

SIMPLIFIED EARLY ACTION PROTOCOL ACTIVATION

Djibouti | sEAP Flood

12/10/2026



Djibouti RC volunteers supporting people with disability during rain in Djibouti city, photo credit: Djibouti National Society.

EAP №: sEAP2025DJ03	Operation №: MDRDJ009	EAP approved: 13/03/2026	EAP revised timeframe: 13/03/2026 - 31/03/2028
Trigger date: DD/MM/YYYY	Early action lead time: 7 days	Early action timeframe: 3 Months	

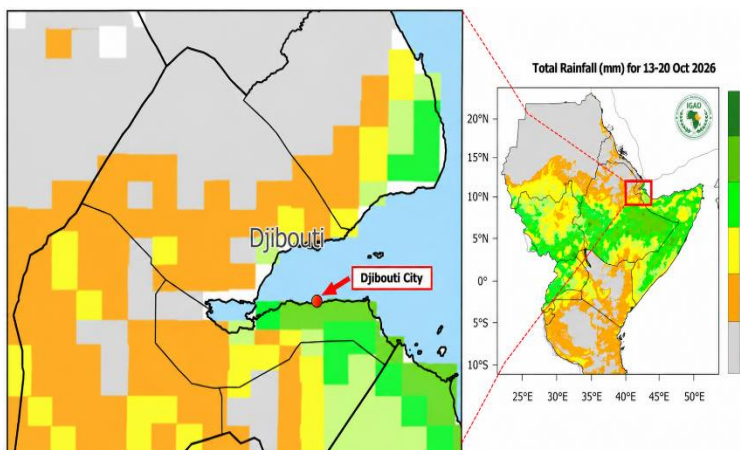
Budget: 77,990 CHF
To assist: 2,500 people

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Activation Overview

Djibouti Red Crescent National Society has activated it's Simplified Early Action Protocol for Flood.

Djibouti seasonal forecast for October-December shows a rainfall impact related to the El Nino event. In line with this outlook ICPAC has released a weekly forecast that indicates a potential rainfall in the coastal zones including Djibouti, Tadjourah, obock, Arta and few areas of Ali Sabieh will be affected.



National Society has been monitoring the threshold and for the period of 13-20 October 2026 the agreed trigger which is total rainfall 50mm and above in Djibouti and its Suburbs is reached (as per the forecast it is in the range of 50-100mm). [13 - 20 October 2026 - ICPAC](#)

DRCS will target 2,500 people living in flood-prone areas who are expected to be severely affected, prioritizing low-income households; female- or child-headed households; large households with three or more children; households with children under five; and households with elderly members.

ICPAC weekly forecast map for rainfall 13-20 October 2026

Anticipatory actions will be implemented in Djibouti among the communities living in Bouloas area within seven days to raise awareness of the forecasted flood event through early warning messages including dissemination through National media houses, sandbagging to protect shelters, strengthen community resilience by distributing and replacing roofing materials, promotion of hygiene to prevent health risks associated with stagnant water.

Early Action Overview

PLANNED OPERATIONS

 Shelter, Housing and Settlements	Female > 18: 315	Female < 18: 117	10 283 CHF
	Male > 18: 270	Male < 18: 78	AP Code: 005
Indicator:	# of household assisted with reinforcement of roofs.		
Priority Early Actions:	1. Technical validation of selected households. 2. Mobilise 50 volunteers to carry out flood awareness, engage communities and conduct early actions. 3. Distribution of roofing sheets to strengthen house roofs to prevent water leakage during the rain (3 days before). 4. Support construction and replacement of roofing sheets.		

 Water, Sanitation and Hygiene	Female > 18: 1500	Female < 18: 100	22 297 CHF
	Male > 18: 800	Male < 18: 100	AP Code: 110
Indicator:	# of people reached with integrated WASH Services		
Priority Early Actions:	1. Deployment of 70 volunteers to carry out early action activities during the operation lead time. 2. Drainage of water logging, clearing drainages (3-5 days before) carried out as community activity benefiting 2,500 people. 3. Carry out hygiene promotion during the early action phase to reach at least 2500 people. 4. Distribution of water treatment chemicals and hygiene materials (3-5 days before) with demonstration on how to use them and follow-up monitoring. 5. Distribution of filled sandbags.		

 Risk Reduction, climate adaptation and recovery	Female > 18: 1500	Female < 18: 100	12 377 CHF
	Male > 18: 800	Male < 18: 100	AP Code: 101
Indicator:	# of people that receive face to face early warning information on the upcoming floods		
Priority Early Actions:	1. Coordination & activation of the flood taskforce and link them with the stakeholders and response structures. 2. Early warning through media and face to face 5 days before the peak of the floods. 3. Support government evacuation plans in evacuation of population at risk to safe ground (2 days before). Integrated rapid needs assessment to assess the likelihood of a response operation. (2 days before).		

 Community Engagement and Accountability	Female > 18: 1200	Female < 18: 100	952 CHF
	Male > 18: 1000	Male < 18: 200	AP Code: 129
Indicator:	% of operational feedback received and responded to by the National Society		
Priority Early Actions:	1. Deployment of volunteers to mainstream CEA in all early action activities. 2. Deployment of community feedback mechanism. 3. Analyse the feedback collected and provide appropriate response.		

Enabling approaches

 Secretariat Services	Female > 18:		4 197 CHF
	Male > 18:		AP Code: 122
Objective:	Provide timely technical and onsite support to allow the NS have smooth implementation.		
Priority Early Actions:	1. Support coordination with stakeholders and authorities. 2. Support operation management and reporting.		

 National Society Strengthening	Female > 18: 15		27 254 CHF
	Male > 18: 35		AP Code: 124,125,126
Objective:	Engage skilled volunteers and deploy critical staff for successful implementation of the Early actions.		
Priority Early Actions:	1. Mobilize BDRT to support early action and prepare for early response. 2. Post-distribution monitoring and lessons learned.		

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