

Nepal Red Cross Society

Situation Report : "COVID-19" Preparedness and Response

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7/23/2020

As of 22nd July 2020, the global death is 612054 (4286 new deaths) with 14765256 (202726 new cases) being infected and more than 70,00000 recovered from COVID-19 pandemic.

Ministry of Health and Population confirmed 147 new COVID-19 cases, with this the total number of confirmed case reached to 18241 and total death count has reached 43 as of 23rd July 2020.

Ministry of Health and Population, Health Emergency Operation Centre (HEOC), is leading the response with the support of UN agencies and many other organizations. Nepal Red Cross Society (NRCS) is also the part of it, with the support of movement partners and government agencies at all levels NRCS is responding to the current situation. NRCS emergency operation Centre (EOC) was activated on 6th of February 2020 and 137 SITREPS released with the activities held in 77 District chapters of Red Cross. Nepal Red Cross Society (NRCS), supported by Red Cross and Red Crescent (RCRC) Movement and non-Movement partners bears unique responsibilities and added value when it comes to responding to any emergencies. Meanwhile, NRCS is supporting the Government in COVID-19 response and preparedness through various sectoral activities being implemented through its local branches to meet the needs of community in this current pandemic

Nepal MOHP website; https://covid19.mohp.gov.np/#/	
Total samples tested:	331095
Tested negative:	312854
Tested positive:	18241
Recovered	12840
Deaths:	43
Total no. of people in quarantine	20098
Total no of people in isolation	5358

Highlight:

Hygiene kit distribution in quarantine and isolation of Nepalgunj

Hygiene kits have been distributed to those living in the quarantine and isolation center run by the Nepalgunj sub-metropolitan. Nepal Red Cross Society, Banke District Chapter in coordination with Nepalgunj Sub-Metropolitan, has distributed personal safety and hygiene kits to 29 people in the quarantine center operating in the building of Nepalgunj Mahendra Multiple Campus and isolation in Industrial Development Corporation. The kit was distributed by the Red Cross with the support of the COVID-19 Response Program being run in partnership with the German Embassy in Nepal with the facilitation of GIZ Nepal. As per the plan, the materials will be distributed to 1,000 people staying in quarantine and isolation.

Hygiene kits were distributed to 15 people including 2 women in the quarantine of Multiple Campus Nepalgunj and 14 people in the isolation center run by District COVID-19 Crisis Management Committee at Industrial Development Corporation. Items distributed include 1 towel, 1 water bottle, 1 bottle sanitizer, 1 bath soap, 1 laundry soap, 1 hand wash gel soap, 14 gloves, 14 masks, 1 laundry rope, 1 packet surf of 5 grams, 1 mosquito net, 1 nail cutter, 1 Whistle, 1/1 toothpaste / brush along with packing bag. For women, 2 packets of sanitary pads and 2 inner wear were included in package.



NRCS COVID-19 Preparedness and Response

Health and Care

Activity	New(7/23/2020)	Cumulative achievement
# of personal protective equipment (masks, gloves, hazmat suit) distributed		298211
# of community members receiving PFA		1739
# of people receiving Psychological First Aid Online training		356
# of ambulance services at districts		247
# of ambulance drivers oriented on Infection ,Prevention and Control(IPC) guideline		148
# of people reached through COVID-19 awareness sessions(Community orientation, school orientation, door to door visit, help desk, micng)		214213

Water, Sanitation and Hygiene

# of hygiene kits distributed		568
# of people reached with hygiene promotion activities (hand washing demonstration and practical sessions)		8262
# hand washing stations		766
# of soaps distributed		33030
# of buckets distributed		4616
# of mugs distributed		1896
# people benefited with drinking water at border while returning from India.		109848

Shelter

NFI supported at quarantine(Tarpaulin, tent, blanket, kitchen set,mosquito net etc)		
# of Tents		449
# of tarpaulins		2406
# of blankets		14772
# of mosquito nets		3546
# of mattresses		7850
# of bed sheets		870
Risk Communication and Community Engagement and Accountability		
# of Information, Education and Communication(IEC) materials produced and distributed (pamphlets, flex, stickers, flyers, brochures, banners, etc.)		696514
# of responded calls in NRCS hotline(1130)	2	558
# of COVID 19 specific episodes of radio programs		131
# of people oriented on cyberbullying virtually		275
Protection, Gender and Inclusion		
# of staff/volunteer oriented on PGI during COVID Response		63
# of street children and labor supported with temporary shelter		18
# people benefited with meal during lockdown(also includes ready to eat food like biscuits,noodles etc)		17933
# of dignity kits distributed in quarantine site		1071
# of Kishori Kits distributed in quarantine site		214
#Online PGI Orientation on COVID-19 Response		52
National Society Development		
# of NRCS volunteers mobilized during COVID 19 Response		1933
# of guideline developed to Response COVID 19		4

Note: Table shows the directly reached people only, number of people reached indirectly is more in number.

NRCS District level response(7/23/2020)

Tanahun	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Regularly broadcasting message on COVID-19 from 4 local FM station 10 times per day and one television station 5 times per day. ➤ Participated in DDMC meeting which was conducted in Byas municipality ward number 3.
Baglung	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Regularly broadcasting message on COVID-19 from 6 local FM station on a regular basis.
Lamjung	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ 50 COVID-19 related awareness posture were shared through social media. ➤ 4 times joint monitoring activity was done in quarantine site of Sundar bazaar ward number 8. ➤ Regularly broadcasting message on COVID-19 from local FM station and television on a regular basis.

Note: Updates collected from 5W table

Picture of the day:



Figure : In collaboration with UNICEF contactless hand washing station and temporary bathroom installed at holding centre of Bhattamod Entry point, Mahottari

References

For further updates,

WHO sitrep: https://www.who.int/docs/default-source/coronaviruse/situation-reports/20200722-covid-19-sitrep-184.pdf?sfvrsn=7680210a_2

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