

JAJARKOT EARTHQUAKE

Quad-Day Situation Analysis Report

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SUMMARY

This situation report highlights the response of humanitarian and development partners to the Jajarkot earthquake, with a focus on the most affected municipalities. Despite significant efforts, there is a notable gap in reaching remote and mountainous regions where conditions are bad. These areas, often overlooked, urgently need support, considering the diverse poverty levels in Jajarkot and Rukum West. Health initiatives include establishing health camps and distributing medicines, with a focus on WASH. However, there is a need for more health professionals and comprehensive health awareness campaigns, especially in inaccessible mountain areas. WASH initiatives are addressing sanitation and water quality issues but require more robust solutions.

Shelter is a major concern, with extensive damage reported across numerous municipalities. Current efforts are focused on providing tarpaulin and winterization kits, but there is an urgent need for more protective solutions, especially with the onset of harsh weather. The education sector is also facing challenges, with many schools in temporary structures and a need for educational materials and psychological support for children affected by the earthquake. The provincial government has decided to reconstruct damaged government and public structures in the earthquake affected area.

Rukum West DAO emphasizes the urgent need for shelters, with food supplies currently sufficient but a high demand for warm tent, blankets, and warm clothing. The DAO has requested municipalities and wards for a final assessment of damaged homes and infrastructures. The pre-requisite for cash relief to build shelters is under process, emphasizing the need to avoid duplicity and false registration. In a recent meeting with advisors to the Prime Minister, AIN discussed the coordination of relief efforts, identifying gaps in funding, administrative hurdles, and the need for more resources in health, sanitation, and shelter, especially for vulnerable groups.

This report attempts to compile a list of agencies and institutions involved in relief and recovery support in the earthquake-affected areas. The comprehensive list is based on data from the DAO's one door system and AIN's spreadsheet. However, there may be agencies involved in relief and recovery efforts not included in this list, possibly due to incomplete information in the DAO's records or the AIN spreadsheet. Agencies not found on the list are encouraged to reach out to DAO or update their information on the AIN spreadsheet, available at the provided link <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1bmiGVcC60dGrS16MvP0Sn27TS85dY-0Q/edit#gid=2082142900> . If there is difficulties accessing the link, organizations are requested to upload their relief contributions to our Google doc https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1NhE0S6tJTd_HtLu3drZjWOM12Z50T3ApEtFaqP4plbk/edit?usp=sharing . We will verify your submission against DAO data and ensure its inclusion in the next situation report.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Cluster Wise Situation and GAP in Earthquake Response
- Government and public damaged structures to be reconstructed by the provincial government
- DAO Requests Municipalities and Wards for Final Assessment of Damaged Homes
- AIN Meeting with the Advisors of the Prime Minister
- Bheri's Emergency Water Treatment and Education Campaign
- Breaking the Silence: Campaign on Gender Violence Awareness
- List of agencies offering humanitarian support

CLUSTER WISE SITUATION AND GAP IN EARTHQUAKE RESPONSE

DPNet has tried to analyze the interventions across various clusters by humanitarian and development partners in response to the recent earthquake. The focus has been predominantly on the most affected municipalities, yet there is a significant gap in reaching remote and mountainous regions where conditions are dire. These areas, often neglected, urgently require support, taking into account the diverse poverty levels as categorized by the government in both Jajarkot and Rukum West. To access the detailed data of the poor household in both districts, please follow the link <https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1noGvqt3dLMDgf4mOzVTpvMpcxEspZrK?usp=sharing> .

Health initiatives have seen considerable action of development and humanitarian partners with the establishment of health camps, distribution of medicines, and emphasis on water, sanitation, and hygiene (WASH) activities. Despite these efforts, there are noticeable gaps, such as the need for additional health professionals and comprehensive health awareness campaigns, especially in the more inaccessible mountain areas. WASH initiatives are also trying to tackle the critical issues of inadequate sanitation and compromised water quality, but there's a need for more thorough solutions, including training for local technicians in water treatment and more extensive water quality testing.

