

## Situation Report -2: Flood Situation in Bihar 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2013

### A. SITUATION REPORT:

The state has received deficient rainfall by 25 percent at 668.6 mm as against annual average at 892.2 mm resulted into declaring 33 out of 38 districts as drought hit by the State Government. Source: <http://zeenews.india.com>

However, due to continuous heavy rainfall in the Ganga Basins resulted into overflowing of water from Ganga and its tributaries. 20 Districts of Bihar has experienced flooding and resulted in the loss of hundreds of lives of the people and livestock. The Situation Report and Response Matrix have been prepared in view of the huge impact of flood and need of immediate response from Humanitarian agencies.

### B. Damage Assessment:

Districts Affected	20
Villages Affected	4,200
No. of Human Lives Lost	205
No. of Displaced People	5.4 Million
No. of Cattle Died	6,455
Crop Affected	5,00,000 Hectares
No. of Houses Damaged	7,005 fully and 108,876 partially

### C. Response from Government:

- 1, 81,288 people were evacuated to safer places.
- The administration has set up 357 relief camps, accommodating 2, 14,037 people and deployed 306 medical teams.
- 128 cattle camps are also set up by the administration.

- Distributed wheat 80897Q, Rice-21906Q, Cash -1223 Lakh, Chana-1026 Q, Chura-5967 Q, Sattu- 217Q, Gur-750Q, Match box-91323, candle-84413, polythinsheet-49611, Kerosene oil 8555 MI, Khichri-24Q
- Deployed mobile medical team in Muzafapur District and distributed 9000 polythin sheets in Darbhanga District.
- 6 teams of NDRF have been deployed in the state for search and rescue operation as on 18<sup>th</sup> September.
- Deployment of NDRF in Bihar is as under:
  - Muzaffarpur, (Bihar)- 01 team consisting of 39 personnel.
  - Samastipur (Bihar)-01 team consisting of 36 personnel.
  - Begusarai (Bihar)- 01 teams consisting of 35 personnel.
  - Bhagalpur (Bihar) -01 team consisting of 45 personnel.
  - Munger (Bihar) -01 team consisting of 45 personnel.
  - Supaul, Bihar 01 team of 34 personnel.

These teams in Bihar are assisting the civil administration in rescue and relief operations.

#### D. Response from Humanitarian Agencies:

- CRS and Caritas India along with local partner Bihar Water Development Society (BWDS) and Buxar Diocese conducted assessments in Bhojpur and Munger districts
- CRS and its partners are distributing WASH kits to 500 families in Munger district and shall distribute WASH kits, mosquito nets, tarpaulins sheets/rope and sleeping/sitting mats in Bhojpur district.
- World vision is Responding in Barhara block (Bhojpur distt.), Red Cross in Nakta diara, Danapur blocks (Patna Distt.) and ADRA is doing the assessment in Bhagalpur, Khagaria and Munger to plan their course of action as per the need.
- CARITAS India is providing assistance in Bhagalpur and Munger district.
- ECHO has done the need assessment of the flood affected areas from 11<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> September.
- EFICOR is responded to providing food items to 2000 families in Bhagalpur and Begusarai districts.
- Save the children has initiated response in two blocks of Khagaria district- Bunni and Mansi.

**E. Immediate Needs:**

- WASH facility and Mosquito net.

An outbreak of Diarrhea and Dangu has been reported from following areas:

Sl. No.	Name of District	Name of block	Name of Panchayat	No. Of Diarrhoea Patients		
1	Bhagalpur	Nath Nagar	Gosai daspur	30-40 Case		
			Shankerpur			
			Rasipur baria			
			Vawalpur			
				Sultan Ganj	Kishanpur,	200 Cases
					Khauria	
					Mahishi	
					Tilak Nagar	
				Gopalpur	Babutoal	4-5 Cases
					Kamlakund	
					Bahu Chak	
				Sabor	Mamankha	10-12 Cases
Lalak						
2	Munger	Sadar Block	Nowagarhi	70-75 Cases Diarrhoea and 4-5 Cases Dangu		
			Kurulupur			
			Tikka Rampur			
		Dharhara	Shiv Kund			
			Hemjapur			
		Jamalpur	Heru Diyara			
			Singhiya			
3	Patna	Danapur	Pamapur	25-30 Cases Diarrhoea and 2-3 Cases Dangu		
			Manas			
		Sadar	Nakatta Diyara			
			Hipanpur			
			Gangpura			
4	Khagaria	Beldaur		10-15 Cases Diarrhoea		

Source: BIAG

## F. KEY CONTACTS:

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Mob:	E-mail
State level:				
1.	Mr. Sanjay Pandey	Convener, IAG, Bihar	+91-9835263772	<a href="mailto:bihar.interagencygroup@gmail.com">bihar.interagencygroup@gmail.com</a>
National Level: Sphere India				
2.	Mr. Vikrant Mahajan	CEO, Sphere India	+91-9818666831	<a href="mailto:vik@sphereindia.org.in">vik@sphereindia.org.in</a>
3.	Ms. Chhemet Lamo	Sphere India Coordinator	+91-8130660269	<a href="mailto:Chhemet@sphereindia.org.in">Chhemet@sphereindia.org.in</a>

### Source of Information:

*BIAG, CRS, MHA Sitrep and Media Reports*

*Disclaimer: Sphere India makes every effort to verify the information contained in its Situation Reports. As the ground situation changes rapidly in emergency situations, users should check with concerned agencies before making any decisions based on the information provided in this report.*