

National Commission for Human Development Floods in Pakistan-2010



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Foreword:

Pakistan is experiencing the worst ever floods in a century. Impact has been devastating with thousands of deaths and injured and massive destruction to property, crops and infrastructure all over Pakistan.

The flood has damaged more than **1.2 million** houses in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Punjab, Balochistan and Gilgit-Baltistan, while Sindh, though affected belatedly, has gone through massive destruction.

More than 20 million people have been displaced (source UN) and now most of them live in open air, tents and schools, or with their relatives. The flood has also wrecked major cities, towns and villages, dams, vital roads, rail network, bridges and social service delivery mechanism in almost 66 districts. Potential for water borne diseases is high amongst these 20 million flood victims, particularly 3.4 million children, who are critically prone to gastro, diarrhea and malnutrition. About 500,000 pregnant women are without pre- and post natal services which may lead to serious complications.

National Commission for Human Development (NCHD) is working in 131 districts in the four provinces, AJK and Gilgit Baltistan; FATA and FR are also covered (less South and North Waziristan) in accordance with its mandate to support the government in UPE and Adult Literacy. Through its network, it is in close coordination with district administration and other stake holders, and is playing a prominent role in rescue and relief operations in the flood affected districts of Pakistan. NCHD has had the experience of relief operations in the past during the devastating earth quake of October, 2005, in Mansehra, Balakot and Muzaffarabad. Subsequently, it helped IDPs during the catastrophe in Swat in the areas of Mardan, Charsadda and Swabi, and then more recently it supported relief operations in Atta Abad lake disaster in Gilgit-Baltistan.



NCHD is relentlessly engaged to support the district governments in their effort to provide relief to the people of flood affected areas of Pakistan. Since 30th July 2010, when flood hit Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, NCHD has extended its relief operations in all the flood affected districts. It is engaged in emergency rescue, provision of shelter, food, water and emergency medical care.

NCHD, being a public private partnership model, has through its board of Directors of Pakistan Human Development Fund (PHDF), PHDF-UK

and American Fund for Human Development (AFHD) secured a pledge of over **Rs. 122 million** to support rescue and relief operations, out of which **Rs. 67 million** had already been received.

Flood's Devastation:

Over **70** districts have been affected by floods throughout the country. The devastation includes 1,677 deaths, 2,605 injured and 1,248,704 houses damaged/ destroyed (Source: National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA))

Major damages include loss of life, destruction of roads, telecommunications, bridges, water and sanitation, administrative infrastructure, houses, markets, shops, land and standing crops, leaving more than 3.4 million families with no homes. These floods have been termed as the worst floods in the century and its severity has been beyond imagination of the national, provincial and district governments. To salvage these helpless people and live stock to safer abodes, and to provide them with interim camps, clean drinking water and food, besides essential medicines, to ensure that no epidemic scourges the area leading to final rehabilitation is in fact a great challenge not only for Pakistan but for the whole world community.

Damages to Life and Property of the Flood Victims

Province	No. of Districts Affected	No. of Deaths	No. of Injured	No. of House Holds affected
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa	14	1,156	1,193	200, 799
Punjab	13	110	350	500, 000
Azad Jammu & Kashmir	02	71	87	7, 108
Balochistan	08	48	98	75, 261
Sindh	22	186	909	1,058, 862
Gilgit Baltistan	07	183	60	2, 820
Total	66	1, 754	2, 697	1, 844, 850

Source: National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA)



NCHD Interventions:

- Establish close coordination with Provincial as well as District Administration and provide technical support for stream lining the relief operations.
- Document situation on ground and immediate needs of the flood affected.
- Support the relief operations

NCHD, in coordination with Provincial as well as District Administration is participating in rescue and relief operations ever since 30th of July 2010, initiating from Charsadda and Nowshera, and is now working in all the flood affected districts of Pakistan.

Rescue and Evacuation:

NCHD has provided rescue boats for immediate rescue of the flood victims in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Punjab, Balochistan and Sindh. NCHD has so far rescued more than **27,441** marooned people using **68** boats in;

1. **Khyber Pakhtunkhwa:** 06 boats were provided in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa with 03 each in Charsadda and Nowshera on 30th July, 2010.
2. **Punjab:** 39 boats were provided in Punjab in Rajanpur, Muzaffargarh, Khushab, Sargodha, Jhelum, Mandibahuddin and Layyah
3. **Sindh:** 23 boats were provided in coordination with fisheries department in Sukkur, Khairpur, Thatta, and Shikarpur and Kahsmor, while 04 boats had been procured by NCHD and are currently deployed at Sukkur, Khairpur, Jacobabad, Kamber Shahdaktot and Dadu for evacuation purposes.

(NCHD facilitated Aman Foundation in deploying 21 rescue boats from UK, for rescue operations in Sindh and Balochistan!).



