## **Sindh Rural Support Organization**



## FLOOD RELIEF PROJECT

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## **Executive summary**

The destructive flood in the river Indus caused human losses, livestock, destruction of houses and costly holdings/ belongings, loss of cash crops, complete infrastructure destruction and collapse of social system.

## SRSO Relief programme

The flood relief programme of SRSO has completed its first week SRSO's main focus during this time has remained on the immediate relief provisions to flood ravaged people.

During the first week of relief operation SRSO has provided cooked and raw food to **49,600 and 8,500** households respectively, the safe drinking water through tankers and installation of critical infrastructure (i.e. Hand pumps, pit latrines and shelters) at relief camps.

SRSO with support of PPHI has treated around **5,400** OPD patients through mobile camp services and also conducting the health & hygiene session with the affected communities in the relief camps of Sukkur, Khairpur and Shikarpur districts. For the live stock SRSO is working on vaccination and treatment arrangements and total service for livestock in de-worming, vaccination and treatment figured to **23,000** animals.

SRSO is also distributing WFP raw food for flood affectee's programme for **42,000** households in the **five districts** according the WFP food distribution plan.

Beside the WFP's above programme, SRSO is also providing cooked food to the flood affectees on its own. For safe drinking water and sanitation we have installed yet **64** hand pumps and **79** latrines in district khairpur, Kashmore-Kandhkot and Sukkur relief camps established by the District Governments in the above Districts in collaboration with UNICEF in khairpur and from internal funds in other two districts.

SRSO in partnership with the PPAF and Engro foundation will provide relief material to **6,000** affected families of district Ghotki and the package for these affectees consists of raw food items, safe drinking water, sanitation, shelter sheets and the hygiene kits. This relief project also consists of fodder and vaccination material for **15,000** animals. This project material distribution will start from **August 18, 2010** and the tentative completion date is **August 31, 2010**.

A project of UNICEF is in process for the provision of health and hygiene facilities which will be materialized very soon.



SRSO is working with PPHI and operating Mobile medical camps where provides emergency medical treatment and during last two days 285 patients were treated.

SRSO is also working on the strategy of pooling the resources with different national and international aid agencies in order to maximize the relief operation efficiency is and ready to provide in-kind support and facilitate the relief operation being carried out by other organizations working for the flood affectees in SRSO operational area.

SRSO and the flood relief commissioner Sukkur are also working on the strategy to hand over the food distribution plan currently being executed by the district government to SRSO and we expect that it will be materialized very soon. In this project flood affected communities are being provided currently the cooked food in the camps specifically established or specified by the district governments.

The international agencies willing for collaboration include Mercy Corps, GOAL, International Organization for Migration and other local Organization and have discussion regarding need assessment, areas of intervention, geographical locations, implementation plan, monitoring & reporting and audit matters discussed against different relief projects.



## A.) SRSO flood relief project progress

#### WFP food for flood affectees

WFP food drive is targeting to supply 42,000 household with Rashan for thirty days comprising wheat and cooking oil (50kg 4.5 kg respectively) per household.

Flood affectees of the five districts residing in the duly registered camps either by the District or identified and referred by the SRSO to the district government are being provided this relief material.

The security responsibility of this distribution lies with the arrangements taken by the district governments. The distribution is being made according to the approved plan from World Food Programme (WFP).

## **Distribution summary (District wise):**

Districts	Target	No.	of Camps S	erviced	No.	Achiev ed in		
Districts	НН	as of 15 Aug	on 16Aug	cumulative	as of 15 Aug	on 16 Aug	Cumulati ve	%
Kashmore	13,284	3	-	3	2,441	-	2,441	18.4
Khairpur	17,112	8	15	23	1,266	1,425	2,691	15.7
Shikarpur	3,188	2	1	3	1,897	125	2,022	63.4
Sukkur	3,879	-	12	12	-	604	604	15.6
Ghotki	5,395	-	2	2	-	800	800	14.8
Total	42,857	13	30	43	5,604	2,954	8,558	20.0

#### SRSO cooked food support

This drive is the supply of cooked food to families which are in camps in SRSO's operational area of Nine Districts and the basic aim of the drive is to provide food to those which are in remote camps and where government support, other relief work agencies or philanthropists has not yet reached. Affected families are assessed and provided a food token and then food supplies. The contents of the supplies are 1 Kg cooked rice and 15 liter water per household.



