cover pages with indicators values
5. Participation & AAP	Under Q3 Strategic Priority 5: Values, power and inclusion – Community Engagement and Accountability
6. Risk management	Risk management
7. Exit Strategy and Sustainability	Under Q3 sub-sections by Strategic Priority/Enabling Function where relevant
8. Lessons Learned	Lessons learned
Additional Questions	
1. Value for Money/ Cost Effectiveness	Not included in annual reports
2. Visibility	Not included in annual reports
3. Coordination	Under Q3 Enabling Function 1: Strategic and operational coordination
4. Implementing Partners	Cross-cutting, with a focus on support to localization through the Q3 Enabling Functions 1 to 4
5. Activities or Steps Towards implementation	Cross-cutting in Q3 Strategic Priorities and Enabling Functions
6. Environment	Under Q3 Strategic Priority 1: Climate and environment



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is the world's largest humanitarian network, with 191 National Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies and around 15 million volunteers. Our volunteers are present in communities before, during and after a crisis or disaster. We work in the most hard to reach and complex settings in the world, saving lives and promoting human dignity. We support communities to become stronger and more resilient places where people can live safe and healthy lives, and have opportunities to thrive.

DATA SCOPE AND LIMITATIONS

- **Timeframe and alignment:** The reporting timeframe for this overview is covering the period from 1 January to 31 December 2025. However, due to the diversity of the IFRC and differences in fiscal years, this coverage may not fully align for some National Societies.
- **Financial overview:** This overview consolidates data reported by the National Society and its IFRC network partners, as well as data extracted from IFRC's financial systems. All reported figures should include the administrative and operational costs of the different entities. The financial data with a grey background is solely reported by the National Society, including the funding sources. Financial reporting is often times estimated depending on availability of financial figures, closing of financial periods, and may be incomplete. 'Not reported' could sometimes mean 'not applicable'. Also note that funding requirements are already reflected in the published 2025 IFRC network country plan. The total funding requirements show what the IFRC network has sought to raise for the given year through different channels: funding through the IFRC, through participating National Societies as bilateral support, and through the host National Society from non-IFRC network sources. All figures should include the administrative and operational costs of the different entities.
 - » Host National Society funding requirements not coming from IFRC network sources can comprise a variety of sources, as demonstrated when reporting on income in the IFRC Federation-wide Databank and Reporting System
 - » Participating National Society funding requirements for bilateral support are those validated by respective headquarters, and often represent mainly secured funding
 - » IFRC funding requirements comprise both what is sourced from the IFRC core budget and what is sought through emergency and thematic funding. This includes participating National Societies' multilateral support through IFRC, and all other IFRC sources of funding
- **Missing data and breakdowns:** National Societies have diverse data collection systems and processes that may not align with the standardized indicators. Data may not be available for some indicators, for some National Societies. This may lead to inconsistencies across different reporting tools as well as potential under or over-estimation of the efforts led by all.
- **Reporting bias:** The data informing this Federation-wide overview is self-reported by each National Society (or its designated support entity) which is the owner and gatekeeper, and responsible for accuracy and updating. IFRC tries to triangulate the data provided by the National Societies with previous data and other data in the public domain.
- **Definitions:**
 - » **Local units:** ALL subdivisions of a National Society that coordinate and deliver services to people. These include ALL levels (provincial, state, city, district branches, sections or chapters, headquarters, and regional and intermediate offices, as well as community-based units)
 - » **Branches:** A Branch has its roles, responsibilities and relationship with the National Headquarters defined through the National Society's Statutes, including the level of autonomy given, especially in the area of its legal status, mobilising local resources and building local partnerships, and the decisions it makes. It has a local-level decision-making mechanism through its Branch members, board and volunteers, equally defined through the National Society's Statutes

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- [NE_Niger AR Financials.pdf](#) (Note: The financial report link will be fed when the report is available. For emergency operations, see [MDRNE030](#)).
- [IFRC network country plans](#)
- [Subscribe for updates](#)
- [Live Disaster Response Emergency Fund \(DREF\) data](#)
- Operational information: [IFRC GO platform](#)
- National Society data: [IFRC Federation-wide Databank and Reporting System](#)
- [Evaluations database](#)

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