Shelter remains a prime concern, with extensive damage reported across numerous municipalities. Current efforts to provide temporary shelters and winterization kits are in place, but there's an urgent need for more durable and insulated solutions, particularly with the onset of harsher weather. The education sector is similarly challenged, with many schools relying on temporary structures. Beyond the physical rebuilding of schools, there's a crucial need for educational materials and psychological support for children who have experienced trauma due to the earthquake and personal losses. The District Administration Offices, adhering to a one-door system, continues to face challenges in digitizing the details of relief materials. We have scanned the hard copy documents and made them available through the link

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1bSg8CgkxfkX6llp1J_Qw6DHt627dLZ_F/view . Cluster-specific detail situation analysis is as below;

HEALTH

Current Situation

- Handicap International Nepal in coordination with different hospitals and health centers has been carrying out the need assessment and technical support of the health related Rehabilitation centers.
- Health professionals have forecasted the occurrence of diarrhea and cholera in the villages, due to lack of sanitation and hygiene practices.
- NRCS, UNICEF, WVI, Oxfam, Mercy Corps, FHI 360 Nepal, Welthungerhilfe Nepal, RRN, HRDC, SOCEC, KIDRAC and other organizations working in WASH Cluster has been distributing Dignity Kits and Kishori Kits at Jajarkot and Rukum West.
- Various organizations like United Distributors, has supported nutritional food items to DAO Jajarkot.

Activities

- Organization like Medecins du Monde -France and CMC Nepal provided Medicines and Medical consumable , Medical Camps, Provided Hygiene Kits /dignity Kits and other Medical support
- Health awareness campaigns to address public health issues and community awareness.
- Various organizations has been running psychosocial counselling at CFS and Women Safe Spaces at Jajarkot and Rukum West.

- Hospital and Rehabilitation Centre for Disabled Children from Banepa, Kavre, is working for the rehabilitation, medication, treatment and socializing the disabled children below 18 years, also providing socio psycho counselling to the affected children in a collaboration with UNICEF Nepal.
- NCRS supported Nalagad Primary Hospital and Barekot Primary Hospital, Medical Tent with capacity of 8 beds, 2 set Reproductive Health Kit for each, 2 Set RH Kit to Jajarkot District Hospital
- 30 trained Psychological Volunteers mobilized by NRCS at Barekot, Nalagad, Bheri and Kuse of Jajarkot.
- Dignity Kits and Kishori kits distributed in large number in Jajarkot by NRCS.
- Various development agencies like Swiss Embassy, FELM, CBM Global, Tear Fund Australia, America Nepal Medical Foundation has been supporting nutrition and medicine kits to Pregnant and postnatal Mothers, along with Mental Health and Psychosocial Support Service.
- OHW, RSDC supported tent and health facility equipment at Ghetma, BHSC of Aathbiskot and Chinabagar Health Post of Sanibheri.
- Stickers with emergency and toll-free numbers has been distributed to seek emergency supports
- CBM, HRDC and CMS Nepal have initiated Health Checkup Camps, established Health and rehabilitation camp at Jajarkot and Rukum West.

Gaps

- Urgent need for health camps and awareness campaigns at the community level to educate residents on water safety and hygiene specially in the mountain area of both Jajarkot and West Rukum.
- Need of more health professionals at health post and hospitals as the case load caused by cold is increasing day by day.

WASH

Current Situation

- WASH cluster meeting held on 23 November, 2023, majorly focused on the damaged toilet.
- Ward number 2 and 8 of Nalagad Municipality are at risk of outburst of diarrhea and cholera as these places are reported with fecal on open places.
- According to the Chairperson of the ward office, about 70% of the toilets are damaged.

Activities

- Helvetas is working as a main supporting agency in Barekot Rural Municipality and in Nalgadh Municipality HRDC.
- WaterAid has been supporting PHSD Karnali, distributed Kit for the water purification and menstrual hygiene
- SAC Nepal, Save the Children, HRDC, PTYSM and other organizations distributed NFI, hygiene kit, baby kits; JAFS supported water purifier liquids.
- IFRC, NRCS, Qatar Charity, WVI, Oxfam, Welthungerhilfe Nepal (WHH), BMZ AA, German Embassy & WHH, KIRDARC, SOSEC, RSDC and Panch Tara Yuva Sanrakshan Manch supported Hygiene Kits, Dignity Kits and Kitchen Kits
- Oxfam supported temporary toilets and distributed safe kits.
- Different parameters are tested to check the quality of water like PH, turbidity, salinity, Nitrate, Hardness and TDS, Total Coliform Bacteria.
- Portable toilets are distributed by UNICEF and SOSEC in Nalagad and Bheri.
- Other Hygiene kits, Dignity Kits, piyush, bleaching powder are distributed.

- Details of HH survey completed at Kushe Rural Municipality and Barekot Rural Municipality of Jajarkot.

Gaps

- Various places are cut off with water as various Drinking Water Projects are damaged by earthquake
- All the relief materials are stored at the same place making it difficult to find the WASH materials.
- Quality test of water throughout the Jajarkot and Rukum West is a must.
- Urgent need for health camps and awareness campaigns at the community level to educate residents on water safety and hygiene to control diarrhea and other water borne diseases.
- Need for water treatment training and purification techniques for local technicians.

