

### **Sindh Rural Support Organization**



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### **COVID-19 EMERGENCY RESPONSE**



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# Community Institutions (CIs) Volunteers facilitation in EHSAAS payment centers

in the wake of this pandemic situation, Prime Minister of Pakistan has announced a COVID Relief package under EHSAAS Program. **EHSAAS Emergency Cash program** has been launched in the context of the economic hardship being encountered by the vulnerable due to the ongoing coronavirus crisis.

The financial assistance under the program is meant to help them buy rations for their families so that they don't go hungry. In pertinent to this, poorest households registered themselves through text messages and website link. Now, they are getting their payment from Centers.

In addition to this, during this week Community Institutions assistance was seek by District Administration to keep social distancing, following the SoPs of payment and a transparent way of payment can be processed at centers.

The Community Institution leaders are preforming their volunteer duties at EHSAAS Payment Centers in District Kamber-ShahdadKot,Khairpur,Shikarpur and Kashmore. Moreover, they are also providing the Face Masks, and frequent Hand Washing with soaps and sanitizer usage by keeping discipline and Social distancing at centers by providing the drinking water to beneficaries.

## EHSAAS Emergency Cash Program Registration of Households

SRSO Staff/CIs leaders and CRPs are assisting the poorest Households



In the continuity of registration during this week,CIs, CRPs and SRSO staff are assisting the poorest community, having no access of mobile/internet to register themselves for Ehsaas Emergency Cash program.

In pertinent to this, more than 256,997 households have been facilitated for registration in EHSAAS Cash Grant Program, out of which 178,334 have been duly received the response to contact with district administration and SRSO Official have registered them though weblink for further process. The remaining households have received the response of ineligibility, Kafalat and Emergency



	District	As of 15th April,2020			
S.#		Total HHs facilitated for Registration	Total HHs Registered for Ehsaas		
1	Khairpur	58,277	38,277		
2	Ghotki	3,665	2,219		
3	Sukkur	5,095	3,150		
4	Sanghar	23,379	15,750		
5	Umerkot	9,632	7,459		
6	Mirpurkhas	12,575	6,852		
7	Thatta	13,855	7,663		
8	Badin	51,457	48,214		
9	Jacobabad	2,345	1,044		
10	Kashmore	12,045	7,908		
11	Shikarpur	10,778	6,273		
12	Kamber-Shadad Kot	33,834	22,327		
13	Larkana	14,348	7,609		
14	Noushero Feroze	5,712	3,589		
	Total	256,997	178,334		



# Cls Charity Ration Drive & their Self Initiatives

Cls have continued their community driven initiative of providing **Food/ration bags** by reaching among **12,182** HHs and **953** HHs in **Cash Grant** to vulnerable households affected by lockdown.

They are running this drive with the help of different financial resources basis: Community Organizations (Cos) Saving, Funds raising and assistance from different philanthropists.



### **Face Mask and Soap Distribution**

CIs are using their resources effectively and taking different precautionary measures to ensure the availability of masks, hand sanitizer and soaps at community level.

In addition, **4,474 Face masks and 3,236** Soaps have been distributed among the community till date..

In this scenario, CIs/BDGs are preparing the mask on self-resources on charity basis and distributing among the community as a prevention tool.



# CIs Charity-Relief Work by Business Development Groups

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT GROUPS

Under the banner of Community Institutions', Business development Groups are working for promoting the rural women entrepreneurship for reduction of poverty.

In this regard, the BDGs of district Khairpur are actively working for relief activities for vulnerable and marginalized community who has been affected due to COVID-19 lockdown to curb the spread of the virus.

- 1- The BDG-Rickshaw, the group is collecting the orders for purchase of daily consuming goods i.e. food and nonfood items and went city to purchase it at free of cost without any fair to avoid the gathering of people at market and keep social distancing and quarantine at home. The VO leaders are also using rickshaw as public awareness in all villages through visit on rickshaw having loudspeakers.
- 2- The BDG-Small Scale Floor (UC Gadeji), it has offered a special off of 20% and free home delivery of order. The BDG has hired a daily wager with bike and collecting the order through phone, where he collects the wheat from their homes and their grind it at floor mill and deliver at home. BDG is also providing flour to 20 HHs per day free of cost who are unable to earn in this situation.