Rescue in Nowshera on 30th July 2010

Rescue and Evacuation Activity					
Intervention/Activities	KP	Punjab	Sindh	Balochistan	Pakistan

Boats	6	39	23	-	68
Person Evacuated	792	3,249	23,400	-	27,441

Provision of Water:

Clean drinking water was desperately needed by the displaced community. Initially NCHD provided bottled water for immediate relief. Subsequently, water in Jerry cans and coolers duly treated with Aqua tablets for purification are being provided to the flood affectees. Water tankers too have been provided to communities at various places.

NCHD is providing clean drinking water in 17 camps (managed by NCHD) having a population of 17,850 people (2,550 families) everyday as under:

KPK: Charsadda, Nowshera
Punjab: Muzaffargarh, Rajanpur, Bhakkar, Sargodha, Lodhran, D.G. Khan, Layyah, Khushab and Multan.
Sindh: Sukkur, Khairpur, Jacobabad, Shikarpur, Kashmor, Ghotki

Humanity First Pakistan has collaborated with NCHD to provide 182 Aqua boxes with in-built filtration units in Muzaffargarh and Nowshera.

Provision of Safe Drinking Water					
Intervention/Activities	KP	Punjab	Sindh	Balochistan	Pakistan
Bottles	10,432	11,983	1,582	235	24,232
Tankers	-	219	70	-	289
Provision of Aqua Boxes	132	50	-	-	182



Provision of food: NCHD is providing food to the flood affectees in two modes:

Dry Food: Packets containing dry food for 10 days for 200 families are being provided in some of the flood affected districts. One Food Packet contains 5ltr cooking oil, 20kg flour, 5kg rice, 3kg sugar, 2kg red beans, 1 kg powdered milk and ½ kg tea leaves. These are being provided to families who have been evacuated and are being accommodated in localities where cooking facilities can be arranged. NCHD has provided dry rations to **92,070** families in;

KPK: Nowshera, Charsadda, Shangla, Swat, Upper Dir, Mardan, Lakki Marwat and Kohistan

Punjab: Multan, Mianwali, Dera Ghazi Khan, Rajanpur, Muzaffargarh, Layyah, Sargodha, Rahim Yar Khan, Lodhran, D.G.Khan, Bhakkar, Khushab

and

Mandibahauddin

Sindh: Jacobabad, Sukkur, Khairpur, Shikarpur and Kashmore

Balochistan: Quetta and Sibbi



Cooked Food: NCHD is providing cooked meals in 17 camps (managed by NCHD) having a population of 17,850 people (2,550 families) on daily basis. Details are as under:

KPK: Charsadda, Nowshera

Punjab: Muzaffargarh, Rajanpur, Bhakkar, Sargodha, Lodhran, D.G. Khan, Layyah, Khushab and Multan.

Sindh: Sukkur, Khairpur, Jacobabad, Shikarpur, Kashmore, Ghotki



Provision of Food					
Intervention/Activities	KP	Punjab	Sindh	Balochistan	Pakistan

Dry Food (Packed Rations) for 10 days.	27,829	36,228	20,777	7,236	92, 070
Cooked Meals (Individuals)	18,484	42310	54,087	8,143	123, 024

Iftar at NCHD Camp, Multan

Provision of Shelter:

NCHD has provided **611** tents in Punjab, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Sindh to provide shelter to displaced families as under:

KPK: D.I. Khan,
Punjab: Muzaffargarh, Khushab, Rahim yar khan
Sindh: Sukkur, Shikarpur, Ghotki, Khairpur



Tent Distribution at Dera Ismail Khan

Provision of Shelter & Camps					
Intervention/Activities	KP	Punjab	Sindh	Balochistan	Pakistan
Tents	55	230	326	-	611

Emergency Health Care:

NCHD has set up **770** mobile as well as static medical camps, treating **203,655** patients. The number of medical camps is increasing on daily basis. Moreover, NCHD in coordination with the district government and UN support clusters will be augmenting the mass vaccination campaign to avert any epidemics.

Provision of Emergency Health Care					
Intervention/Activities	KP	Punjab	Sindh	Balochistan	Pakistan



Medical Camps	636	80	39	8	770
Patients Treated	118, 261	61, 640	14, 737	4,800	203, 655

Provision of Non Food Item:

NCHD has also provided Non-Food Items (NFIs) to flood affected population to make their daily life as comfortable as possible. These items include plastic mats, water coolers, aqua boxes, blankets, shoes, clothes, soaps, buckets, etc. Province-wise distribution of these NFIs is given below:

Provision of Non Food Items					
Intervention	KP	Punjab	Sindh	Balochistan	Pakistan
Plastic Mat	-	191	33	-	224
Water Coolers	1,124	151	67	1,672	3,014
Aqua Boxes	122	50	-	-	172
Sleeping bag/Blankets/Bed Sheets	146	90	167	-	403
Shoes & Clothes	138	53	363	-	554

Post Trauma / Distress Measures:

NCHD has initiated Educational and Recreational activities for children of 5-10 years (Temporary Learning and Recreational Sites) along with Literacy Social Counseling Centres for adults (11+) in camps located in Sukkur, Khairpur, Multan and Nowshera.