FOOD & SECURITY

Current Situation

- Nearby only half of the families could retrieve their stored food from the collapsed buildings (Assistant CDO of Jajarkot)
- Risky structures in the village are being demolished; recovering efforts have resulted in a loss of food grains mixed with soil. (In some of the cases)
- Most families depend on the income from foreign employment (mostly India), dependence on income has increased due to the earthquake, worsening the food crisis as production is hampered.
- Almost all families have received relief distribution, leaving only few behind due to remoteness and transportation problem. (Assistant CDO of West Rukum)



Activities

- Food aid distribution from the government, organizations, and individuals continues.
- Different organizations like Care, DCA, DANIDA, Caritas, WVI, Islamic Relief, AWO International, GNI Korea, BEE Group, HRDC, ADH, AWO International, YARSAN, SOSEC, RDC, FEDO, Panch Tara Yuva Sanrakshan Manch has been supporting with food relief packages (rice, lentil, beaten rice, salt, sugar, oil, tea, spices) and cash voucher.
- Bulldozers have been used to clear risky structures in the village, for debris clearance and management that ruined the loss of stored food grain.
- Local Government officials are planning to address the potential food crisis.
- Efforts are being made to ensure food grain supply and avoid a crisis.
- DDMC is involved in managing the situation and planning for food security.

Gaps

- There is a lack of food grains due to the earthquake, with the next harvest season in threat.
- The damage to most of the houses has led to the loss of stored crops, which are now mixed with the soil and unsalvageable.
- Long-term employment opportunities in India are limited as the people need to engage in reconstruction, which could intensify the food crisis.
- The capacity to focus on agricultural production is compromised as affected families must prioritize home rebuilding.
- There's a need for additional food grain supplies as current resources may not be sufficient if the situation does not improve.

EARLY RECOVERY

Current Situation

- There is a need to reach out to people who do not have access to roads, they are the most vulnerable. In Jajarkot 37,000 households have been damaged and most of the houses cannot be retrofitted since 98% of houses are made from mud.
- CDO office Jajarkot has provided permission to few organizations to start the work on early recovery and building temporary shelters at Nalagad municipality, Barekot Municipality and Bheri Municipality.

Activities

- Initiations from local NGOs, and helping hands can be noticed in building the temporary shelter for families in various parts of the Jajarkot and Rukum West.
- KiA Netherlands, UNHCR, Habitat For Humanity Nepal, WVI, ADRA, Alliance 2015 (PIN, WHH, Helvetas), Lutheran World Relief, NEEDS Nepal, RMHSF-N, Lumanti, CRS, Mercy Corps, Good Neighbors International, Handicap International Nepal and others are supporting for early recovery.
- 380 Solar set has been distributed at different places by NRCS.
- Various municipalities and wards are collecting the detailed damage data of the HH, DAO of Jajarkot and Rukum West will accumulate the data and plan accordingly.

Gaps

- According to Harish Chandra Sharma, Assistant CDO of Jajarkot, there is an immediate need to construct transitional centers and winterization items, warm clothes, so as to protect them from the cold, mainly the newborn, young children, lactating mothers, elderly people.
- Few of the remote villages have not received enough tarpaulins sheet to protect them from cold due to remoteness and transportation problem.
- In case of Rukum West, DAO is still is waiting for the data related to relief distribution and damage & loss report from all the affected municipalities for compilation.

NUTRITION

Current Situation

- According to Dr. Pratiksha Bharti, Head of Health Service Office Jajarkot, 10,560 children under the age of five, 1,360 pregnant women and 900 new mothers are affected by the earthquake in Jajarkot's Barekot and Kuse Rural Municipalities, Nalagad, and Bheri Municipality. Data collection on other areas are going on.
- Approximately 5,567 children under the age of, 1,068 pregnant women, 3,781 senior citizens and 739 new mothers are affected by earthquake as per Health Service Office of Rukum West.
- Government and various agencies are distributing the nutritious food as relief distribution.

Activities

- Mercy Corps, Start Fund, CBM Global Nepal, RRN, HRDC and other organizations and agencies has supported nutritional supplementary food support to pregnant, lactating women and children below 5 years health check-up, referrals, assistive devices
- Various municipalities and wards are collecting the detailed data of the number of infants' children, lactating mother and senior citizen's distribution data.

Gaps

- As many people of the earthquake affected area were in food crisis even in normal time. Food security crisis for the poor and vulnerable population further exacerbated by earthquake. 17

years old Tika Sunwar, of Kuse Rural Municipality ward no 9, reported that she has not received enough nutritious food to feed her infant.

