**DSWD DROMIC Report #4 on Tropical Storm “Crising”**

as of 18 May 2021, 6PM

**Situation Overview**

On 13 May 2021 at around 2 AM, the Low Pressure Area east of Davao City developed into a Tropical Depression and was named “Crising”. In the afternoon, “Crising” accelerated as it continued to move west-northwestward towards Davao Oriental-Surigao del Sur area and developed into a Tropical Storm. On the same date at around 8:20 PM, “Crising” weakened into a Tropical Depression and made its landfall in the vicinity of Baganga, Davao Oriental.

As “Crising” weakened into a Low Pressure Area (LPA) on 14 May 2021 at around 8 AM and continuously moved westward or west northwestward emerging over the Sulu Sea, light to moderate with at times heavy rains were experienced over Zamboanga Peninsula, Davao Oriental, Davao de Oro, Davao del Norte, Davao City, Davao del Sur, Cotabato, Maguindanao, Bukidnon, Lanao del Norte, Lanao del Sur, and Misamis Occidental that resulted to flooding in some of the affected areas.

*Source:* *[DOST-PAGASA Sever](http://bagong.pagasa.dost.gov.ph/tropical-cyclone/severe-weather-bulletin)e Weather Bulletin*

1. **Status of Affected Families / Persons**

A total of **13,335 families** or **65,742 persons** were affected in **59 barangays** in **Regions IX** and **XI** (see Table 1).

***Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons***

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| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY**  |  **NUMBER OF AFFECTED**  |
|  **Barangays**  |  **Families**  |  **Persons**  |
| **GRAND TOTAL** | **59**  |  **13,335**  |  **65,742**  |
| **REGION IX** | **40**  |  **12,304**  |  **60,605**  |
| **Zamboanga Sibugay** | **40**  |  **12,304**  |  **60,605**  |
|  | *Diplahan* |  *7*  | *1,477*  | *7,385*  |
|  | *Imelda* |  *9*  | *1,150*  | *4,835*  |
|  | *Kabasalan* |  *14*  | *8,000*  | *40,000*  |
|  | *Siay* |  *10*  | *1,677*  | *8,385*  |
| **REGION XI** | **19**  |  **1,031**  |  **5,137**  |
| **Davao del Norte** | **2**  |  **130**  |  **650**  |
|  | *New Corella* |  *2*  |  *130*  |  *650*  |
| **Davao Oriental** | **17**  |  **901**  |  **4,487**  |
|   | *Baganga* |  *10*  |  *91*  |  *455*  |
|  | *Caraga* |  *1*  |  *18*  |  *90*  |
|  | *Cateel* |  *4*  |  *78*  |  *390*  |
|  | *City of Mati (capital)* |  *2*  |  *714*  | *3,552*  |

*Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.*

*Source: DSWD-FOs IX and XI*

1. **Status of Displaced Families / Persons**
2. **Inside Evacuation Centers**

There are **45 families** or **207 persons** currently taking temporary shelter in **two (2) evacuation centers** in **Regions IX** and **XI** (see Table 2).

***Table 2. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Inside Evacuation Centers***

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| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY**  |  **NUMBER OF EVACUATION CENTERS (ECs)**  |  **NUMBER OF DISPLACED**  |
|  **INSIDE ECs**  |
|  **Families**  |  **Persons**  |
|  **CUM**  |  **NOW**  |  **CUM**  |  **NOW**  |  **CUM**  |  **NOW**  |
| **GRAND TOTAL** |  **7**  |  **2**  |  **825**  |  **45**  |  **4,107**  |  **207**  |
| **REGION IX** |  **1**  |  **1**  |  **33**  |  **33**  |  **165**  |  **165**  |
| **Zamboanga Sibugay** |  **1**  |  **1**  |  **33**  |  **33**  |  **165**  |  **165**  |
|  | *Siay* | *1*  | *1*  |  *33*  |  *33*  |  *165*  |  *165*  |
| **REGION XI** |  **6**  |  **1**  |  **792**  |  **12**  |  **3,942**  |  **42**  |
| **Davao Oriental** |  **6**  |  **1**  |  **792**  |  **12**  |  **3,942**  |  **42**  |
|  | *Cateel* | *4*  |  *-*  |  *78*  |  *-*  |  *390*  |  *-*  |
|  | *City of Mati (capital)* | *2*  | *1*  |  *714*  |  *12*  | *3,552*  |  *42*  |

*Note: Ongoing assessment and validation are being conducted on the number of affected families with 1,497 persons staying at the five (5) evacuation centers in Imelda, Zamboanga, Sibugay as reported by the MSWDO.*

*Source: DSWD-FOs IX and XI*

1. **Outside Evacuation Centers**

There are **1,644 families** or **8,220 persons** temporarily staying with their relatives and/or friends in **Region IX** (see Table 3).

***Table 3. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Outside Evacuation Centers***

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| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY**  |  **NUMBER OF DISPLACED**  |
|  **OUTSIDE ECs**  |
|  **Families**  |  **Persons**  |
|  **CUM**  |  **NOW**  |  **CUM**  |  **NOW**  |
| **GRAND TOTAL** | **1,644**  | **1,644**  | **8,220**  | **8,220**  |
| **REGION IX** | **1,644**  | **1,644**  | **8,220**  | **8,220**  |
| **Zamboanga Sibugay** | **1,644**  | **1,644**  | **8,220**  | **8,220**  |
|  | *Siay* |  *1,644*  |  *1,644*  |  *8,220*  |  *8,220*  |

*Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.*

*Source: DSWD-FO IX*

1. **Damaged Houses**

There are **97** damaged houses; of which, **two (2)** were **totally damaged** and **95** were **partially damaged** (see Table 4).