### **SRSO** cooked food distribution summary (District wise)

Districts	No. of Camps as of 15 Aug 10	HH provided cooked food as of 15 Aug 10	Persons provided cooked food as of Aug 15	Camps on 16 Aug 10	HH provided cooked food as of 16 Aug 10	Persons provided cooked food on 16 Aug 10	Cumulative No. of Camps	Cumulative No. of HHs Serviced	Cumulative No. of Individuals Serviced
Ghotki	8	1,066	5,865	-	-	-	8	1,066	5,865
Khairpur	29	1,627	14,508	-	-	-	29	1,627	14,508
Shikarpur	13	712	5,265	-	-	-	13	712	5,265
Sukkur	7	456	3,578	-	-	-	7	456	3,578
Kashmore	22	2,224	18,595	-	-	-	22	2,224	18,595
N.Feroz	26	125	880	29	274	960	55	399	1,840
Total	105	6,210	48,691	29	274	960	134	6,484	49,651

#### **SRSO-PPHI** Health facilitation

SRSO and PPHI have started a mobile medical facility for the flood affectees in order to provide the medical services to the sick, injured and snake bitten including preventive vaccination for different viral, fungal, bacterial and other diseases. This facility will be extended to Kashmore-Kandhkot and Shikarpur Districts very soon.

Name of District	No. of Camps Serviced	Patient Treated As of August 15,2010	Patient Treated on August 16,2010	Cumulative
Khairpur	26	2,766	-	2,766
Sukkur	3	1,835	164	1,999
Ghotki	-	-	668	668
Total	29	4,601	832	5,433



### **SRSO** Livestock relief project

SRSO is providing support for the livestock in the flood affected zone by using its veterinary doctors fully equipped with medicines and necessary equipments.

	,	As of Augu	ust 15,2010	)	Progress of Aug 16, 2010				
Districts	De-	Vaccin	Treated	Total	De-	Vaccinati	Treat	Service	G-Total
	wormi	ations			worming	ons	ment	today	
	ng								
Ghotki	14	1,901	42	1,957	-	-	-	0	1,957
Shikarpur	1,389	4,675	133	6,197	419	1,164	50	1633	7,830
Sukkur	512	1,806	337	2,655	140	590	112	842	3,497
Khairpur	480	1,796	16	2,292	3	819	13	835	3,127
N. Feroz	1,014	1,683	126	2,823	707	1,158	71	1936	4,759
Kashmore	-	-	-	-	625	900	-	1525	1,525
Total	3,409	11,861	654	15,924	1,894	4,631	246	6,771	22,695

#### **Water and Sanitation**

SRSO is working on provision of safe drinking water and sanitation facilities and for this tanker services and installation of hand pumps and CLTS at various camp locations are being done. SRSO manages this activity through its own resources. The material for the 200 hundred hand pumps and latrines has been procured.

The SRSO management is of the understanding that health management is very much critical in this scale of disaster.

	As of 15	Beneficiari	current (16	Aug 2010)	Cumulative	
District	Aug 10 Locations	es as of 15 Aug 10	Hand pumps	CLTS	Hand pump	CLT
Khairpur, Sukkur & Kashmore- Kandhkot	31	17,755	14	33	64	79

## Engro cooked food distribution under SRSO management

SRSO has taken over the Engro food distribution in district Ghotki where cooked food is being provided to 300 households (2500 beneficiaries) flood affected by the flood. This service is provided twice a day. These families are identified and registered with Engro foundation in Obavro and Ghotki Tehsils of District Ghotki this service will positively be continued till further relief intervention take place.



#### B. OTHER NEWS

SRSO management is in close coordination with District Coordination Officers, Army high officials and updates them on regular basis and for distribution the services of the Sindh Police and Pakistan Rangers are attained for safe distribution and to avoid chaos and any mismanagement in the relief camps.

SRSO and PDMA are in close coordination where daily updates are day to day situations are discussed.

We are also thankful for the support of our corporate friends and philanthropists for their in kind donations specifically Hot & Spicy, Saima Mall and Residency and Sip & Dip interior designers for flood affectees.

#### **ISSUES AND CONCERNS**

- Spread of diseases including Malaria, cholera etc.
- ❖ Law and order situation is getting worst in Kashmore-Kandhkot, Ghotki and Shikarpur
- ❖ Destruction of infrastructure including roads etc
- More displacements due to new breaches in the Protection Band and distributaries like Beggary Canal affecting District Shehdadkot.
- ❖ High flood tide passing Moro Dadu Bridge creating a fearsome situation.



## **Picture Gallery:**



