

Situation Report 4 Floods in Uttar Pradesh

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SITUATION UPDATE AND RESPONSE

Situation in Uttar Pradesh

- 1793 villages of 22 districts and 1574844 people in Uttar Pradesh are affected due to flood during the last 24 hrs.
- Incessant rains, swelling rivers, and floods have created havoc in most of the Terai regions of Uttar Pradesh
- The flood situation in eastern Uttar Pradesh remained grim on Thursday as swelling of several rivers, including Saryu and Rapti, continued for the sixth consecutive day
- River Rapti in Ganga Basin at Bansi in SIDDHARTH NAGAR district, River Ghagra in Ganga Basin at Gola Bazaar in DEORIA district, River Ghagra in Ganga Basin at Dhobahat in AMBEDKAR NAGAR district, and River Kwano in Ganga Basin at Dumari Ghat in BALRAMPUR district are flowing in an extreme flood situation
- Residents of nearly four dozen villages around Rapti and Sarayu, including Sant Kabir Nagar and Deoria, are worried about the overflow.
- Executive engineer of irrigation department Mr. Dinesh Singh said that the river level has been constant in Sant Kabir Nagar but increased in Deoria district.
- On Thursday, Budhi Rapti River eroded the embankments near Shohratgarh and inundated over 20 more villages
- According to NDRF officer Gautam Gupta, five relief camps have been set up in the Gorakhpur district. As many as 172 villages are affected by floods, while 22 are marooned.
- District authorities have sent 170 boats to the inundated villages
- Balrampur has been identified worst-hit district, followed by Siddharnagar.
- Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath deployed rescue teams (National Disaster Response Force, State Disaster Response Force, and Provincial Armed Constabulary) in Flood-affected areas.

Situation Updates

(Current Flood Situation in Uttar Pradesh
(As per official records) 14 Oct. 2022)



Districts affected - 22



Flood affected population - 1574844



Human lives lost - 39



Fully damaged houses - 296



Animals affected - 95893



Inmates in Relief - 41280



Relief Camps - 299



Crop area affected - 223619 HA



Humanitarian Response

Government Preparedness and Response

Preparedness:

IMD has not issued any kind of warning on 15th October 2022.

CWC issued Extreme flood alert for River Rapti in Ganga Basin at Bansi in SIDDHARTH NAGAR district, River Ghagra in Ganga Basin at Gola Bazaar in DEORIA district, River Ghagra in Ganga Basin at Dhobahat in AMBEDKAR NAGAR district, and River Kwano in Ganga Basin at Dumari Ghat in BALRAMPUR district in 15th October 2022.

Response:

- On Wednesday, Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath made an aerial survey of flood-affected areas in Balrampur, Shravasti and Gonda districts and directed officials to carry on relief work.
- 11 teams of National Disaster Response Force has been deployed in Uttar Pradesh.
- Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath deployed rescue teams (National Disaster Response Force, State Disaster Response Force, and Provincial Armed Constabulary) in Flood-affected areas.
- Budaun District Magistrate Deepa Ranjan said teams have been deployed to provide relief to people.
- MLA Dinesh Lal Yadav visited flood-affected areas.
- Officials are also conducting survey to assess the crop damage after which farmers will be provided appropriate compensation.
- Community kitchen was organized from the point of view of flood in Nanpara Tehsil of district Bahraich.
- CM has directed ministers to immediately visit the districts under their supervision and extend cooperation in relief and rescue work.
- Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath on his visit to Shravasti district distributed relief materials to the people affected by flood





Humanitarian Response

NGO Preparedness and Response

Response:

- **Inter Agency Group** - Uttar Pradesh is observing the situation and preparing for the responses in coordination with the member NGOs.
- An **Emergency coordination meeting** of IAG was conducted on 10th October 2022
- IAG – Uttar Pradesh with support of UNICEF and Sphere India has initiated **Joint Rapid Needs Assessment** in most affected districts.
- As an immediate measure, **World Vision India** is planning to reach about 3,584 households with immediate ready-to-eat food and will later support families with dry rations
- **UNICEF Uttar Pradesh and Action Aid** are in the ground helping the affected people in WASH
- **Samudaik Kalyan Evam Vikas Sansthan** is working on Food and Nutrition setor
- **Save The Children** is in the ground helping the affected people in Health sector
- **Gramin Baudhh Kalyan Sewa Sansthan Shravasti** is in the ground helping the affected people in Education sector
- **Care India, CRS/GEAG, and Church's Auxiliary for Social Action (CASA)** are in the ground helping the affected people in Livelihood sector
- **PGVS and SSK** are in the ground helping the affected people
- Rescue & Relief Teams of Sashastra Seema Bal are rescued flood affected people in Uttar Pradesh

Source of Information:

- IMD, CWC, MHA, IAG UP
- Hindustan Times, Asiana Times

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