### **Public Awareness and Social Media Campaign**

CIs are ensuring that the current outbreak of COVID-2019 is responded timely and efficiently to prevent its further spread through their small efforts at community level.

CIs have sensitized **4,269** community members' during the week to prevent themselves through advisory and precautionary measures on social distancing, use of face mask and hand hygiene because prevention is cure. CIs have also built strong coordination mechanisms with Government and Line Departments to receive relief and other activities.



#### Awareness Through banners on Auto Rickshaw



### Mobile Phone-A tool of Public Awareness



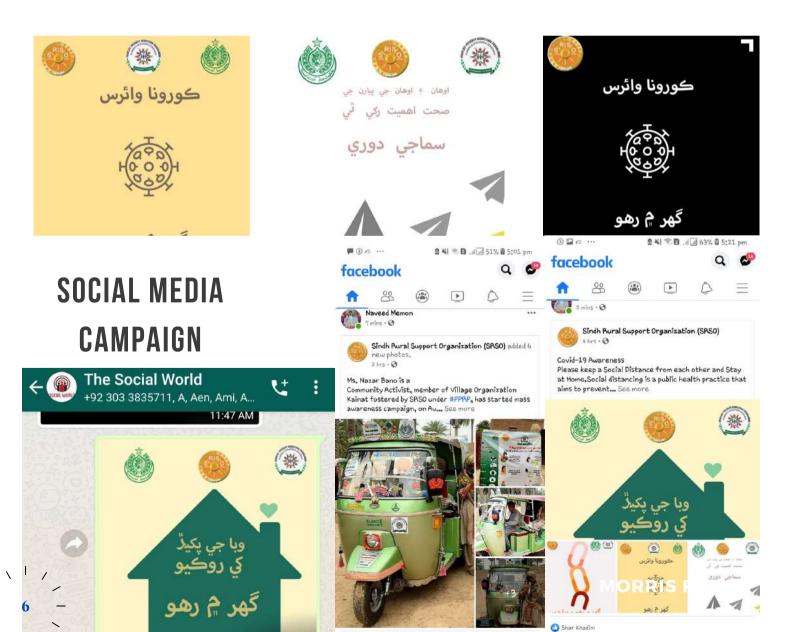
Its Not Curfew But Care for you- As per current situation to maximize the message of preventing the community from this plague, Cls leaders are using conventional methods in a unique way to aware the public through cellular Phone (Mobile). In addition to this, an awareness campaign launched by BDG member Ms. Yasmen through mobile Phone by calling all the COs, VOs members' and leaders, discussing the important Preventions & Care" on pandemic "COVID-19 with community and members - suggesting them, stay home stay safe.



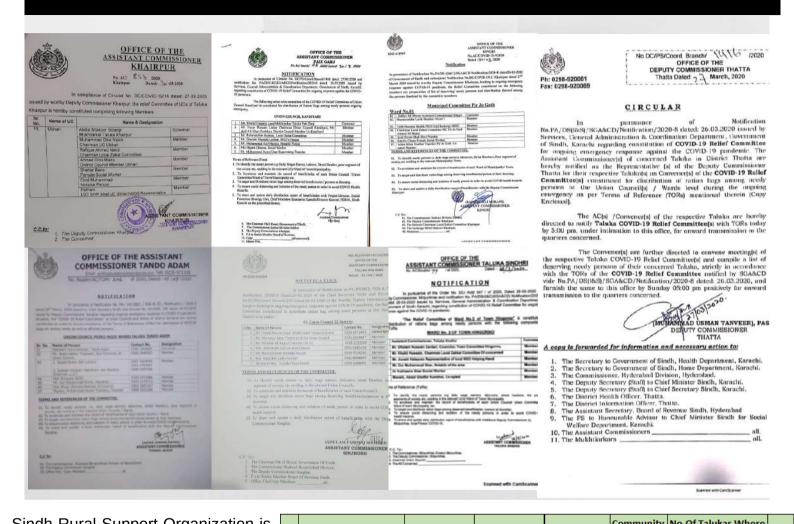
### **COVID-19, Precautionary IEC Material**



