

Nearly 80 million displaced worldwide

A record 79.5 million people worldwide, more than one percent of humanity, were displaced at the end of 2019 due to war or persecution, the United Nations says



45.7m

Internally displaced persons

4.2m

Asylum-seekers

**Global forced displacement
(year end, millions)**

2019 **79.5**

2018 **70.8**

2017 **68.5**

2016 **65.5**

2015 **65.1**

2014 **59.2**

2013 **51.2**

2012 **42.7**

2011 **38.5**

2010 **41.1**

79.5m

People forcibly displaced around world at end of 2019

5.6m

Refugees under UNRWA* mandate

20.4m

Refugees under UNHCR mandate

3.6m

Venezuelans displaced abroad

*United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East