- Children, senior citizen, PWD and lactating women of poor family require adequate amount of nutritious food.

PROTECTION

Current Situation

- Due to prevalent poverty and uncertainty, there is an increased risk of trafficking. It is essential to conduct awareness-raising programs, such as street dramas, to educate people about the dangers of trafficking and abuse, particularly targeting women, children, and adolescent girls.
- Few child friendly spaces and Female friendly spaces has been established and are functional.
- Different organizations like TPO Nepal, Tearfund UK, CMS Nepal, Aawaj Nepal, International Nepal Fellowship has been providing PFA and PSS support at Jajarkot and Rukum West.

Activities

- Different agencies like Save the Children International (SCI), Care Nepal, Plan International, Welthungerhilfe Nepal (WHH), BMZ AA, German Embassay, HRDC, Panch Tara Yuva Sanrakshan Manch, Women For Human Right Single Women Group Surkhet, CCR-Karnali KIRDARC, SAC Nepal, NFD and others distributed baby pack, kitchen kit, blankets, and sanitary pad, dignity kits, NFI and winterization kits.
- TPO, Tearfund UK and International Nepal Fellowship has been providing PFA and PSS Support at Jajarkot and Rukum West.
- UNICEF has established few Child Friendly Spaces (CFS) at Jajarkot.
- CMC Nepal has been providing psychological first aid (PFA) at mass and individual level, mental health and psychosocial services, psychosocial counselling at Nalagad municipality, Jajarkot
- 3-Female Friendly Space (FFS)- Sanibheri ward 1 and 4 and Aathbiskot ward no 14 established by WOREC and Tarangini Mahila Adhikar Prashikshen Kendra
- NFDN established Disabled Friendly structures at Barekot, Jajarkot.
- SCI has planned to establish 2 CFS in ward no.7 and 9 of Kuse, 1 and 3 of Bheri, also providing facilities of PSS and case management.
- BlinkNow, Kopila Valley Sewa Samaj has been supporting medicine, health, and hygiene kits and providing paramedics support and psychosocial counseling.

Gaps

- Remote areas lacks child friendly spaces
- Gap in providing child-friendly environments and supportive activities for children grieving the loss of parents or loved ones.
- Need more initiatives to prevent trauma and support the emotional wellbeing of children affected by loss.
- Insufficient attention and response to the specific needs of persons with disabilities (PWD), particularly in disaster or crisis situations.
- Inadequate infrastructure, such as accessible toilets, to accommodate the daily needs of PWD, leading to heightened difficulties.Shelter and Winterization

SHELTER

Current Situation

The report prepared by the engineers of Ministry of Urban Development (MoUD) to study the situation following the earthquake damage in Jajarkot and Rukum West provides statistics on the damage: 6,768 houses in Jajarkot's Bheri Municipality, 2,806 in Shivalaya Rural Municipality, 4,602 in Kuse Rural Municipality, 3,978 in Junichande Rural Municipality, 3,321 in Barekot, 6,566 in Nalagaad, and 6,490 in Chhedagad Municipality. Similarly, in Jajarkot, 92 schools, 5 health institutions, and 15 roads and bridges have been damaged. Likewise, in Western Rukum's Aathbiskot Municipality, 2,729 houses have been damaged, 3,900 in Musikot Municipality, 4,006 in Sani Bheri Rural Municipality, and 6,500 in Chaurjahari Municipality.

Activities

- Alliance 2015 (PIN, WHH, Helvetas), Plan International, Mercy Corps, Lutheran World Relief, FCA, TdH, AWO International, ADH/AWO International, Japan Asian Association & Asian Friendship Society (JAFS), WETHUNGERHILFE, Lumanti, BEE Group, Mission East, SPA, Islamic Relief, Welthungerhilfe Nepal (WHH), CECI, Panch Tara Yuva Sanrakshan Manch, HRDC, RRN, NEEDS Nepal, WOREC, distributed NFI, tarpaulins, blanket, bedsheet, tents, warm clothes, winterization kit, immediate shelter kit and similar items.
- ADRA, ENRUDEC supported Shelter Kits, at Talkot Rural Municipality, Bajhang, Barekot Rural Municipality and Nalgad Rural Municipality of Jajarkot.



Gaps

- Harish Chandra Sharma, Assistant CDO of Jajarkot shared “harsh winter is approaching, tarpaulins cannot save people from cold, and people need at least tents and warm cloth for now to save people from cold”.
- Double layered tents needed at higher altitudes vulnerable people like lactating women, pregnant women of especially Kuse, Barekot, Shivalaya.
- Need of warm clothes, for children, women and senior citizens.
- Immediate need of temporary shelter construction.

