

Sindh Rural Support Organization



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Executive summary

The flood relief effort is in its 6th day and SRSO's main focus has been on the immediate relief provisions to flood affected people through food drives either in shape of cooked and dry Roshan and till now we have provided it to 2,114 and 48,691 households respectively, the safe drinking water through tankers and installation of critical infrastructure (i.e. installation of Hand pumps, pit latrines and shelter) at relief camps. For the live stock SRSO is working on vaccination and treatment arrangements.

We are also distributing WFP 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 providing cooked food to the flood affectees on its own and till now it has been served to 6,241 households. For safe drinking water and sanitation we have installed yet fifty hand pumps and latrines at different locations in the relief camps established by the District Governments in the relevant 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 Mobile medical camps has started and provided emergency treatment to 285 patients in last two days.

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 and ready to provide in kind support to 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 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.



Emergency Project progress with different relief partners

WFP Food Drive

WFP food drive is targeting to supply 42,000 household with Rashaan 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).

WFP food distribution Status (District wise):

Districts	Target HH	No. of Camps Serviced			No. of HHs Provided		
		Up to 13 th August	Current day	Cumulative	Up to 13 th August	Current day	Cumulative
Kashmore	13,284	-	3	3	-	1,026	1,026
Khairpur	17,112	7	1	8	525	141	666
Shikarpur	3,188	-	2	2	-	422	422
Sukkur	3,879	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ghotki	5,395	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	42,857	7	6	13	525	1,589	2,114

SRSO Food Drive

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 provided food to those which in remote camps and where government support, other relief work agencies or philanthropists has not yet reached. Affected families are assessed and marked with a food token on day 1 and supplied with food on the other day. The contents of the supplies are 1 Kg cooked rice and 15 liter water per household.

Districts	No. of Camps Serviced	No. of HHs Serviced	No. of Individuals Serviced
Ghotki	8	1,066	5,865
Khairpur	29	1,627	14,508
Shikarpur	13	712	5,265
Sukkur	7	456	3,578
Kashmore-Kandhkot	22	2,224	18,595
Total	105	6,210	48,691



PPHI Health Project

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 and bacterial and other diseases. This facility will be extended to two other Kashmore- Kandhkot and Shikarpur Districts.

Districts	# of Camps	Diarrhea	Scabies	Antenatal	Fever	Others	Total	As of Aug 13,2010	Cumulative
Sukkur	2	35	49	24	26	29	163	122	285
Total	2	35	49	24	26	29	163	12	285

SRSO Livestock Project

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

Live stock	As of August 13,2010				Progress of Aug 14. 2010				
	De worming	Vaccinations	Treatment	Total	De worming	Vaccinations	Treatment	Service today	G-Total
Ghotki	10	1,604	24	1,638	-	172	4	176	1,814
Shikarpur	636	1,135	42	1,813	-	1,843	34	1,877	3,690
Sukkur	414	584	159	1,157	16	658	97	771	1,928
Khairpur	-	-	-	-	452	1,401	9	1,862	1,862
N. Feroz	-	-	-	-	555	930	57	1,542	1,542
Total	1,060	3,323	225	4,608	1,023	5,004	201	6,228	10,836



Water and Sanitation

SRSO is working on provision of safe drinking water and for this tanker services and installation of hand pumps and CLTS at various camp locations. This project is funded internally by SRSO and for this we have initially procured material for more than 200 hand pumps and latrine material that will be installed in the relief camps in the flood affected area on priority basis.

District	Locations	Beneficiaries	To Date	
			Hand pump	CLTS
Khairpur	4	532	12	12

Engro food drive managed by SRSO

SRSO has taken over the Engro food drive in district Ghotki where cooked food is being provided to 300 households (2500 beneficiaries) flood affected. This service is provided twice a day. These families are identified and registered with Engro foundation in Obavro and Ghotki Tehsils of District Ghotki.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

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.

PDMA Director General held meeting with the SRSO Chief where progress, planning and specifically security measures were discussed.

ISSUES

- ❖ Spread of diseases including Malaria
- ❖ Law and order situation is getting worst
- ❖ Destruction of infrastructure including roads etc
- ❖ More displacements due to new breaches in the Protection Band and distributaries like Begari Canal affecting District Shehdadkot.



Picture Gallery:

