Emergency Relief

As reports emerge of families being displaced by the recent attacks in Ukraine, Catholic Relief Services is helping Caritas teams prepare to respond to urgent humanitarian needs across the country—including for evacuation, food and safe shelter—while taking every precaution to ensure the safety of their staff.

OVERVIEW

The first signs of a humanitarian crisis are emerging in Ukraine after Russia invaded the country from three sides in the early hours of Thursday, February 24. The capital city of Kyiv and the eastern city of Kharkiv were targeted with attacks that quickly spread across central and eastern areas of the country. In less than 24 hours, attacks have displaced people from their homes, especially in those cities and towns along the contact line in the east. As events quickly evolve, Caritas teams are preparing to respond to urgent humanitarian needs, including evacuation, food and safe shelter.
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