EDUCATION

Current Situation

- Extensive damage to schools, with many old school buildings completely destroyed.
- Most of the schools has resumed in Jajarkot and Rukum West.
- Schools has been operating classes in tarpaulins, tents and under open sky (few places)
- Nisha Kuikel, psychosocial counselor at TPO Nepal reports some of the children are experiencing trauma due to the loss of family and friends in the disaster, students still have fear of earthquake so they prefer to learn outside of the damaged buildings.
- UNICEF has supported the Temporary Learning Centers at affected municipalities of Jajarkot and Rukum West.

Activities

- Temporary alternate schools are being considered to continue children's education.
- 235 Temporary learning centers is being planned, 120 TLC in Jajarkot and 115 in Rukum; some are already in operation.
- As per Nisha Kuikel, from TPO Nepal, counselling services are being planned for traumatized children.
- UNICEF has been supporting to build the Child Friendly Space, Aawaj Nepal providing the child engagement and recreational activities in Jajarkot.

Gaps

- In Jajarkot, 341 out of 423 schools has been damaged with 289 buildings completely damaged, 598 partially damaged and 1599 of the classes have been damaged, the temporary learning centers should be established and resume the classes soon.
- Harish Chandra Sharma, Assistant CDO of Jajarkot mentioned the need of learning materials books, copies and stationery is essential to resume the education smoothly.

GOVERNMENT AND PUBLIC DAMAGED STRUCTURES TO BE RECONSTRUCTED BY THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNMENT

The provincial government is undertaking the construction of government and public structures damaged by the earthquake in Jajarkot. Bedraj Singh, Minister for Economic Affairs and Planning, informed the regular monitoring of the financial matters and reconstruction plans carried out by the provincial government in the areas of government offices, schools, police offices, drinking water, and irrigation projects. A total of 54 police offices in the Karnali region have been affected by the earthquake. Karnali Police Chief, Deputy Inspector General Bhim Prasad Dhakal, provided information that damage on the District Police Office has led to the operation of from the temporary police posts.



In Jajarkot, 33 police buildings have been damaged, 12 in Rukum West, 3 in Salyan, 4 in Jumla, and 2 in Kalikot. In Jajarkot, 4 buildings of the District Police Office are affected, along with 10 police posts, five temporary police posts, and one District Traffic Office, totaling 33 affected structures. More than 300 schools have been affected throughout Karnali. However, there is still uncertainty about health statistics. The data prepared by local authorities and the provincial government may differ, causing issues once the exact figures are confirmed. The Ministry of Social Development in Karnali Province has not yet confirmed the accuracy of the data. The extent of damage in terms of drinking water and irrigation is also uncertain.

DAO REQUESTS MUNICIPALITIES AND WARDS FOR FINAL ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGED HOUSES

Assistant CDO of Rukum West, Prabesh Baduwal informs “since the winter is approaching, there is an urgent need of making of shelters”. He has appealed the different development agencies and organizations to join hand in hands and support in building shelters for the affected communities as soon as possible. People have received enough food like rice, lentils, beaten rice and ready to eat snacks as relief distribution, almost all the relief items have been distributed, leaving no items on stocks. At the moment, there is no scarcity of food but there is a high demand of tarpaulins, CGI sheets, thick blankets, and warm clothes for all aged group people and specially Tents.



The DAO has requested all the municipalities to submit the final report of reassessment of the exact number of damaged infrastructures throughout the district, municipalities, and wards as soon as possible. DAO has also directed the ward offices to submit the names and tasks performed by the different national and international development partners to the DAO to find out the progress of Post-Earthquake development. The pre requirement for providing the cash relief of Rs 50,000 to make shelter is under process. It must undergo through various verification process to stop the duplicity, false registration and provide the amount to the actual needy.

AIN MEETING WITH THE ADVISORS OF THE PRIME MINISTER

The AIN meeting with Dr. Popular Gentle and Ramdeep Acharya, advisors to the Prime Minister, held on 22 November 2023, provided a detailed overview of the coordination and response efforts following the Jajarkot and Rukum earthquake. The Prime Minister's Office (PMO) acknowledged the swift actions of AIN Member INGOs and expressed the Prime Minister's deep concern for the affected areas. The PMO emphasized the importance of a One Door System to enhance response efficiency and addressed potential challenges faced by INGOs, offering assistance for quick decision-making. The meeting also highlighted the urgent need for shelter, healthcare, and temporary educational facilities for the displaced people, highlighting the challenges in reaching remote areas and the necessity for inclusive and sustainable rebuilding plans.

