

DSWD DROMIC Report #5 on the Red Tide Toxin in the Coastal Waters of Capiz Province

as of 29 October 2022, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

From 20 to 22 September 2022, the Capiz Agri-Aqua Laboratory conducted a water sampling in the coastal waters of Capiz. Based on the results, the coastal waters were positive for the presence of *Pyrodinium bahamense*, an organism causing paralytic shellfish poisoning or red tide toxin, which affected coastal barangays of Panay and President Roxas, Capiz. Per an initial report of the Municipal Social Welfare Development Office (MSWDO), there were no reported fatalities related to paralytic shellfish poisoning.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) VI

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **8,788 families** or **41,601 persons** are affected in **80 barangays** in **Capiz** (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	80	8,788	41,601
REGION VI	80	8,788	41,601
Capiz	80	8,788	41,601
<i>Ivisan</i>	11	1,000	5,000
<i>Panay</i>	9	1,411	4,714
<i>Pilar</i>	10	1,162	5,810
<i>Pontevedra</i>	25	3,123	15,715
<i>President Roxas</i>	6	237	1,185
<i>Roxas City (capital)</i>	9	900	4,402
<i>Sapi-an</i>	10	955	4,775

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VI

III. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱1,931,302.00** worth of assistance was provided to the affected families; of which, **₱1,734,572.00** from the DSWD and **₱196,730.00** from the Local Government Unit (LGU) (see Table 6).

Table 2. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
GRAND TOTAL	1,734,572.00	196,730.00	-	-	1,931,302.00
REGION VI	1,734,572.00	196,730.00	-	-	1,931,302.00
Capiz	1,734,572.00	196,730.00	-	-	1,931,302.00
<i>Panay</i>	709,941.00	-	-	-	709,941.00
<i>President Roxas</i>	119,211.00	-	-	-	119,211.00
<i>Roxas City</i>	435,600.00	-	-	-	435,600.00

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
<i>Sapi-an</i>	469,820.00	196,730.00	-	-	666,550.00

Source: DSWD FO VI

IV. Response Actions and Interventions

a. Standby Funds and Prepositioned Relief Stockpile

OFFICE	STANDBY FUNDS	STOCKPILE			TOTAL STANDBY FUNDS & STOCKPILE
		FAMILY FOOD PACKS		OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS (FNIs)	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST		
TOTAL	377,471,884.48	123,902	79,543,715.00	195,133,304.94	652,148,904.42
DSWD CO	372,471,884.48	-	-	-	372,471,884.48
NRLMB NROC	-	46,685	35,405,971.00	128,136,635.94	163,542,606.94
NRLMB VDRC	-	30,829	19,118,265.00	39,623,600.00	58,741,865.00
DSWD FO VI	5,000,000.00	46,388	25,019,479.00	27,373,069.00	57,392,548.00

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 29 October 2022, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱372.47 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO VI.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 77,514 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 46,685 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 30,829 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 46,388 FFPs available at DSWD FO VI.
- ₱195.13 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VI warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
26 October 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The relief goods that were picked up by the LGU of Sapi-an, Capiz together with the Municipal Action Team (MAT) at the Regional warehouse in Brgy. Mambog, Oton, Iloilo on 21 October 2022 were distributed to the affected families and individuals.
24 October 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LGU Roxas City, Capiz picked up relief goods at the Regional warehouse in Brgy. Mambog, Oton, Iloilo.
11 October 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VI through the MAT / Quick Response Team (QRT) distributed FFPs to the affected families in President Roxas and Panay, Capiz.
10 October 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VI through the Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) facilitated the release of FFPs to the LGUs of President Roxas and Panay, Capiz.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
26 October 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO VI closely coordinated with the Local Social Welfare and Development Offices (LSWDOs) of the LGUs of President Roxas and Panay, Capiz for facilitation of relief assistance and updates on the status of affected families and persons.
12 October 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO VI provided financial assistance the affected families through Assistance for Individuals in Crisis Situations (AICS) amounting to a total of ₱992,000.00.

V. Photo Documentation





The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of DSWD-DRMB is closely coordinating with DSWD FO VI for significant disaster response updates and assistance provided.

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