One of the main drivers of humanitarian needs in Afghanistan in 2018 was displacement due to conflict with more than half a million people forced from their homes due to fighting. Many of these people remain in displacement across the country, as conflict prevents them from returning to their areas of origin.

Almost 11,600 Afghan citizens returned from Pakistan to Afghanistan in 2018. While the number of returnees is less than the same period last year, a larger influx from Pakistan is expected in the second half of the year.

CONFLICT DISPLACEMENTS IN 2018

69,000 people displaced due to conflict

23% adult male

21% adult female

55% children under 18

RETURNES FROM PAKISTAN IN 2018

11,600 Afghan returnees from Pakistan

18% adult male

21% adult female

61% children under 18

Data compiled by OCHA

Displaced people by province of arrival

Estimated undocumented returnees by intended province of return

Data sources: Newly displaced people due to conflict from 1 Jan to 6 Apr 2018, compiled by OCHA sub offices based on inter-agency assessment results (as of 15 Apr 2018). Returnees from Pakistan from 1 Jan to 14 Apr 2018 (IOM/UNHCR). These numbers are subject to change as more information becomes available.

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