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## Humanitarian Assistance Programme (HAP) Weekly Summary Report

**Reporting Period:** 31 January – 6 February 2013

**Submission Date:** 6 February 2013

### Incidents Update:

During the reporting period 23 natural disaster incidents occurred.

### West Region:

- **Herat Province:** On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February 2013, heavy rains causing flash floods affected a number of families in Jad-e-Ansary of Herat City. The joint assessment conducted by IOM, IRC and ANDMA representatives on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of February identified 55 families severely affected by the disaster. All the families moved to live with host families in the same area as their houses were seriously damaged and 14 houses completely destroyed. All the household items of the destroyed houses were lost in the incident. The identified needs



were winter clothing, hygiene kits, and food items. Consequently, the day following the assessment IOM provided the families with 55 Winter and Blanket modules, ANDMA provided food items, and IRC covered their hygiene needs.

- **Injil District of Herat:** On the same date, heavy rainfall affected 213 families in Nowabad village of Injil district where 187 houses were badly damaged and 26 completely destroyed. The assessment team comprised of IRC, WFP and ANDMA; recommended to assist 213 families with the provision of 213 Family Revitalization kits and 26 Emergency Shelter kits which were distributed by IOM. ANDMA secured the provision of food items, while the hygiene needs were referred to IRC and WHO. The distribution of kits took place on the 4<sup>th</sup> of February.

- **Ghoryan District of Herat:** On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February, heavy rainfall further affected 126 families in Bazar Ghorian village. The assessment conducted on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of February by IRC, ARCS and ANDMA showed that 92



houses were completely destroyed and 34 houses were severely damaged; in addition to loss of livelihoods and crops. The assessment team recommended the provision of food, winter clothing, and emergency shelter. IOM will provide Winter kits and Emergency Shelter kits, to be distributed on the 7<sup>th</sup> of February, while ARCS will cover their food needs.

- **Pashton Zarghon District:** In continuation of heavy rainfall, ANDMA reported

that 200 families have been affected by heavy rain in 20 various villages. The assessment conducted by WFP, IRC and ANDMA is still ongoing. So far, 80 % of the affected population has been assessed. Once the assessment finalized, the findings will be shared with all IOM partners for a coordinated intervention.

- **Guzara District:** According to a preliminary information, 200 families have been affected in 14 various villages during the reporting period. The assessment conducted on the 4<sup>th</sup> of February by IOM, WFP, IRC and ANDMA concluded that 73 families were in need of emergency shelter and NFIs that were provided by IRC.
- **Chesht Sharif District:** According to ANDMA, 308 families have been affected by heavy rain in various locations of the district. The assessment team consisting of ANDMA and WFP is currently conducting an assessment to verify the eligibility of the families for a possible assistance.
- Further, ANDMA in Herat reported that due to continuation of heavy rainfall, an unknown number of families have been affected in Gulran, Obe, Farsi, Zendajan, and Kohsan districts. The needs assessment is being currently carried out by IRC, NRC, DAC, RAADA, WFP, IOM, and GAP.
- **Badghis Province:** Badghis' ANDMA reported that on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February in Jar Haji Sakhi village of Qalanow district heavy rainfall caused flash floods seriously affecting two families. The house of one of the families collapsed during the incident causing two deaths and several injuries to two other family members. The assessment team comprised of IOM, ARCS, WFP and ANDMA recommended the assistance in form of food, NFIs and emergency shelter to one family. Hence, ARCS provided food, NFIs, and emergency shelter, while ANDMA is going to assist them with some cash.
- On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February, ANDMA in Badghis reported that additional 20 families were affected by heavy rainfall in Roji village of Abkamari district. Following an assessment conducted by IOM, ANDMA and other partners, IOM will provide 11 families with the emergency shelter and NFIs.
- **Farah Province:** ANDMA in Farah reported that flash floods (caused by heavy rain) in the center of Farah province affected several areas, however could not provide further information. IOM, in coordination with ANDMA, WFP and UNICEF will assess the affected areas on the 7<sup>th</sup> of February.



### Northeast Region

- On the 5<sup>th</sup> of February, the Governor of Badakhshan in Yawan district reported a landslide incident which occurred in **Sholey village of Yawan district** on the 4<sup>th</sup> of February. The Initial information indicated that 20 houses were completely destroyed, and 40 animals killed. The families of the destroyed houses relocated to the neighboring villages. Given the road closure between Faizabad and Yawan districts due to heavy snow, the assessment team from Faizabad was not able to reach the area to conduct an assessment. However, according to the district governor an assessment team consisting of ARCS volunteers and district authorities will tentatively conduct an assessment on the 6<sup>th</sup> of February in order to collect more accurate information regarding the incident.
- **Kunduz Province:** On the 5<sup>th</sup> of February the roof of a house in Khak Kani area collapsed causing one death and one serious injury (the injured person is still in a critical state in Kunduz hospital). The assessment conducted by IOM, NRF, ANDMA and ARCS found that the house of



three families, all living in the same household was completely destroyed. Therefore, IOM will provide NFIs and emergency shelter to these families.

