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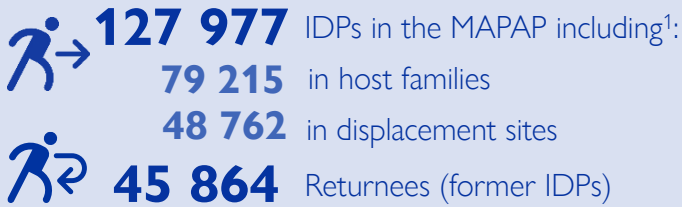
During April 2023, the security situation within the metropolitan area of Port-au-Prince continued to intensify with many manifestations and shootings taking place, mainly in areas of Canape Vert, Fort Jaques, Debussy, Carrefour Feuille, Delmas 65, Source Matelas and Champs de Mars. In addition, local auto-defense movements known as Bwa Kale, have begun capturing and executing suspected gangs' members, which has led to even more violent confrontations between gangs and community members in different areas of the country.

IOM's DTM published [emergency tracking updates](#) regarding attacks and violence which caused displacement of approximately 8,919 individuals (2,261 households) during April 2023

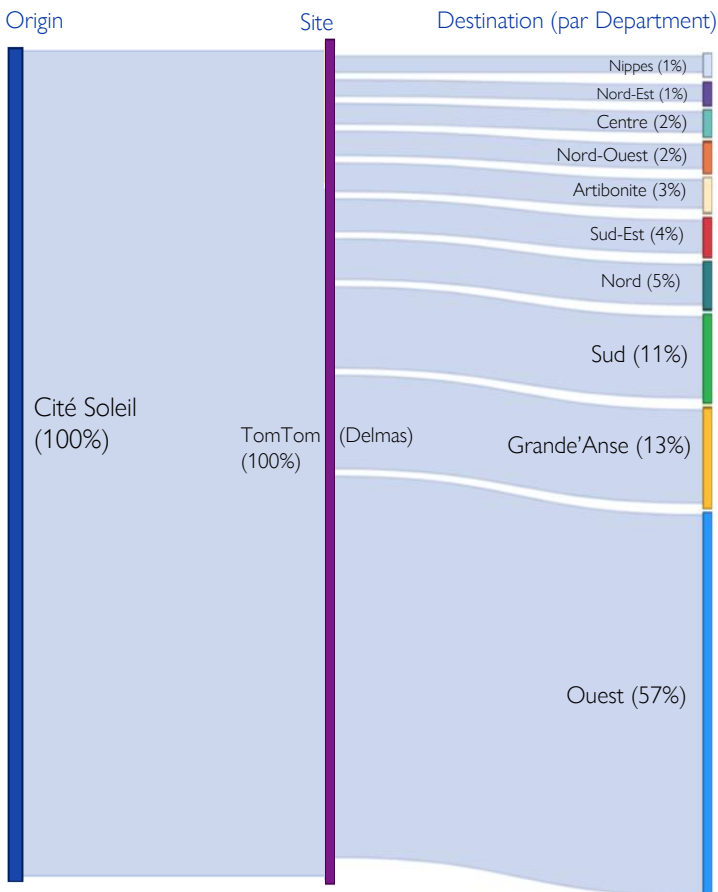
IOM continues to provide direct protection assistance to individuals and families residing within displacement sites and in communities that host internally displaced persons (IDPs). Relocation assistance is provided to the most vulnerable IDP families residing within sites (including pregnant women with children, survivors of gender-based violence, persons with disabilities, nursing mothers, etc.) through a one-year cash transfer program to enable them to leave the sites and relocate to homes providing better protection. Other services are also provided such as medical and psychosocial support. Interventions this month have focused on accessible sites, mainly the *Nam Tom-Tom* site.



This month, IOM also conducted emergency distributions in the commune of Arcahaie for people displaced due to floodings. 1,122 NFIs were given to the DGPC for their distribution to the most vulnerable populations



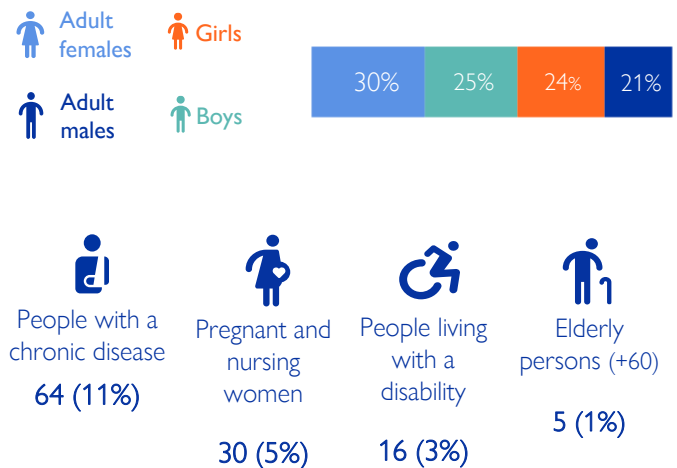
DISTRIBUTION OF RELOCATED HOUSEHOLDS BY MUNICIPALITY OF ORIGIN AND DESTINATION



ASSISTANCE PROVIDED TO IDPs



DEMOGRAPHICS OF THOSE ASSISTED



1. [Data from DTM assessments conducted from February to March 2023.](#)

SOUTHERN DEPARTMENTS

On August 14, 2021, a devastating earthquake measuring 7.2 on the Richter scale struck southwestern Haiti, killing more than 2,189 people, injuring 12,268, and leaving more than 650,000 people in need of humanitarian assistance in a country suffering from alarming poverty. Almost two years after the earthquake, the population is still struggling to recover. The cost of living is rising as gang violence takes over entire neighborhoods in Port-au-Prince, the main supply route for the southern departments. Recovery needs have been estimated at nearly USD 2 billion (USD 1.978 billion) by the last Post-Disaster Needs Assessment.

IOM, in coordination and collaboration with the DGPC and the *Unité de Construction de Logements et de Bâtiments Publics* (UCLBP), continues to provide protection and relocation assistance to those affected by the earthquake. Relocation assistance is provided by IOM to IDPs through a cash transfer program for rent or repairs to their previous homes. In addition, to complement the housing assistance provided that is equivalent to one year's rent, IOM provides supplementary assistance to the most vulnerable, including medical support for the disabled, back-to-school assistance for large families, and NFI items to suit specific needs.

IOM ASSISTANCE PROVIDED TO IDPs

676 Households relocated from the following sites:



- Parc Larco: 433 households
- Garage Massillon: 78 households
- Ste Thérèse: 97 households
- Those who had been left out of previous interventions: 68



457 Identity documents provided to displaced persons with the support of ICDH



800 Persons supported with psychosocial activities



IOM distributes codes to IDPs with which they can withdraw cash at the nearest Unitransfer office, so that they can leave the sites and relocate to a safer area with the help of this rental/reconstruction assistance.



Identity documents such as birth certificates were distributed to those affected by the earthquake with the support of the local organization *Initiative Citoyenne pour les Droits de l'Homme* (ICDH)

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