

ETT Nigeria Glossary

Type of Movement:

- **Organized:** Planned movements from one location to another, usually with assistance from various actors on ground, such as government, the military, and other humanitarian actors.
- **Spontaneous:** Unplanned movement usually as a result of sudden triggers, such as attacks, conflicts and other situations that pose threat.

Triggers:

- **Voluntary relocation:** Voluntary movement of persons from one location to another.
- **Involuntary relocation:** Involuntary movement of persons from one location to another, usually due to intervention by other actors, for example, the closure of a camp in a location, requiring IDPs in the location to move to other locations, security reasons, and other prompts.
- **Conflicts/Attacks:** Population movement triggered by security threats in a location.
- **Poor living condition:** Population movement as a result of difficult circumstances and poor access to basic needs, such as, shelter, food, water, livelihood and other needs.
- **Military operations:** Population movements as a result of the arrival of the military to a location requiring civilians to move to other locations, to avoid being caught in between conflict situation that might ensue.
- **Improved security:** Population movement as a result of reduced threat or danger in a location.

Urgent Needs: Areas where an affected population require humanitarian assistance to alleviate suffering and improve the chance of survival.

Available Services: Humanitarian assistance provided to the affected population in a location to alleviate suffering and improve the chance of survival.