***Table 4. Number of Damaged Houses***

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| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY**  |  **NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES**  |
|  **Total**  |  **Totally**  |  **Partially**  |
| **GRAND TOTAL** |  **97**  |  **2**  |  **95**  |
| **REGION XI** |  **97**  |  **2**  |  **95**  |
| **Davao Oriental** |  **97**  |  **2**  |  **95**  |
|   | *Baganga* |  *81*  |  *1*  |  *80*  |
|  | *Cateel* |  *16*  |  *1*  |  *15*  |

*Note: The decrease in the number of partially damaged houses is based on the assessment and validation conducted by the DSWD-FO XI.*

*Source: DSWD-FO XI*

# Situational Reports

**DSWD-DRMB**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
| --- | --- |
| 18 May 2021 | * The Disaster Response Management Bureau (DRMB) is closely coordinating with the concerned field offices for significant reports on the status of affected families, assistance, and relief efforts.
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**DSWD-FO MIMAROPA**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
| --- | --- |
| 14 May 2021 | * Social Welfare and Development Teams (SWADTs) were alerted to monitor daily local weather condition and related eventualities, and ensure provision of information to all concerned offices, divisions, sections, and units.
* Expanded Regional/Provincial/City/Municipal Quick Response Teams (R/P/C/M QRTs) together with special projects staff were on standby for possible activation of Operation Center to respond in case any untoward incident and eventualities are reported.
* Logistical equipment and workforce were on standby and maintained coordination with SWADTs and concerned Local Government Units (LGUs) on the management of stranded passengers in ports and terminals, if any.
* Information and Communication Technology Management Unit (ICTMU) of DSWD-FO MIMAROPA was on standby to ensure robust communication system.
* DSWD-FO MIMAROPA close coordinated with the Office of Civil Defense (OCD) and Regional Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (RDRRMC) MIMAROPA to get updates for monitoring purposes and response mechanism in areas that might be affected.
* DSWD-FO MIMAROPA continuously coordinated with the Local Social Welfare and Development Offices (LSWDOs) on the implementation of minimum health protocols related to Camp Coordination and Camp Management to prevent and mitigate the possible transmission of COVID-19 and other illnesses during evacuation.
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**DSWD-FO VII**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
| --- | --- |
| 14 May 2021 | * R/P/C/M QRTs were on standby alert and may be mobilized for any assistance and augmentation support needed by the LGUs.
* City/Municipal Action Teams (C/MATs) and Social Welfare and Development Officces (SWADOs) were alerted and requested to closely coordinate with their local counterparts and their respective Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (LDRRMCs). Field staff were also requested to monitor area of responsibility (AOR) and provide reports and updates to the Regional DROMIC Focal for any impacts/effects of TS Crising.
* DSWD-FO VII Regional DROMIC Focal continuously monitored the latest weather updates through PAGASA and cascaded the said information for dissemination to Provincial/City/Municipal Action Teams (P/C/MATs).
* DSWD-FO VII through its Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) closely coordinated with OCD-7 and other RDRRMC member agencies for any response mobilization activities/strategies. Regional QRT members were on standby alert.
* Warehouses in the three island provinces were also on standby alert for any response activities.
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**DSWD-FO IX**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
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| 15 May 2021 | * As a quick response, affected LGUs through its Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) and Barangays provided food and non-food assistance to the flood victims while some areas facilitated a community kitchen.
* DSWD-FO IX DRMD through its Disaster Response Information Management Section (DRIMS) closely coordinated with MSWDO of Kabasalan, Diplahan, Imelda, and Siay along with SWADT Ipil for relevant updates in the actual number of families affected and process the request for relief assistance from the affected municipalities.
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**DSWD-FO X**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
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| 14 May 2021 | * DSWD-FO X has available operational vehicles/trucks and Telecommunications Equipment ready for deployment:

- 1 unit 6-Wheeler Isuzu Forward Aluminum Panel (12 Tons Loading Capacity)- 1 unit 6-Wheeler Hiro Wingvan (8 tons Loading Capacity)- 4 Samsung Grand Cellphones currently in use for the Regional Quick ResponseTeam for Covid-19 Response |

**DSWD-FO XI**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
| --- | --- |
| 18 May 2021 | * DSWD-FO XI is in constant coordination with the Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (PDRRMO), LSWDOs and SWADO for updates and for possible need for augmentation.
* DSWD-FO XI conducted relief operations for the affected families of Barangay Matiao.
* DSWD-FO XI has an ongoing relief operation to the affected families of Barangay Matiao and Don Enrique Lopez, Mati City, Davao Oriental.
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**DSWD-FO CARAGA**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
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| 13 May 2021 | * DSWD-FO CARAGA continuously monitored the weather updates.
* DSWD-FO CARAGA alerted the regional and provincial QRTs on the possible activation and deployment of teams.
* DRMD Operation Center was activated to monitor LGUs that might be affected by TS “Crising”.
* DSWD-FO CARAGA QRTs were on standby for possible deployment.
* DSWD-FO CARAGA continuously coordinated with SWAD Teams Leaders and LSWDOs to monitor the situation in their respective AOR.
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*The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of the DSWD-DRMB is closely monitoring the effects of Tropical Storm “Crising” and is coordinating with the concerned DSWD Field Offices for any significant updates.*

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