

People in Refugee-Like Situations

Host Country	Population	Number of Refugee Like People
Jordan	Iraqis	300,000
Bangladesh	Biharis	126,000-159,000
United States	Colombians	150,000
Syria	Stateless Kurds	200,000-250,000
Kuwait	<i>Bidoon</i>	120,000
Congo-Kinshasa	Rwandans	25,000
Costa Rica	Colombians	20,000
Panama	Colombians	20,000
Pakistan	Kashmiris	17,000
Russia	Meskhetian Turks	13,000
Sudan	Ethiopians	12,000
Ethiopia	Sudanese	10,000
Ukraine	Georgians	5,000

Many persons live in situations similar to those of refugees, but may not meet the refugee definition. Some may be stateless or of indeterminate nationality and denied the protection of citizenship. Others may be on the road to permanent integration in their host countries or conditions for return may be unclear. In many such cases, and often in the absence of credible refugee determination procedures, it is difficult to determine who among them might be refugees.

In Memoriam...

March 2—Saeed Ubadi Ghani, *International Rescue Committee, Iraq*

March 9—Fern Holland (*American Refugee Committee/Guinea*), *U.S. Agency for International Development, Iraq*

May 14—Jacob Lushasi, *Tanganyika Christian Refugee Service, Tanzania*

June 2—Hélène de Beir, Egil Tynaes, Pim Kwint, Besmillah, and Fasil Ahmad, *Doctors without Borders, Afghanistan*

June 29—Bahati James Barongo and Allan Mukuru, *International Rescue Committee, Sierra Leone*

August 2—Mohammed Idrees and Sadiq and Emal Abdul Samad, *Malteser, Afghanistan*

October 10—Rafe Bullick and Nourredine Issa Tayeb, *Save the Children, Sudan*

November 16 (?)—Margaret Hassan, *CARE, Iraq*

December 12—Abhakarel Tayeb and Yacoub Abdelnabi, *Save the Children, Sudan*

December 26—Amirullah and Rosnani, *Consortium for Assistance and Recovery toward Development in Indonesia, Indonesia*



FALLEN REFUGEE WORKERS

Helping refugees can be dangerous work. Those who help displaced persons often face the perils of the uprooted themselves. Here, we commemorate several individuals who dedicated their lives to bringing a measure of relief to persons in danger. Last year, these persons were killed in action.

Photo: Jacob Lushasi, the Kibondo Project Logistics Officer for Tanganyika Christian Refugee Service, was fatally injured in a bandit attack while traveling on business in the Karagwe District. Credit: Tanganyika Christian Refugee Service