Emergency Health Camp at Rubicon Helipad Swat



Aqua Boxes distribution at Muzaffargarh



The aim of this intervention is to engage the flood affected people and help them overcome trauma and distress symptoms, regain balance and prepare them for early rehabilitation. It has plans to extend this intervention in all the camps inhabited by the flood affected people through out Pakistan.

President visits Temporary Learning and Recreational Site at Larkana

NCHD is also planning to provide 4,367 transitional schools during rehabilitation phase in all those districts where government primary schools have either been destroyed or damaged to ensure that the children continue their education without any interruption.

At present NCHD is providing **54 Temporary Learning and Recreational Sites** along with **91 Literacy Social Counseling Centres** having an enrollment of **1,775** in Sindh, KPK and Punjab as under:

Sindh: Kamber, Larkana, Khairpur, Shaheed Benazirabad, Shikarpur, Sukkur, Dadu and Ghotki.

Punjab: Multan

KPK: Nowshera

NCHD is carrying out relief operations from donations alone, and no government funds are being used for this purpose.



Humanity First and NCHD together are distributing relief goods for flood affectees of Pakistan. Total amount of donation from Humanity First so far is **Rs. 10.50 million**. The donation includes aqua boxes, tents, mattresses, Tarpals / floor mats, blankets, shoes, bed sheets and buckets; and has been distributed in Muzaffargarh, Dera Ismail Khan and Pabbi.

Glaxo – Smith Kline Pakistan Ltd. has provided NCHD with medicines worth above Rs. 367,401 which also includes life saving drugs and anti-venom injections.



Donations:

Internal Donations:

- Staff of NCHD has decided to contribute **one-day salary** to address to the needs of their brethren in these times of distress.
- Chairperson NCHD, Ms. Nafisa Shah has donated her **entire month's salary**.
- Almost all NCHD districts are raising funds locally. So far, **Rs. 2.5 million** in cash and **Rs.22 million** in-kind has been collected.
- Board Members of Pakistan Human Development Fund, Pakistan Human Development Fund -UK, American Fund for Human Development (AFHD) and other philanthropists from within Pakistan and abroad have pledged more than **Rs. 122 million** out of which **Rs.67 million** has already been received, including cash and in-kind donations.



CocaCola Pakistan presenting a cheque of Rs. 1.5 million to NCHD

S. No.	Donor	Pledges				Receipts				Outstanding		
		Cash		In Kind	Total	Cash		In Kind	Total	Cash		Total
		USD	PKR	PKR	PKR	USD	PKR	PKR	PKR	USD	PKR	PKR
1	PHDF	-	10,000,000	-	10,000,000	-	10,000,000	-	10,000,000	-	-	-
2	PHDF Directors	96,684	54,085,890	367,401	62,719,791	58,000	13,985,890	367,401	19,312,291	38,684	40,100,000	43,407,500
3	HDSUs	-	2,540,153	21,907,760	24,447,913	-	2,540,153	21,907,760	24,447,913	-	-	-

4	Philanthropists/ NGOs/Donors	149,800	1,482,377	10,495,300	24,785,577	13,800	1,482,377	10,495,300	13,157,577	136,000	-	11,628,000
	Total	246,484	68,108,420	32,770,461	121,953,281	71,800	28,008,420	32,770,461	66,917,781	174,684	40,100,000	55,035,500

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		Cash		In Kind	Total
		USD	PKR	PKR	PKR
1	Pakistan Human Development Fund	-	-	-	-
2	PHDF Directors	38,684	40,100,000	-	43,407,500
3	HDSUs	-	-	-	-
4	Individual Philanthropists/ NGOs/Donors	136,000	-	-	11,628,000
	Total	174,684	40,100,000	-	55,035,500

Resource Mobilized							
Intervention/Activities	KP	Punjab	Sindh	AJK	Balochistan	GB	Pakistan
Cash	563,000	560,785	1,165,247	184,944	150,000	-	2,623,976
Kind	3,973,216	13,793,283	3,200,311	420,000	330,000	185,950	21,902,760

The contribution that NCHD is putting in for Relief activities in Pakistan would not have been possible without the generous donations and support of the Directors of Pakistan Human Development Fund (PHDF), Pakistan Human Development Fund – UK, American Fund for Human Development and Philanthropists within Pakistan and abroad.



Relief work being carried out by NCHD can only be sustained with your generous support.

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