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Strengthening protection, resilience, and coordinated humanitarian action across vulnerable communities.

Executive Summary

August 2026 demonstrated CBI's continued commitment to coordinated humanitarian action, evidence-based programming, protection and safeguarding, resource mobilisation, and community resilience. Through these engagements, CBI strengthened its sector partnerships, improved programme and reporting capacity, and supported efforts to promote sustainable food security, livelihoods and protection outcomes for vulnerable communities.

Key Reach at a Glance

- Community Protection Monitors conducted **36** household assessments
- **193** children screened for acute malnutrition.
- **140** children treated for Severe Acute Malnutrition (SAM).
- **1,034** caregivers reached with nutrition counselling.

Impact Highlights

NUTRITION

- Screening of children aged 6–59 months for acute malnutrition.
- CMAM services, including admission, therapeutic treatment and follow-up of children with SAM.
- MIYCN Social and Behaviour Change Communication (SBCC).
- Group and individual counselling on:
  - Breastfeeding
  - Complementary feeding
  - Infant and young child feeding

Impact Made

- 1,034 counselling contacts helped maintain nutrition awareness and promote positive feeding practices at household level.
- Continued screening, admission and follow-up supported continuity of care for vulnerable children across the five OTP sites.
- The response demonstrated CBI's commitment to maintaining critical nutrition interventions despite operational constraints.



Nutrition Assistant examining a child for SAM

FSL

- Participated in the Borno State Food Security Sector Coordination Meeting on 4 August.
- Engaged in the National Food Security Sector Coordination Meeting on 11 August.
- Provided media and communications support for the World Humanitarian Day Tree Planting Campaign.

Impact Made

- Improved CBI's understanding of the evolving food security and humanitarian transition context.

WASH

- Participated in coordination discussions with humanitarian actors and government stakeholders.
- Courtesy Visit to WASH Sector Coordinator

Impact Made

- Improved access to sector information on WASH priorities, service scope, epidemiology data sharing and localisation preparedness.
- Increased strategic visibility through engagement with humanitarian and government stakeholders.

PROTECTION SECTOR

- Conducted household-level protection monitoring across five locations in two LGAs of Borno State
- Community Protection Monitors conducted 36 household assessments using the Protection Sector Harmonized Monitoring Tool.
- Participated in the NFF Project Design Workshop in Abuja to strengthen programme design and resource mobilisation.



Breakout session during the design workshop in CBI Abuja Office

Impact Made

- Strengthened coordination and collaboration with protection actors.
- Expanded protection monitoring coverage across five locations and two LGAs.
- Enhanced staff awareness and capacity on safeguarding, PSEAH and Child Protection.
- Strengthened collaboration with government institutions, UN agencies and humanitarian partners.
- Increased visibility of community resilience initiatives through media documentation of the Goniri tree-planting campaign.



Nutrition Assistant giving seedlings to a beneficiary during the seed planting excersise

Overall Impact

Overall, CBI's August 2026 interventions strengthened the delivery and sustainability of humanitarian assistance across Borno State.

Through protection monitoring, nutrition screening and treatment, caregiver counselling, WASH coordination, FSL engagement and resource mobilisation,

CBI supported vulnerable communities while strengthening local capacity, coordination, partnerships and organisational readiness.

Despite operational and funding constraints, CBI continued critical services, expanded sector engagement and positioned itself to respond more effectively to emerging humanitarian needs.