For the ease of community, SRSO has published different IEC material in local languages that they can understand the message and take precautions at home level to safe other member.s



## SRSO Facilitation & Coordination to district administration in Relief Activities



Sindh Rural Support Organization is working in close coordination with district administration in this emergency situation of COVID-19 and Lockdown. In this perspective, SRSO Districts staff of Social Mobilization Units have been notified as a volunteer in Ward Level in cities in all Urban tehsils.

In this recognition, Assitant Commissioners are conducting meeting with all volunteers and planned about distribution of ration among the poorest community.

ו	S.#	District Name	Notification issued by DC	Notification issued by AC	Number of LSOs Notified	Resource Persons	Staff is Notified for (Town Committes)	Staff
	1	Khairpur	1	8	65	17	45	17
)	2	Ghotki	1	2	12	2	-	2
,	3	Sukkur	1	-	-			
,	4	Sanghar	-	3	34	-	-	1
ı	5	Umerkot	1	1	10	1	2	2
ı	6	Mirpurkhas	1	5	34	24	6	23
1	7	Thatta	-	4	10	4	4	5
ı	8	Badin	-	-	28	-	1	4
ı	9	Jacobabad	-	3	3	9	10	2
	10	Kashmore	1	3	32	-	3	5
_	11	Shikarpur	1	4	55	30	7	16
t	12	Kambar-Shahdadkot	1	1	52	-	1	2
)	13	Larkana	1	1	11	-	-	5
	14	Naushahro Feroze	-	-	-	-	-	
1		Total	9	35	346	87	79	84

# SRSO FACILITATION & COORDINATION WITH DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION IN RELIEF ACTIVITIES









### COORDINATION MEETINGS WITH STAKEHOLDERS COVID-19 TASK FORCE COMMITTEE

**Meetings with District Administration** 

In the COVID-19 Emergency response, SRSO management has actively participated in **132 district Coordination meetings** by this week and also attended as a member of District COVID-19 task force.

In pertinent to this, DMs, Unit incharges and LSO Office bearers attended the meetings at district and tehsil Level.

### SRSO Contribution in COVID-19 Emergency Relief Activties

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	S.#	District	Facilitated to	As of 15 April,2020	Material		
	1	Larkana	Quarantine Centre	200,000	Dettol Soap (1000) Qty, Mineral Water (1000) Bottles, Energy Biscuits (1000), Milk Pack (1000)		
	2	2 Sukkur Quarantine Cent		572,000	Dettol Soap (2500) Qty, Mineral Water (3700) Bottles, Energy Biscuits (2000), Milk Pack (1500)		
	m	Kashmore Quarantine Centre	17,000	Dettol Soap (100) Qty, Mineral Water (100) Bottles, Energy Biscuits (100), Milk Pack (100)			
	4	Badin District 2		200,000	175 Ration Bags		
	5 Umer Kot District Administration			200,000	150 Ration Bags		
	6	Jacobabad	District Administration	110,000	Sanitizer (100),Soaps (200), Water Cooler (100), Glasses(100)		
	7	Shikarpur	District Administration	75,000	2-Vehicles along with fuel and driver		
		T	otal	1,374,000			



### HOME KITCHEN GARDENING

In order to mitigate the impact of lockdown, the PINS beneficiaries have grown the kitchen gardening for their consumption of vegetables and fruit organically at home. 3,425 HHs have received fresh seasonal vegetables from their village Farmer Field Schools and Home Kitchen Gardens.

#### AGRICULTURE ENTREPRENEURS' CONTRIBUTION

Under the PINS program, different entrepreneurs' came out to help the poorest community from their grown vegetables' and fruits (organic). Therefore, they distributed among the HHs above 1000.