#### Central Region:

- **Parwan Province:** On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February, as reported by ANDMA, the roof of a house in Pul-e-Lashmak village, Chaharikar district, collapsed that resulted in casualties and damages to the house. A joint assessment was conducted in coordination with CARE, ANDMA, ARCS and DoRR the following day. Six families were identified for an assistance (the living room of four families was completely destroyed, and the living room of two additional families was severely damaged). Two adults were injured and one 18-year old girl and one 7-year old boy did not survive the incident. The main needs of the affected families were NFIs and emergency shelter. IOM provided the families with 6 Revitalization kits, while CARE provided tents to four families and Quilts/Patto to all 6 families on the 5<sup>th</sup> of February. The food items were secured by ANDMA.
- In a separate incident occurred on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of February, ANDMA reported that 44 families have been affected by heavy rainfall in four districts of Parwan province (Sayd Khel, Bagram, Chaharikar, Surkh Parsa). One person was injured and three persons died in Shekh Ali district (Dara Botyan village) as they were caught in an avalanche. The joint assessment conducted by IOM, ANDMA, CARE, ARCS, and other partners will be finalised by the 6<sup>th</sup> of February. The families will then be assisted according to their respective needs.
- **Logar Province:** On the 3<sup>rd</sup> of February ANDMA reported a death of a mother and a child who froze to death when they were caught in heavy snowfall for more than seven hours on their way to the neighboring village in Kharwar district. In a separate incident in the same district, two pregnant women died when they were stuck in heavy snow for more than three hours on the way to a health clinic for delivery.
- On the 5<sup>th</sup> of February, as reported by ANDMA and IRC, heavy snowfall and harsh winter affected around 15 families in Kharwar district. 6 casualties, including those of two children were also reported. In addition, there are also unconfirmed reports of families being severely affected in other districts of the province. IOM in coordination with IRC and ANDMA in Logar, will conduct the joint assessment and will share the findings once the assessment completed.

#### Central Highland region:

- **Ghor-Lal Wa Sarejangal Province:** On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February, as per information from Lal Wa Sarejangal district's governor and ANDMA in Ghor, 70 families were displaced from Qafila, Taimazar, Khawzari Bala, Khawzari Payen villages to Dara and Khawzari Meyana villages due to avalanches and snowstorm. In response, the Ghor's governor assigned a team (ARCS, Lal District authorities) to conduct an initial assessment. Despite the fact that the roads leading to the affected villages are closed due to heavy snowfall, the assessment team, accompanied by IOM will move towards the affected villages. IOM has the capacity to provide the assistance in form of Winter kits, Family, and Shelter kits.
- **Daikundi Province:** The assessment of 20 harsh winter-affected families initially reported by ANDMA was conducted by IOM, ANDMA and DoRR in January. The assessed families were affected by harsh winter and were particularly vulnerable due to lack of NFIs and warm clothing. The caseload was referred to UNHCR for their possible intervention; however UNHCR had no available NFIs to cover the needs of these affected and two IDP families. One of the 13 female headed households died due to harsh winter. IOM, considering the gap in humanitarian interventions, provided the families with 20 Revitalization kits on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February.

#### South Region:

- **Helmand Province:** On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February, as reported by IOM field staff and ANDMA in Helmand, 55 families were reportedly affected due heavy rainfall in Lashkargah district, Qala Bist Manda Kalay and Qalay Kuhna villages. IOM, UNHCR, WFP, ANDMA, DoRR and the governor's office representatives initiated an assessment on the 6<sup>th</sup> of



February. The findings of the assessment will be shared once completed.

- **Kandahar Province:** On the 4<sup>th</sup> of February Kandahar's ANDMA reported 40 Kochi families (Nomads) affected by heavy rainfall, causing damages and destruction of their houses in Daman district, Ghayabi Qalacha village. IOM conducted a joint assessment with HAPA, WFP, ANDMA and Save the Children on the 6<sup>th</sup> of February. 32 families were identified for assistance in the form of NFIs, emergency shelter and food items. IOM is currently coordinating the distribution of the mentioned items.
- **Zabul Province:** On the 3<sup>rd</sup> of February, flash flood affected 90 families in Zabul province, Qalat. The joint assessment team comprised of IOM, ANDMA, WFP, HAPA, ADA and DoRR; conducted a joint assessment of the affected families on the 5<sup>th</sup> of February. 117 families confirmed to be in need of NFIs and food items. IOM is in the process of coordination with its partners and soon will provide the required assistance to the identified families.

#### **East Region:**

- **Kunar Province:** On the 4<sup>th</sup> of February, ANDMA reported 29 families affected by heavy rainfall in 8 districts of Kunar province (Dara-I-Pech, Asmar, Nurgal, Dangam, Khas Kunar, Chapa Dara, Shegal, Sarkani). The joint assessment team (IOM, ANDMA, IMC, HEWAD) started the assessment of the affected families on the 6<sup>th</sup> of February. The findings of the assessment will be shared once the needs are identified.
- **Laghman Province:** On the 6<sup>th</sup> of February, during a PDMC meeting in Laghman province, ANDMA reported that 45 families were affected by heavy rainfall in four districts of Laghman province (Alishing, Alingar, Daulatshahi, Qarghayi). The Assessment team formed by IOM, MRRD, ANDMA, WFP, DAIL will conduct an assessment in Alishang, Qarghayi and Dawlatshah districts on the 7<sup>th</sup> of February, while ARCs will assess the families in Alingar district.
- **Nangarhar Province:** On the 5<sup>th</sup> of February, as per ANDMA, NRC and village elders' report, 7 families were affected by heavy rainfalls in Surkh Rod district (Shaikh Mesri village) of Nangarhar province. IOM, in coordination with NRC, ANDMA and other partners are in the field to carry out the assessment of the families. The findings of the assessment team will be shared upon team's return from the field.