

Zambia - COVID-19 Impact Assessment on Refugee Livelihoods: Multistakeholder Rapid Assessment - 2020

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Overview

Identification

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Overview

ABSTRACT

The COVID- 19 pandemic is having an unprecedented impact on people's lives. The pandemic is no doubt evolving into an economic and labor market downturn affecting all communities. In Zambia, daily status updates by the Ministry of Health indicate that, the cumulative number of cases are nearing 2,000 (as of 10th July 2020). The pandemic has further compounded the already distressed macroeconomic outlook. Cognizant of the resultant effect on economic systems, including trade restrictions, limited mobility of people and goods, and restricted movement in and out of the refugee settlements, a multi- stakeholder rapid assessment was conducted (2,796 respondents) during the period 8th to 19th June to quantify /determine measurable impact on refugees and hosting community livelihoods. The rapid survey was conducted in Lusaka and in the three refugee settlements and hosting villages of Zambia based on stratified random sampling.

KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

UNITS OF ANALYSIS

Household

Scope

NOTES

Determine the measurable impact of COVID-19 on refugees and hosting community livelihoods in Zambia

TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary	URI
Livelihood & Social cohesion		

KEYWORDS

COVID-19, Host community, Refugees, Zambia

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

Lusaka and the three (Mantapala, Mayukwayukwa, Meheba) refugee settlements and hosting villages of Zambia

UNIVERSE

Refugees & host communities

Producers and Sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATOR(S)

Name	Affiliation
UNHCR	

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- Specified the archive where study is originally stored
- Added metadata producer
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Sampling

Sampling Procedure

Stratified random sampling

Questionnaires

No content available

Data Collection

Data Collection Dates

Start	End	Cycle
2020-06-08	2020-06-19	N/A

Data Collection Mode

Computer Assisted Personal Interview [capi]

Data Collectors

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation
UNHCR		

Data Processing

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Data Appraisal

No content available

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Variable List

COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Content

Cases 0

Variable(s) 59

Structure Type:
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Missing Data

Variables

ID	NAME	LABEL	TYPE	FORMAT	QUESTION
V1	leg_status	What is your legal status?	discrete	numeric	
V2	location	Location	discrete	numeric	
V3	ishead	Are you the head of the household?	discrete	numeric	
V4	sex	Sex	discrete	numeric	
V5	hhhgender	Head of Household Gender	discrete	numeric	
V6	age_range	What is your age range?	discrete	numeric	
V7	group_size	Group Size	discrete	numeric	
V8	foodlast	For the food stock that your family has, how long will it last?	discrete	numeric	
V9	foodsit_befmarch	What statement best describes your food situation before March 2020	discrete	numeric	
V10	foodsit_afmarch	What statement best describes your food situation after March 2020	discrete	numeric	
V11	income_1	What livelihood activity ...? Farming	discrete	numeric	
V12	income_2	What livelihood activity ...? Own small/medium business	discrete	numeric	
V13	income_3	What livelihood activity ...? Petty trading	discrete	numeric	
V14	income_4	What livelihood activity ...? Daily casual work	discrete	numeric	
V15	income_5	What livelihood activity ...? Contract/Salary employment	discrete	numeric	
V16	income_6	What livelihood activity ...? Remittances/support from friends	discrete	numeric	
V17	income_7	What livelihood activity ...? UNHCR CBI/Government support	discrete	numeric	
V18	income_88	What livelihood activity ...? Other	discrete	numeric	
V19	impact	Ability to engage in livelihood been negatively affected in past month?	discrete	numeric	
V20	impact_reasons_1	What were the mainâ€¦? Restricted movement passes out of the settlement	discrete	numeric	
V21	impact_reasons_2	What were the mainâ€¦? Reduced demand for goods/services	discrete	numeric	
V22	impact_reasons_3	What were the mainâ€¦? Transport limitations to stock my business	discrete	numeric	
V23	impact_reasons_4	What were the mainâ€¦? Lack of daily wage opportunities	discrete	numeric	

