

Date: 18 September 2014 Sitrep # 04

### Flood Warning

According to latest hydrological conditions and due to breaching of bunds of River Chenab between Qadirabad and Punjnad, the risk of High to Very High Flood level at Guddu & Sukkur has decreased.

Therefore, the River Indus at Guddu & Sukkur may attain Medium to High Flood Level ranging between 400,000 Cusecs to 500,000 Cusecs from 16th September to 18th September -2014.

All concerned authorities are informed to take appropriate actions.

Source: PMD

### Impact of Floods in Pakistan

Year	Deaths	Affected population
2013	178	1,5 million
2010	1,800	21 million
2014	312 (till 15 Sep 2014)	2,275,735

### Punjab Province

Date	Area	Death Rate	Affected Population
16 September 2014	Punjab	232	2,227,27

### Sindh Province

Six revering districts including Kashmore, Ghotki, Shikarpur, Sukkur, Khairpur and Larkana have received flood alerts form PDMA of Sindh and strated evacuation of peoples living in Kacha areas.

Evacuation from Ghotki district has been reported from Union Council Bago Deho, Hussain Beli, Qadir Pur and Pakka Chandia.

Source: PMD

### Number of Evacuated Families

- ⇒ In Bago Deho 20 families have been evacuated
- ⇒ In Hussain Beli 249 families have been evacuated
- ⇒ In Qadir Pur 2 families have been evacuated
- ⇒ In Pakka Chandia 45 families have been evacuated

### Number of returned Families to home

- ⇒ In Bago Deho 42 families have been returned to their homes
- ⇒ In QadirPur 140 families have been returned to their homes
- ⇒ In Pakka Chandia 35 families have been returned to their homes

### Azad Jammu Kashmir (AJK)

Date	Area	Death Rate	Injured Rate
16 September 2014	Azad Jammu Kashmir	63	116

### Government, Non Government & NHN Interventions

#### Punjab:

In the below mention districts, District Governments have requested NNGOs and other humanitarian actors to join hands with the government in responding to this unexpected humanitarian crisis damaging the social and socioeconomic fabric all over the country.

In **District Rajanpur**, under proactive initiatives by DCO Mr. Ghazi AmanUllah, district authorities are efficiently coordinating the flood response and continuously monitoring the situation along with local NGOs/CSOs. Rescue 1122, Pak Army and Police are warning riverside communities' and evacuating people to safer places and other government departments like Livestock department are providing their respective departmental services to IDPs and their livestock. 10 Flood Relief Camps have been established for the displaced families in the district.

District Government Rajanpur has established 09 Relief Camps (04 in Tehsil Rajanpur and 05 in Tehsil Rojhan) while HELP Foundation has established 01 relief camp. District and Tehsil Flood Control Rooms and their Warehouses at all TMAs level are active.

In **District Rahim Yar Khan**, Rescue 1122, Pak Army and Police are evacuating people to safer places. Livestock department is vaccinating the animals. Health Department is providing healthcare facilities at relief camps. District government has established 20 relief camps and monitoring committees are supervising the response on these camps.

In **District D.G.Khan**, authorities are monitoring the situation very closely. HELP Foundation has Started Early Warning and disseminating flood alerts in District D.G.Khan as well as next 3 days time is critical and needs riverside communities of the district to be alert.

*Source: Help Foundation, NHN Punjab Member*

## Sindh:

- ⇒ Government has initiated evacuation camps preparation in advance, below are the list of evacuation centers:
  - **07** camps in Ghotki
  - **01** camp in Larkana
  - **01** camp in Shikarpur
  - **01** camp in Kandhkot
  - **01** camp in Sukkur
  - **02** camps in Kashmore
  - **02** camps in Khairpur
- ⇒ PDMA Sindh has given two boats, 1000 tents and 1000 food baskets to each of the six revering districts.
- ⇒ Government Finance department has released Rs. 20 million to each vulnerable districts for flood contingencies.

