

Response to Tropical Cyclone BIPARJOY



04
Districts Affected



84,610 People Evacuated



38,715 People Repatriated



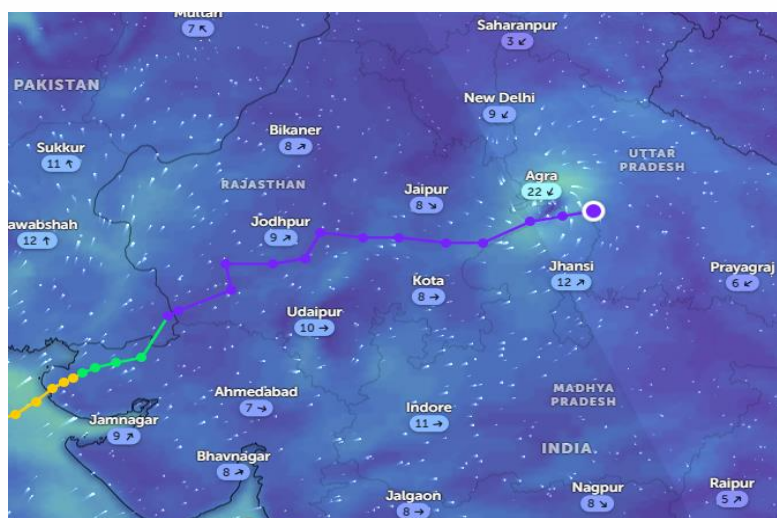
05
Injuries



04
Death

SITUATION UPDATE

- Cyclone BIPARJOY is now located at 232 km southeast of Karachi, Pakistan, and continues to track northeastward at 11 km/h (6 knots) over the past 6 hours.
- Based on animated radar data from India and Pakistan, the eye of BIPARJOY is near the town of **Etawah** in India.
- Over the next 36 hours, the Cyclone is expected to track slowly over the Rann of Kutch in India.
- In Pakistan, no rain has been observed since last 24 hours in the cyclone affected districts of Sindh province. *(Source: PDMA Sindh)*



CURRENT RESPONSE BY GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

- The Provincial Disaster Management Authority, Rehabilitation department dispatched Tents (8,000), Ration Bags (7,000), Mosquito Nets (24,000), Jerry Cans (4,000), Life Jackets (300) Kitchen sets (7,000) and Plastic Buckets (3,000) to the cyclone affected districts.
- **16 mobile medical teams** are providing health care in district Tharparkar and Umerkot.
- In the last 24 hours Directorate of Mobile Diagnostic & Emergency Health Service MD&EHS Rehabilitation Department Government of Sindh provided basic health care to **1,767 persons** included 725 children in 11 medical camps in Sindh province. *(Source: PDMA)*



The cyclone BIPARJOY evacuees receiving relief items in Badin, Sujawal, and Thatta districts.



WHO PAKISTAN SUPPORT TO GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

WRs Mission to cyclone affected areas

- On 19th June 2023 the WHO Country Representative Pakistan, continued his 2 days visit to the Cyclone BIPARJOY affected areas to assess the impact of the cyclone and provide technical and material support to the affected districts and population. During the visit, Dr. Palitha Mahipala visited Government college Sujawal where evacuees were being hosted in a relief camp and the coastal area of Shah Bundar, district Sujawal.
- Later, the WR visited the WHO supported health camp in district Sujawal. During his visit the WR held meeting with District Health Officer, Dr Ahmed Ali at DHO Office Sujawal. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the public health effect of the cyclone, ongoing response, and challenges.



WHO Country Representative Pakistan Dr Palitha Mahipala visited cyclone affected district Sujawal, in Sindh.

WHO support to Polio campaign

- On 19th June 2023, WHO Country Representative Pakistan Dr Palitha Mahipala and Minister of Health & Population Welfare Sindh Dr Azra Fazal Pechuho, inaugurated the Polio campaign in Sindh. The Polio campaign is scheduled for 19-25 June 2023, in Karachi & Hyderabad. The campaign targets 1.8 million children below 5-years of age.
- The WR also visited Al-Asif Square Bus Stand, one of the busiest transit points in Karachi to oversee the Polio campaign. He appreciated the health workers for their unwavering commitment to work.



WHO Country Representative Pakistan Dr Palitha Mahipala inaugurating the Polio campaign in Karachi.



EVACUATION DETAILS

S.No	Districts	Taluka	Population Evacuated	No. of Families evacuated	Population Repatriated
1.	Malir	Ibrahim Hyderi	5,000	800 (approx.)	5,000
2.	Badin	S.F Rahu, Badin	31,280	5,300	17,001
3.	Thatta	Keti Bendar, Ghorabari	23,352	3,400	4,162
4.	Sujawal	Shahbunder, Jati, Kharochan	24,978	4,996	17,552



WHO STAFF WELFARE

- All WHO staff and their families are well and safe.
- WHO in collaboration with UNDSS continues to monitor all UN staff and their dependents in affected areas.

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