### FIELD FARMER SCHOOL CONTRIBUTION

Agriculture Entrepreneurs are serving the humanity and distributing the fresh vegetables from FFS demo plot to poorest HHs to fulfill food needs in emergency days. Total **3,425** HHs were distributed Vegetables i.e. (Bringals, Cauliflower, Onion and Coriander).

### **Civility Costs Nothing**

Agriculture Entrepreneurs' of PINS ER#3 surely has big a heart and are true believers of humanity and Prophet Mohammad's (S.A.W) teachings. in this pandemic situation, they came out and They shared their own home grown fresh vegetables to their neighbors'/ community members who are daily wagers and in this lockdown and couldn't earn a penny.

The Vegetables include:Seasonal vegetables like (Cauliflower, Cucumber, Tomato, Onion, Spinach, Bringals, Coriander, Lady Finger, bitter gourd etc.) sown at Farmer Field Schools or kitchen gardening in the households are blessings for the poor people of community.

During FFS sessions social distancing, precautionary measures from prevention of the disease and importance of home grown vegetables are being emphasized a lot.





LSO Sindhri UC Tangwani members at Tangwani Ehsaas center

LSO Volunteers performing their duties at different EHSAAS Payment Centers of Khairpur District



Awareness on Social Distancing at EHSAAS Payment Centers-Khairpur



**Ration Distribution by:** VO Hyder Brohi, LSO Sojhro, (Mashori Sharif) taluka Bakrani, district Larkana





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Chalk Marks are drawn by LSO office bearers to maintain distance among the beneficiaries receiving their cash payments at Ehsaas Programme Disbursement Points

LSO representatives' performing their duties at Ehsaas Payment Centers Taluka Qubo Saeed,





## **Community Institution Charity-Ration Drive Details**

CIs Charity Ration Drive Details, as of 15th April,2020 ( Cummulative )

s.#	District	No Of CLs Involved Involved	Total Fund	Total HHs supported
1	Khairpur	21	379,939	1,160
2	Umerkot	10	94,485	702
3	Mirpurkhas	4	95,000	215
4	Thatta	2	240,380	250
5	Sanghar	1	93,600	73
6	Sukkur	6	323,000	193
7	Badin	12	252,840	238
8	Ghotki	3	120,000	34
9	Jacobabad	10	55,000	50
10	Kashmore	7	81,030	66
11	Kambar shadadkot	5	124,000	83
12	Larkana	16	1,342,000	122
	Total	97	3,201,274	3,186

#### CIs Charity Ration Drive Details (9-15 April,2020)

s.#	District Name	Tehsil Name	Union Council Name	Cis (CO/VO/LS O)	Cis Name	Source of Funding	Total Fund Collected	No.of HHs Supported	Mode of Suppport ( Ration Bags/Cash)
1	Sukkur	Rohri	Sangrar	Lso	Sangrar	JICA	68,400	38	Ration Bags
2	Sukkur	Rohri	Ali Wahan	Lso	Ali Wahan	JICA	50,400	28	Ration Bags
3	Thatta	Keti Bunder	Baghaan	Lso	Baghaan	Community Self Contribution	35,280	36	Ration Bags
4	Mirpurkhas	Digri		vo	Ramesh	Community Self Contribution	2,500	5	Ration Bags
5	Mirpurkhas	Kot Ghulam Muhammad	Khair Muhammad Bhurguri	vo	Roshan	Community Self Contribution	3,700	11	Ration Bags
6	khairpur	Faiz Ganj	Bhango Behan	VO	Hussain	Cos saving	4,700	7	Ration Bags
7	khairpur	Thari Mirwah	Mandaan	VO	Khamiso Khan Dasti	Community Self Contribution	3,700	12	Ration Bags
8	Mirpurkhas	Kot Ghulam Muhammad	Mir Ali Bux Talpur	VO	Raimal	Community Self Contribution		5	Ration Bags
9	Mirpurkhas	Hussain Bux Mari	Turk Ali Mari	vo	Mahek	Community Self Contribution	5,500	11	Ration Bags
10	Sukkur	Rohri	Rohri	Lso	Loung Bhatti	Step foundation	67,200	56	Ration Bags
11	Ghotki	Daharki	Dad Laghari	LSO	Surhaan	Community Self Contribution	24,000	16	Ration Bags
12	Ghotki	Daharki	Raharki	vo	Jumo Kubar	Community Self Contribution	12,000	6	Ration Bags
13	Ghotki	Ubuaro	Kamoo Shaheed	LSO	Alfalah	Community Self Contribution	84,000	12	Ration Bags
14	Thatta	Thatta	Onger	vo	VO Jalal Mari	Community Members	7600	3	Ration Bags
15	Thatta	Ketibander	Baghan	LSO	LSO Baghan	Notable person	10000	10	Ration Bags
16	Thatta	Ghora Bari	K A R SHAH	vo	VO Jeay Bukhari	Community Members	11000	10	Ration Bags
17	Sanghar	Sanghar	Sinjhoro	VO	VO	Taluka Administration	45,000		Cash
	Grand Total						434,980	302	