AIN and its member organizations have actively coordinated relief efforts from the onset of the disaster. Around 35 AIN Member INGOs have been involved in providing essential support, such as food, shelter, and winterization, in addition to distributing health kits, winterization items, constructing temporary toilets, and providing psychological support, especially focusing on children's education. Manoj Bhatta, the Member Secretary of the Social Welfare Council, assured the expedited approval process for INGOs' projects and emphasized the need for discussions on rehabilitation and reconstruction work.

The meeting identified several gaps and constraints in the ongoing response. Funding challenges were a significant concern, particularly the adequacy of the government's financial aid for temporary housing, given the high transportation costs and lack of coverage for essential facilities like toilets and water taps. Administrative hurdles, requiring faster approval processes from ministries to facilitate aid distribution and reconstruction work, were also discussed. Additionally, the meeting pinpointed the need for more resources in health, sanitation, and shelter, focusing particularly on vulnerable groups such as new mothers and the elderly. These challenges highlight the importance of a coordinated and well-resourced approach to address the immediate and long-term needs of the earthquake-affected communities.



EMERGENCY WATER TREATMENT AND EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

Bheri municipality had promptly set up three public taps to mitigate the impact of the damage to various drinking water projects like Dalli, Cheuri, and Nahakuli in Nalagd Municipality. The largest water distribution project in Bheri, Sahalagani, suffered significant damage, exacerbating the crisis in areas like Kalpat and Kudu. Despite these challenges, initial testing of three water samples revealed no significant risk, ensuring temporary relief in the quality of the available water.

However, the situation remained precarious, especially in the Rimna area where residents relied on water from the Bheri river, drawn from an open reservoir. This highlighted an urgent need for health camps and awareness campaigns at the community level to educate residents on water safety and hygiene. Additionally, there was a pressing need for water treatment training for local technicians, many of whom lacked the knowledge to effectively use bleaching powder and other purification methods, which was crucial to ensure safe drinking water in those challenging times.

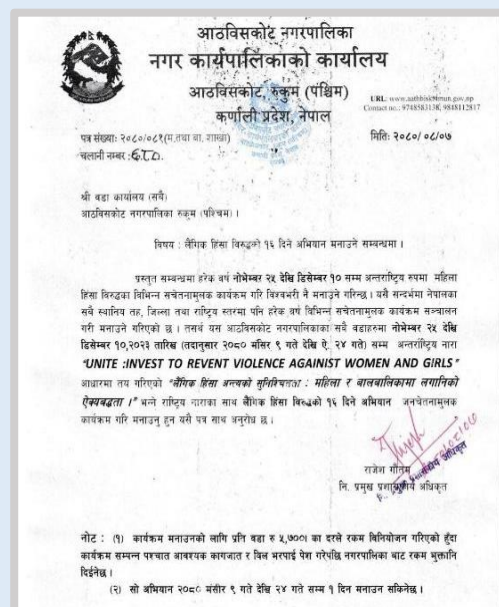
A team of experts from the Department of Water Supply and Sewerage Management, Health Service Directorate, Birendranagar, Surkhet, the Federal Water Supply and Sewerage Management Project, and WHO had visited the water sources, reservoirs, tanks, taps, and collected samples to test for various microorganisms and physical characteristics of the water. The samples also included water from pitchers from households. The team also distributed Piyush to the local people and trained them on how to use the purifier.



CAMPAIGN ON GENDER VIOLENCE AWARENESS

A 16-day campaign focused on "Gender Violence Awareness and Psycho Social Counseling" started on November 25, 2023, in Bheri municipality of Jajarkot and Sani Bheri of Rukum West. The program aims to spread awareness about gender-based violence and provide crucial counseling services in the region.

The campaign utilizes diverse communication channels to reach a wide audience. FM radio, social media, and informative caller ringtones, in collaboration with Nepal Telecom and Ncell, are being used to disseminate information about the earthquake, human trafficking, and sexual violence. Stickers with emergency and toll-free numbers, which were initially distributed to every house, need to be redistributed due to damage caused by the earthquake. The campaign also emphasizes the importance of sanitation and cleanliness. Additionally, a special event is planned for December 3, 2023, to coincide with PWD Day, focusing on issues faced by people with disabilities.



The program was inaugurated at Thati Bajar, Khalanga, Jajarkot on November 25, 2023. It calls for various organizations to participate and contribute to the cause. There is an emphasis on raising funds to distribute essential items like sanitary pads, soaps, diapers, and toothbrushes-pastes, which are vital for maintaining hygiene and health in the aftershock of the earthquake. This initiative reflects a comprehensive approach to addressing the immediate and long-term needs of the community, particularly focusing on gender violence and psychosocial well-being.

