



Situation Report 1 Floods in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana

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As inflows continue into the River Godavari, Bhadrachalam, the temple town, resembles an island on Friday

SITUATION UPDATE AND RESPONSE

Situation in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana

- Rivers Godavari, Sabri, Tungabhadra in Andhra Pradesh is flowing in Severe Flood Situation in the districts of East Godavari, Alluri Sitharama Raju, Kurnool respectively.
- River Godavari in Telangana is flowing in severe flood situation in the districts of Mulugu, Bhadradri.
- 60 villages of 06 districts in Andhra Pradesh is affected due to flood during last 24 hrs.
- 97,205 persons were evacuated from flood-hit villages and 84,734 of them were lodged in 191 relief camps in Andhra Pradesh
- 3939 populations have been affected during last 24 hrs in Andhra Pradesh.
- With several villagers submerged due to the flood situation and road network cut off, provisions for the flood-affected people in Charla and Dummagudem mandals in Bhadradri Kothagudem district were ferried in an IAF helicopter by the district administration.
- The Godavari water level at Bhadrachalam stood at 56.10 ft at 5 pm on July 18. The third and final warning level is still in force with the water level being more than 53 ft
- The inflow and outflow at Sir Arthur Cotton Barrage at Dowaleswaram near Rajamahendravaram remained at 24.74 lakh cusecs.

Situation Updates

Cumulative Data as on 18th July
(Source: MHA)



Districts affected - Andhra Pradesh (06)



Human lives lost - 02



Houses damaged - 38
(Andhra Pradesh)



Animals affected - 1455
(Andhra Pradesh)



Relief Camps - 220
(Andhra Pradesh)



Persons evacuated -
Andhra Pradesh (29902)



Crop area affected -
11,280.470 Ha
(Andhra Pradesh)



Telangana floods: Bhadrachalam cut off due to heavy rains, 6000 people evacuated



source: The Hindu



Humanitarian Response

Government Preparedness and Response

Preparedness:

IMD has issued a warning of Thunderstorm accompanied with lightning in five districts of Andhra Pradesh on 19th July 2022. The districts are namely Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Vishakhapatnam, East Godavari and West Godavari. There are no red alerts issued by IMD for any districts in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana from 19th to 23th July, as of 19th July.

As per IMD Press Release dated 18th July, Scattered to fairly widespread rainfall very likely over Coastal Andhra Pradesh & Yanam and Telangana is predicted. On 18 July, Squally weather with wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph is likely along & off South Odisha and adjoining North Andhra Pradesh coasts is predicted.

Response:

- 11 teams of NDRF are deployed in Andhra Pradesh and 13 teams of NDRF are deployed in Telangana assisting in rescue and relief operations.
- The government officials launched door-to-door distribution of food in the affected villages in Andhra Pradesh. Country-made boats were used to supply food to K.S. Palem, Seragalapalli, Anagarilanka, Narsapuram, Kanakayapalem and other hamlets on Monday.
- Doctors distributed medicines at medical camps and relief camps. West Godavari Collector P. Prasanthi reviewed the supply of food and medicines.
- Essential supplies like water bottles, milk packets, bread, biscuits, candles, and mosquito coils have been air dropped by Indian Airforce helicopter to Charla and Dummugudem mandals
- The state government had requisitioned the services of the IAF and also the Army to assist in the relief and rescue operations
- 101 army personnel, including doctors and engineers have been sent to the district to help in the operations.
- Chief Minister K. Chandrasekhar Rao has announced a ₹1,000 crore package to construct a new residential colony at a suitable place in Bhadrachalam and initiate concrete measures, in consultation with the irrigation and other experts, to find a lasting solution to the recurring problem of flooding in and around the temple town of Bhadrachalam.
- Chief Minister K Chandrasekhar Rao announced an immediate financial aid of Rs 10,000 to each flood-affected family, 20 kg free rice per family for two months, compensation for crop damages, and construction of 3,000 houses.
- Health department conducted 289 health camps in flood affected districts and 24,674 patients were treated



National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) personnel evacuate an elderly person from a flood-hit residential colony following heavy monsoon rains, in Navsari, on July 14, 2022. (Photo | PTI)

source: The Indian Express



NDRF rescuing people amid Godavari floods in Eluru: Twitter/10ndrf

source: The news minute



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source: The Hans news

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Humanitarian Response



NGO Preparedness and Response

Response:

- Animal Warriors Conservation Society fed 30+ animal include dogs, hens, buffaloes and rescued 5 snakes from houses in Burgapahad , a town which was submerged by two rivers.
- IAG members are looking at the situation and preparing the response
- Goonj is responding to flood situation in Andhra Pradesh and Telangana. They have appealed for relief materials like, dry ration, Tarpaulin, food pockets, Torches..etc.



URGENT APPEAL

People in Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Maharashtra, Telangana are struggling due to massive floods

Urgently Required:	Monetary Donations
Dry Ration, Tarpaulin, Ready-to-Eat Food Pockets, Utensils, Toiletries, Footwear, Mosquito Net, Bedsheets, Sanitary Pads, Torches, Buckets, Solar Lights, Umbrella, Blankets, Pulses, Sugar, Spices, Cooking Oil, Rice, Clothes (Sarees, Nighties, New undergarments, Children Clothing), Candles, Matchsticks, First-Aid Box and Basic Medicines, Chlorine Tablets, Bleaching Powder, Mosquito Coils, Raincoats, Face Masks & Gloves.	for transportation, logistics and for essential purchases

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