V24	impact_reasons_5	What were the mainâ€¦? Dismissed from formal employment	discrete	numeric
V25	impact_reasons_6	What were the mainâ€¦? Reduced customers for my business	discrete	numeric
V26	impact_reasons_7	What were the mainâ€¦? Protection concerns	discrete	numeric
V27	impact_reasons_8	What were the mainâ€¦? No market to sell products	discrete	numeric
V28	impact_reasons_88	What were the mainâ€¦? Other	discrete	numeric
V29	incchange	Has your household income changed over the last one month?	discrete	numeric
V30	dailyneeds_1	How have you continued...? Diversified my income source	discrete	numeric
V31	dailyneeds_2	How have you continued...? Reduced my expenditure/ changed shopping behavior	discrete	numeric
V32	dailyneeds_3	How have you continued...? Support from friends/families	discrete	numeric
V33	dailyneeds_4	How have you continued...? Support from UNHCR/Government	discrete	numeric
V34	dailyneeds_88	How have you continued...? Other	discrete	numeric
V35	covid_accesshealth	How has COVID-19 impacted ability to access to services - health	discrete	numeric
V36	covid_accesswash	How has COVID-19 impacted ability to access to services - Water and Sanitation	discrete	numeric
V37	covid_accesseduc	How has COVID-19 impacted ability to access to services - Children Education	discrete	numeric
V38	covid_accessprot	How has COVID-19 impacted ability to access to services- Protection Services	discrete	numeric
V39	protectionissue	Experiencing protection issues (dom violence, psych challenges) due to COVID19?	discrete	numeric
V40	farmer_harvest_1	Farmer expecting harvest... We expect good produce enough for consumption/sale	discrete	numeric
V41	farmer_harvest_2	Farmer expecting harvest... We expect good produce only for consumption	discrete	numeric
V42	farmer_harvest_3	Farmer expecting harvest... We expect good harvest for consumption for 1+ month	discrete	numeric
V43	farmer_harvest_4	Farmer expecting harvest... We already have a market where to sell our produce	discrete	numeric
V44	farmer_harvest_5	Farmer expecting harvestâ€¦ Don't expect any harvest	discrete	numeric
V45	farmer_harvest_6	Farmer expecting harvestâ€¦ Didn't farm this season	discrete	numeric
V46	farmer_harvest_99	Farmer expecting harvestâ€¦ Not applicable	discrete	numeric
V47	foodavailable	Q16. Are basic food items (e.g. meal meal, grains) currently available in the lo	discrete	numeric
V48	costchange	Has there been change in cost of basic food in local market since March?	discrete	numeric
V49	transp_change	Past 2 months: Change in way food is transported/made available to local market?	discrete	numeric
V50	transp_change_how1		discrete	numeric
V51	transp_change_how2		discrete	numeric
V52	transp_change_how3		discrete	numeric
V53	transp_change_how4		discrete	numeric

V54	transp_change_how5		discrete	numeric
V55	transp_change_how99		discrete	numeric
V56	transp_change_how7		discrete	numeric
V57	rangeprod	Is the range of choice the same as before the COVID-19 pandemic?	discrete	numeric
V58	Weight		contin	numeric
V59	id	Household ID	contin	numeric

What is your legal status? (leg_status)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 12	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-3	

Location (location)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 12	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-4	

Are you the head of the household? (ishead)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 12	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

Sex (sex)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 12	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

Head of Household Gender (hhhgender)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete	Valid cases: 0
Format: numeric	Invalid: 0
Width: 12	
Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2	

What is your age range? (age_range)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Group Size (group_size)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

For the food stock that your family has, how long will it last? (foodlast)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

What statement best describes your food situation before March 2020 (foodsit_befmarch)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

What statement best describes your food situation after March 2020 (foodsit_afmarch)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