AGENCIES OFFERING HUMANITARIAN SUPPORT

ADH	Himalayan Reinsurance Limited	Pahadi Khsetra Bikash Abhiyaan
ADRA	Home Ministry, Nepal Government	Panchtara Yuba Samrakshyak Manch
Alliance 2015 (PIN, Helvetas, WHH)	HRDC	Paribartan Rural Municipality, Rolpa
ALWS	ICIMOD	Pashusewa Bibagh, Lalitpur
America Nepal Medical Foundation	IDEA Nepal	Patanjali Ayurveda
APF Maheshori, Surkhet	IFRC	PIN
Arju Rice Mill Pvt. Ltd.	Indian Air Force	Plan International
Armed Police Force	Indian Embassy	Pokhara Metropolitan City
Army Barrack, Jajarkot	International Nepal Fellowship	Province Health Logistics Management Center, Surkhet
Asal Chhimeki Nepal	IOM	Provincial Hospital, Surkhet
AWO International	Isha Foundation	PTYSM
Balaji Fibres	Isha Foundation Nepal	Purple Foundation
Balbalika Biruddha ko sajha Abhiyan, Rukum	Islamic Relief UK	Purple Foundation
BAS Nepal Nepalgunj	Islamic Relief Worldwide	Qatar Charity
Bharatpur Metropolitan City	JAFS	Radha Poudel Foundation
Bhatbheteni Supermarket	Jagadamba Synthetics	Rapti Mining and Construction

Bheri Environmental Excellence (BEE) Group	Jahare Management Committee	RARA Human Entertainment Banke
Bheri Sitbhandar Sahakari Sanstha, Banke	Kailali Rural Municipality	Rastriya Swatantra Party
Bheriganga Municipality, Surkhet	Karnali Samaj Japan OKNIWA	RDC
Bidhyut Utpadan Company, Buddhanagar, Kathmandu	Katahimai Rural Municipality	RMHSF-N
Birendranagar Sunchadi Byabasayi, Surkhet	Kathmandu Metropolitan City	Rotary Club of Kathmandu
BlinkNow	KiA Netherlands	RRN
Blue Horse entertainment	KIRDARC	RSDC
BMZ AA	KIWANIS Club, Khara, Rukum West	Rukum UNESCO Sanghiya Shikshya
Botechaur Bajar Byabasthan Kendra, Surkhet	Kohalpur Municipality	SAC Nepal
Butwal Sub Metropolitan City	Kohalpur Udhog Banijya Sangh	Sainamaina Municipality, Rupendehi
CARE	Kopila Valley Sewa Samaj	Sainamaina Yuba Redcross, Rupendehi
Caritas	Kumakh Rural Municipality	Sakkal Agro Group, Lalitpur
CBM	Kumar and Brothers, Nepalgunj	Samaj Kalyan Parishad, Lalitpur
CCR-Karnali	Laxmi Sunrise Bank	Sanakishan Bikash Bank
CECI	Li- Bird Green Karnali Project	Sanakishan Bikash Laghubitta Sanstha Limited
CG group	Lions Club	Sanga-sangai Nepal, Kanchanpur
Chaukune Rural Municipality	Lions Club International B25N Nepalgunj	Sani Bheri Water and Food Production
Chaurjahari Hospital	Lions Club of Butwal Center	Sanskar Academy
Chemicals and Medical Suppliers, Dang	Lions Club of Tulsipur Ishan	Sarada Municipality, Salyan
China Aid	Lumanti	Satyabachana Param Iswariya Marga Darshan, Kathmandu
Chingadh Rural Municipality	Lumbini Medical College and Teaching Hospital	Save the Children
Chitwan Automobiles Association	Lumbini Sanskritik Municipality, Rupendehi	SCI
CIMOs	Lutheran World Federation	Scout Nepal
Civil Hospital, Kathmandu	Lutheran World Relief	SDG Globle
CMC Nepal	Luxemburg Government	Shanti Nepal
CRS	Madhya Paschimanchal Truck and Tractor Byabasayi Sangh	Shining Hospital INF Nepal
DANIDA	Makawanpur Udhog Banijya Sangh	Siddharth Business Group
DAO, Dang	Malika Rural Municipality, Gulmi	Siddhartha Municipality, Rupandehi
DAO, Kaski	Manab Adhikar Tatha Shanti Samaj, Surkhet	Siddhartha Premiere Insurance Limited

