



# Americas:

Population movement

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## The Appeal

The International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) and National Red Cross Societies in the Americas need your help to support people on the move and host communities in several affected countries.

Millions of people are currently moving across Venezuela and several other countries in the Americas, and the humanitarian needs are growing. National Red Cross Societies in Argentina, Brazil, Ecuador, Guyana, Panama, Peru, Trinidad and Tobago, and Uruguay are being supported by IFRC to deliver much-needed assistance. A 4.8 million Swiss franc appeal for Colombia was launched in 2018.

This new regional appeal will support 283,000 people on the move and in host communities for 12 months with shelter, livelihoods and basic needs, health, water and sanitation, and protection, gender and inclusion.



## Key figures



**283,000**  
people  
in desperate  
need of help



**8 million**  
Swiss  
francs  
needed



**2.3 million**  
people  
are on the  
move



**12**  
months  
support