Situation Update

STATISTICS OF INCIDENTS AND FATALITIES IN NIGERIA

JULY 1-15, 2024







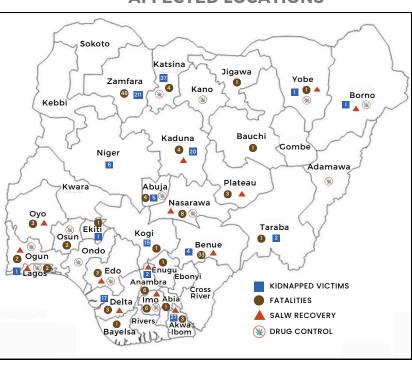
SUMMARY

The situation report, which provides a bi-weekly update on armed violence incidents and casualties in Nigeria, documented multiple security threats including terrorist-related attacks, banditry, kidnapping, cult clashes, and communal clashes including community-herder clashes as well as Sexual and Gender-Based Violence (SGBV), particularly rape in the reporting period.

Within the reporting period, a total of 121 armed violence incidents were recorded with 48 injuries and 135 fatalities including 8 women, 1 child and 6 security personnel. The North-West and North-Central recorded the highest number of fatalities with 57 and 41, while the South-East accounted for 14 deaths. Also, the South-South and South-West recorded 10 deaths each with 3 deaths reported in the North-East in the reporting period. The period under review recorded an increase in fatalities (135) compared to the period of June 16-30, 2024, with 108 recorded fatalities. Non-state armed actors are not included in the statistics of recorded fatalities.

The WANEP NEWS also recorded 28 incidents of kidnapping across 15 States with 350 people abducted in the reporting period. Out of the 350 kidnapped victims, 101 were women, 53 children and 1 security personnel. Further analysis reveals that the North-West accounted for the highest number with 268, followed by the South-South and North Central with 44 and 30 kidnapped victims. Also, the North-East recorded 4 kidnapped victims while the South-West and South-East accounted for 2 each in the reporting period.

AFFECTED LOCATIONS





NATURE OF INCIDENTS