DAO, Rukum East	Manab Bikash Tatha Samudayik Sewa	Sipradiyan Sahayata Sangh
DCA	Marwadi Sewa Samaj	Sipradiyan Sahayata Sanstha, Kathmandu
DDMC, Baglung	Medecins du Monde	Siyari Rural Municipality, Rupendehi
DDMC, Banke	Meheelkuna Bajar Byabasthapan Samiti, Surkhet	SOS
DDMC, Banke	Mercy Corps	SOSEC
DDMC, Rukum East	Mid West University	SPA
DFID	Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Luxemburg	START Fund
Dharmakata Byabasthapan Samiti, Hetauda	Ministry of Internal Affairs and Law, Surkhet	Sudur Paschim Scout Cloths Bank, Kailali
Dhorpatan Udhyog Banijya Sangh, Baglung	Ministry of Physical Infrastructure Development, Karnali province	Surkhet Udhyog Niresanalaya
District Hospital, Khalanga, Jajarkot	Mission East	Surya Nepal Pvt. Ltd.
District Hospital, Musikot	Municipal Hospital Nalagad	Swarga Pabitra Satya Sundar Samaj Nepal, Kathmandu
DPNet Nepal	Nabil Bank	Swiss Embassy
Duduwa RM	Nawalpur Youths	Tapta Bahadur Hamal
Environment and Rural Development Center	NBCC, Laitpur	Tarangini Mahila Adhikar Prashikshen Kendra
ESCON	NEA Karnali	TdH Foundation
Everest Fuji Society	NECO Insurance	Tearfund
Everst Club Dailekh	NEEDS Nepal	Terms des hommes
FAIRMED HQ	Nepal Auto Mechanics Trade Union	The Nepal Distilleries Pvt. Ltd
FAO	Nepal Bidhyarathi Sangh Kendriya Samiti	Tilotama Municipality, Lumbini
FCA	Nepal Communist Party	TPO
FCA Disaster Fund	Nepal Gramin Punarnirman Sanstha	Tulsipur Jaycees
Federation of Nepal Gold and Silver Dealers Association	Nepal Jadibuti Byabasayik Sangh	Udhyog Banijya Mahasangh
FEDO	Nepal Life Insurance	Udhyog Banijya Sangh, Nepalgunj
Felm	Nepal Najareth Society Naba Jyoti Kendra, Surkhet	UNHCR
FGTCHURCH Nepal	Nepal National Engineering Union, Surkhet	UNICEF
FHI 360 Nepal	Nepal Nijamati Karmachari Sangh, Surkhet	Unilever Nepal
German Embassy	Nepal Pharmacy Sangh	United Academy, Lalitpur
GNI Nepal	Nepal Rastriya Karmachari Sangathan, Karnali Province	USAID
Good Neighbors International Nepal	Nepal Red Cross Society (NRCS)	VG Foundation, Thapathali

Habitat For Humanity Nepal	Nepal Satgun Tatha Naitik Samaj	Wash Nepal, Jajarkot
Habitat Nepal	Nepal Telecom	WaterAid
Hami Nepali	Nepal Udhyog Banijya Mahasangh	WHH
Handicap International	Nepal Upakar Sanstha	WHO
HCRC Hospital	Nepalgunj Muslim Samaj Nepal	WHR Kathmandu
HDC Nepal	Nepalgunj Neuro Hospital	Women For Human Right Single Women Group Surkhet
HEAL Nepal	Nestle India	WOREC
Help Nepal Network	NFDN	World Federation of Orthodontists (WFO)
Helping Hand For Relief Develepment KTM	NLIC	World Food Programme
Helping Hand, Kathmandu	NRN	World Link Communication
Helping Heart	NRNA	WVI
Helvetas Nepal	OHW	YARCN
Himalayan Bank	Omsatiya Rural Municipality	Yeti Brewery
	Oxfam	Y-Y-Y FOUNDATION UK

Note: This report attempts to compile a list of agencies and institutions involved in relief and recovery support in the earthquake-affected areas. The comprehensive list is based on data from the DAO's one door system and AIN's spreadsheet. However, there may be agencies involved in relief and recovery efforts not included in this list, possibly due to incomplete information in the DAO's records or the AIN spreadsheet. Agencies not found on the list are encouraged to reach out to DAO or update their information on the AIN spreadsheet, available at the provided link <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1bmiGVcC60dGrS16MvP0Sn27TS85dY-0Q/edit#gid=2082142900>. If there is difficulties accessing the link, organizations are requested to upload their relief contributions to our Google doc https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1NhE0S6tJTd_HtLu3drZjW0M12Z50T3ApEtFaqP4plbk/edit?usp=sharing. We will verify your submission against DAO data and ensure its inclusion in the next situation report.

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