### **SRSO Activities' (Cumulative) Details**

	Activities (Cullidiative	
Sr.	Performance Indicators	Progress as of 15th April 2020
	A. Coordination with government authorities	
1	Number of task-forces/special-committees set up by the federal and provincial authorities with active membership of SRSOs for coordination and response to COVID-19 outbreak:	-
2	Number of task-forces/special-committees set up by the divisional, district and tehsil authorities with active membership of SRSOs for coordination and response to COVID-19 outbreak:	84
3	Number of special-committees with active membership of LSO activists, CRPs and community leaders set-up by the district and tehsil authorities and other	346
	entities for COVID-19 response coordination arrangements;	
4	B. Outreach and scale of SRSOs response RSPs outreach and scale of response to COVID-19 outbreak:	
4.1		
4.2		
4.3		
4.4	C. Community engagement and capacity building	433
5	Number of community volunteers (community leaders, CRPs, etc.) trained on	1,472
	public awareness campaigns and preventive measures from COVID-19 pandemic;	
5.1		389
5.2 <b>6</b>	Female Number of Community Institutions (LSOs, VOs, COs) engaged to undertake	1,083 10,842
· ·	COVID-19 awareness campaigns and response activities (please also attach the list of COs/ VOs/ LSOs);	10,042
6.1	11 0 ( )	315
6.2		1,927 8,700
0.5	D. Community awareness for preparedness for COVID-19 outbreak	8,700
7	Number of IEC material distributed/displayed in communities for community awareness raising and community engagement in mitigating the spread of coronavirus:	6,584
7.1		6,384
7.2		
7.3		
8	Number of awareness campaigns undertaken on COVID-19 outbreak and preventive measures using mobile loudspeakers, announcements in local mosques and other local methods;	3,529
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8.2	Number of announcements made using local mosques/ churches/ mandirs/ others	226
8.3	Number of sessions undertaken with communities	1,810
9	Number of <b>community members made face-masks at home</b> for their use and to meet local demands;	1,119
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10	Number of families/households provided assistance in their registration with the GoPak's Ehsaas Emergency Cash Programme;	
10.1	No of Vos involved	3,619
10.2	No of LSOs involved	
10.3	No of Ucs involved	488
11	E. Cash transfer and in-kind support to poor and poorest households  Number of poor and poorest households provided cash-grants for emergency use, consumptions and purchase of essential food and non-food items;	953
12	Total amount (PKR in million) of cash-grants provided to poor and poorest households;	0.947
13	Number of poor and poorest households provided in-kind support ie essential food items, soaps, sanitizers, etc.	12,182
14	Total amount (PKR in million) of in-kind support provided to poor and poorest households;	3.754
	F. SRSOs support to government health facilities	
15	Number of quarantine centers set-up by local authorities and private entities supported by provision of cooked food, surgical-masks, sanitisers and soap;	4
16	Number of <b>public and private medical health facilities supported</b> by provision of medicines, surgical-masks, sanitisers and soap;	1
17	Number of <u>surgical-masks provided</u> to these public and private centers	
18	Number of hand-sanitizers provided to these public and private centers	
19	Number of <u>soaps provided</u> to these public and private centers	3,810