What livelihood activity ...? Farming (income_1)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What livelihood activity ...? Own small/medium business (income_2)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What livelihood activity ...? Petty trading (income_3)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What livelihood activity ...? Daily casual work (income_4)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What livelihood activity ...? Contract/Salary employment (income_5)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What livelihood activity ...? Remittances/support from friends (income_6)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

What livelihood activity ...? UNHCR CBI/Government support (income_7)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

What livelihood activity ...? Other (income_88)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Ability to engage in livelihood been negatively affected in past month? (impact)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

What were the main reasons? Restricted movement passes out of the settlement (impact_reasons_1)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What were the mainâ€? Reduced demand for goods/services
 (impact_reasons_2)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What were the mainâ€? Transport limitations to stock my business
 (impact_reasons_3)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What were the mainâ€? Lack of daily wage opportunities
 (impact_reasons_4)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What were the mainâ€? Dismissed from formal employment
 (impact_reasons_5)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

What were the mainâ€? Reduced customers for my business
(impact_reasons_6)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

What were the mainâ€? Protection concerns (impact_reasons_7)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

What were the mainâ€? No market to sell products
(impact_reasons_8)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

What were the mainâ€? Other (impact_reasons_88)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Has your household income changed over the last one month?
(incchange)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-5

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

How have you continued...? Diversified my income source
(dailyneeds_1)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

How have you continued...? Reduced my expenditure/ changed shopping behavior (dailyneeds_2)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

How have you continued...? Support from friends/families
(dailyneeds_3)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

How have you continued...? Support from UNHCR/Government
(dailyneeds_4)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

How have you continued...? Other (dailyneeds_88)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

How has COVID-19 impacted ability to access to services - health
 (covid_accesshealth)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 12
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

How has COVID-19 impacted ability to access to services - Water and
 Sanitation (covid_accesswash)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 12
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

How has COVID-19 impacted ability to access to services - Children
 Education (covid_accesseduc)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 12
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

How has COVID-19 impacted ability to access to services- Protection
 Services (covid_accessprot)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 12
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Experiencing protection issues (dom violence, psych challenges) due to COVID19? (protectionissue)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Farmer expecting harvest... We expect good produce enough for consumption/sale (farmer_harvest_1)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Farmer expecting harvest... We expect good produce only for consumption (farmer_harvest_2)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Farmer expecting harvest... We expect good harvest for consumption for 1+ month (farmer_harvest_3)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Farmer expecting harvest... We already have a market where to sell our produce (farmer_harvest_4)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Farmer expecting harvestâ€¦ Don't expect any harvest
 (farmer_harvest_5)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Farmer expecting harvestâ€¦ Didn't farm this season
 (farmer_harvest_6)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Farmer expecting harvestâ€¦ Not applicable (farmer_harvest_99)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Q16. Are basic food items (e.g. meal meal, grains) currently available
 in the lo (foodavailable)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 12
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Has there been change in cost of basic food in local market since March? (costchange)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-4

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

Past 2 months: Change in way food is transported/made available to local market? (transp_change)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 12
Decimals: 0
Range: 1-3

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

(transp_change_how1)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

(transp_change_how2)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

(transp_change_how3)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
Format: numeric
Width: 10
Decimals: 0
Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
Invalid: 0

(transp_change_how4)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

(transp_change_how5)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

(transp_change_how99)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

(transp_change_how7)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 10
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 0-1

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

Is the range of choice the same as before the COVID-19 pandemic?

(rangeprod)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Discrete
 Format: numeric
 Width: 12
 Decimals: 0
 Range: 1-2

Valid cases: 0
 Invalid: 0

(Weight)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
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Width: 10	
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Range: 0.175066312997347-1.75461741424802	

Household ID (id)

File: COVID_Anonymized_Zambia_2020_stata11

Overview

Type: Continuous	Valid cases: 0
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Decimals: 0	
Range: 1-2796	

Documentation

Questionnaires

Questionnaire

Title Questionnaire

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Reports

COVID-19 Impact Assessment on Refugee Livelihoods: Multi-Stakeholder Rapid Assessment in Zambia - Report

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