## **Humanitarian Needs Identified by NHN Chapters**

### Punjab:

- ⇒ A quick and safe evacuation process as next 2 days are quite critical
- ⇒ Relief camps need to be established at safer places which are nearest to the places of origin of the displaced families as they are reluctant to be completely cast away from their places of origin and leave their belongings. That is why some incidents of forced evacuation by authorities are also being reported
- ⇒ Provision of sufficient and safe shelter conditions to displace families maintaining their dignity and privacy
- ⇒ Shelter, Food and Water & Sanitation assistance must be planned on the basis of the potential Needs of women and children especially. For food assistance especially the needs of neo-natal Dietary needs and food for expecting and feeding mothers must be considered while preparing for the humanitarian response. While for sanitary needs, special needs of women should be priority area for assistance.
- ⇒ Protection to displaced women and children
- ⇒ WASH facilities at relief camp need improvement.
- ⇒ Provision of clean drinking water
- ⇒ Timely procurement of relief items
- ⇒ Sufficient and safe places for livestock and their vaccination
- ⇒ Health authorities need to be more focused to prepare for healthcare especially to treat cases of Gastroenteritis, fever and skin diseases should be completed timely.
- ⇒ Quality data management and sharing of information at district level is the most lacking area in all 3 districts. Government officials need to document the gender and age disaggregated data about the displacement and evacuation from riverine areas
- ⇒ Coordination mechanism at district level should strengthen to synchronize the response. For

better coordination, government needs to switch more to online information sharing rather than meetings and paper based flow of information which exhausts more time, energy and monetary costs

### Sindh

Based on current predictions, below mentioned are top priority human needs:

- ⇒ Government has to ensure rescue team on board to evacuate people on emergency bases
- ⇒ First Aid and basic food items needs to be prepared along with evacuation points
- ⇒ Access to safe drinking water needs to be facilitated in advance for emergency

### AJK

- ⇒ Emergency Shelter (Tents and Tarpaulin Sheets)
- ⇒ Non Food Items ( Kitchen Set, Hygiene Kit, Blankets)
- ⇒ Food Package (1 month Package)
- ⇒ Mobile Health Units

S#	District	Province	Food Items	Non Food Items	Current status as of 17-Sep-2014	Relief Camps
1	Hattian Bala	AJK	Rice, Flour Pulses, Mineral Water	Tents,sheets,Blankets	PRCS distributed 105 tents Chakhama UC	1
2	Hattian Bala	AJK	Rice, Flour Pulses, Mineral Water	Tents,sheets,Blankets	Medical Facilities/First aid have been provided by Islamic relief	1
3	Hattian Bala	AJK	Rice, Flour Pulses, Mineral Water	Tents,sheets,Blankets	FI provided by WFP ,Road cleared by National Highway Authority	1
4	Hattian Bala	AJK	Rice, Flour Pulses, Mineral Water	Tents,sheets,Blankets		1
5	Hattian Bala	AJK	Rice, Flour Pulses, Mineral Water	Tents,sheets,Blankets	Tents and Medical facilities provided by Islamic Relief	1
6	Hattian Bala	AJK		Tents,sheets,Blankets	Road cleared By National High way Authority (NHA)	1
7	Hattian Bala	AJK	Rice, Flour Pulses, Mineral Water	Tents,sheets,Blankets		1
8	Hattian Bala	AJK	Rice, Flour Pulses, Mineral Water	Tents,sheets,Blankets		2
9	Muzaffarabad	AJK	Rice, Flour Pulses, Mineral Water	Tents,sheets,Blankets	23 families shifted to safe side	1

10	Muzaffarabad	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets	13 most affected families shifted to safe side	
11	Muzaffarabad	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets	Tents distributed to 13 families	
12	Muzaffarabad	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets	Tents and FI provided by PRCS	
13	Muzaffarabad	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets		1
14	Muzaffarabad	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets		
15	Neelum	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets	Road is cleared by National High way Authority ,Pak Army provided FI to 76 families	1
16	Kotli	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets	Tents provided	3
17	Rawlakot	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets	Not received	
18	Rawlakot	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets		1
19	Rawlakot	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets		1
20	Bagh	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets	PRCS distributed tents and FI to 102 families	1
21	Neelum	AJK	Rice, Pulses, Water	Flour Mineral	Tents,sheets,Blankets	FI distributed to 41 affected families	2