

EARLY ACTION PROTOCOL OPERATIONS UPDATE

Mozambique | Cyclone

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CVM Volunteers and Government in Early warning dissemination in Baixo Pinda, Memba district after the activation of the full Early Action Protocol. (Photo: Mozambique Red Cross Society)


EAP №: EAP2023MZ03	Operation №: MDRMZ021	EAP approved: 02/02/2024
Trigger date: 12/12/2024	Early action timeframe: 3 days (72 hours)	Timeframe covered by this update: 1 month (12/12/2024-10/01/2025)


Budget: 549,957 CHF
To assist: 10,000 people


Early Action Overview

PLANNED OPERATIONS


 <p>Shelter, Housing and Settlements</p>	Female > 18: 152	Female < 18: N/A	CHF
	Male: > 18:124	Male < 18: N/A	AP Code: 005
<p>Indicator planned:</p>	<p>Number of people reached with shelter, housing and settlement interventions in advance of a hazard.</p>		
<p>Priority Early Actions:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dissemination of information on expected event. • Technical support and guidance to reinforce houses and schools. • Transportation of NFIs from the regional warehouses to the impact districts for distribution. • Pre-selection/identification of beneficiaries. • Distribution of NFIs to household and follow up. 		
<p>Progress against targets:</p>			
<p>Demonstration of how to reinforce the houses- Volunteers did not received training on home reinforcement, so this activity was not done in advance of TC Chido.</p>			
<p>Shelter material was deployed from the Nampula warehouse, in Memba district on 14 December. This included 276 shelter kits.</p>			
<p>Additionally, the following items were dispatched by vehicle from the Caia regional warehouse to Nampula carried the following items:</p>			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1,472 shelter kits • 50 rain boots • 50 raincoats • 2,000 bars of soap • 34 bibs • 45 caps • 1 megaphone • 21 T-shirts 			
<p>20 volunteers were mobilized, including 10 from Geba and 10 from Marrerene communities to inform communities on how to use the shelter kit. While distribution of 276 shelter kits was planned, the kits did not arrive in the lead time, due to heavy rainfall, making the roads impassable.</p>			
<p>These items were distributed and used as part of the DREF Operation in response of TC Chido. The stock used in the response will be replenished to the EAP, based on in kind stock provided under the DREF operation.</p>			

 Water, Sanitation and Hygiene	Female > 18: N/A	Female < 18: N/A	CHF
	Male > 18: N/A	Male < 18: N/A	AP Code: 110, 111
Indicator:	Number of people reached with WASH interventions in advance of a hazard		
Priority Early Actions:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sensitization of correct use of water purifier (certeza). • Rapid training and distribution of leaflets. 		
Progress against targets:			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Deployment of HQ staff to the at risk branches: The country's post-electoral crisis, marked by political instability and widespread demonstrations, created significant security challenges, preventing the team responsible for the respective sectors from traveling to the field. Furthermore, communications were greatly impeded by limited internet access. 2. Demonstration of how to use chlorine/Certeza and other hygiene material (refresher for volunteers) - The procurement process is still ongoing, meant that this activity could not be done in advance of TC Chido. 3. Distribution of wash kit (Buckets, mugs, jerrycan, soap and water purifier)- Truck with WASH items arrived in Memba on 15 December after the TC Chido made landfall, around 10:00am. 			

 Risk Reduction, climate adaptation and recovery	Female > 18: 1560	Female < 18: N/A	CHF
	Male > 18: 1440	Male < 18: N/A	AP Code: 101, 103, 105, 106
Indicator:	Number of people reached with risk reduction and/or climate adaptation interventions in advance of a hazard.		
Priority Early Actions:	<p>Refreshing and/or training for volunteers in Early Warning Messages dissemination.</p> <p>Dissemination of Early Warning Messages through Megaphone, Community Radios, TV, social media platforms, bulk SMS messaging.</p>		
Progress against targets:			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Select focus districts based on 72-hours forecast information and community selection criteria established - During the coordination meeting with government, CVM decided to activate the cyclone EAP in Memba district as one of high vulnerability and potential impacted district according to INAM forecast. 2. Activation of CVM volunteers and dissemination of information on the phenomenon in question - 20 volunteers were selected for early warning messages dissemination at Memba district, community of Maela, Baixo Pinda, Esba and Mutare. In total, 3000 people were reached through early warning messages by household mobilization visits 3. Dissemination messages on community radios - local radios coordinated by <i>National Institute of Disaster Management</i> (INGD), ensured wide coverage - To avoid duplication, the CVM did not carry out this activity on the radio but disseminated it in the communities. 4. Post distribution monitoring - Will be done as part of the TC Chido response operation phase. 			

 Community Engagement and Accountability	Female > 18: N/A	Female < 18: N/A	CHF
	Male > 18: N/A	Male < 18: N/A	AP Code: 129
Indicator:	Number of people reached with community engagement and accountability interventions in advance of a hazard		
Priority Early Actions:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Distribution of T-shirts, Bibs and caps- Acquisition process is still ongoing. 2. Distribution of Protection kit (boots and raincoats)-This activity was not done due to logistic delays and passability problems on the access roads due to heavy rain. 		
Progress against targets: Distribution of T-shirts, Bibs and caps - Procurement process is still ongoing. Distribution of Protection kit (boots and raincoats) - This activity was not done due to logistic delays and inaccessibility of roads due to heavy rainfall.			

Enabling approaches

 Coordination and Partnerships	Female > 18: N/A	Female < 18: N/A	CHF
	Male > 18: N/A	Male < 18: N/A	AP Code: 118, 119, 127, 128
Objective:			
Priority Early Actions:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lesson Learn workshop (After activation). • Trigger review workshop. • Visibility, stationary, translation for LLW and trigger review. • Monitoring & Evaluation. • Bank charges. • IFRC technical field monitoring. • Activation support travel. 		
Progress against targets: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Lesson Learn workshop - Will be conducted in February 2025. 2. Trigger review workshop - At this stage there is no need to do this activity since the predictions were shared within time, this activity will be done in the next activation. 3. Post Distribution Monitoring - It was not done because the distribution was carried out in the TC Chido response window, this activity will be carried out after the response. 4. Visibility, stationary, translation for LLW and trigger review - Will resume during the next activation. 			



National Society Strengthening

Female > 18: N/A

Female < 18: N/A

CHF

Male > 18: N/A

Male < 18: N/A

AP Code:
124,125,126

Objective:

NS is strengthened and ready to implement the early action once the EAP is activated.

Priority Early Actions:

- Dissemination messages on community radios.
- CVM Saff Coms (film crew).
- Transport NFI.

Progress against targets:

Transport of household items to the community - Despite the preparation efforts the truck with household items had arrived after the TC Chido made landfall, the reallocations of household items to rapid response ensure that the affected families continue to receive the support.

The goods transferred from the Caia warehouse will also be allocated to rapid response and the preposition stock will be reallocated by the DREF response operation for TC Chido. The president of CED participated in the district COE with Government and other partners.

Emergency operational meeting was done by CVM.

CVM Saff Coms (film crew)-did not happen due to security and plane restrictions due to security post Presidential elections, strikes and violence, Photos were taken by local team staff and volunteers.

Budget

The expenditure reported for the trigger period is approximately **CHF. 10.000** mainly for volunteer mobilization and NFI transport for Memba district (Nampula Province).

The details will be provided in the annual report. There is still **CHF. 171,832** balance which is sufficient for activation of the EAP, if needed. This amount will be deducted with the IFRC regional office which will be utilized for next activation as needed.

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