

DSWD DROMIC Report #3 on the African Swine Fever Outbreak in Region VI as of 04 July 2023, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

With confirmed cases and reports on the spread of the African Swine Fever (ASF) in Western Visayas (Region VI), the effects of ASF has placed the provinces of Aklan and Capiz as well as the municipality of Hamtic in Antique under State of Calamity (SoC) on 19 May 2023, 13 June 2023, and 22 June 20223 respectively.

ASF is a highly contagious viral disease of domestic and wild pigs, where mortality rate can reach 100%. It is not a danger to human health, but it has devastating effects on pig populations and the farming economy. There is currently no effective vaccine against ASF. The virus is highly resistant in the environment, meaning that it can survive on clothes, boots, wheels, and other materials. It can also survive in various pork products, such as ham, sausages or bacon.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) VI and World Organisation for Animal Health (WOAH)

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **6,308 families** or **31,667 persons** are affected in **128 barangays** in **Region VI** (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	128	6,308	31,667
REGION VI	128	6,308	31,667
Aklan	63	4,386	22,097
<i>Balete</i>	2	69	257
<i>Batan</i>	20	1,513	7,565
<i>Kalibo</i>	1	15	1,125
<i>New Washington</i>	1	84	358
<i>Makato</i>	18	1,380	6,900
<i>Numancia</i>	17	1,206	5,344
<i>Tangalan</i>	4	119	548
Antique	28	525	2,585
<i>Hamtic</i>	28	525	2,585
Capiz	37	1,397	6,985
<i>Panay</i>	37	1,397	6,985

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VI

III. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱531,000.00** worth of assistance was provided by **DSWD** to the affected families (see Table 2).

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
GRAND TOTAL	531,000.00	-	-	-	531,000.00
REGION VI	531,000.00	-	-	-	531,000.00
Aklan	531,000.00	-	-	-	531,000.00
<i>Tangalan</i>	<i>531,000.00</i>	-	-	-	<i>531,000.00</i>

Note: The reflected DSWD assistance only covers the cost of relief items distributed to different affected areas.

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 (FFPs)		OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS (FNIs)	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST		
TOTAL	634,496,381.76	267,416	178,190,058.12	275,768,264.59	1,088,454,704.47
DSWD CO	629,496,381.76		-	-	629,496,381.76
NRLMB NROC	-	129,296	83,136,643.60	168,206,962.04	251,343,605.64
NRLMB VDRC	-	72,842	53,470,800.48	50,171,145.05	103,641,945.53
DSWD FO VI	5,000,000.00	65,278	41,582,614.04	57,390,157.50	103,972,771.54

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 04 July 2023, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱629.5 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO VI.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 202,138 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 129,296 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 72,842 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 65,278 FFPs available at DSWD FO VI.
- ₱275.77 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VI warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
27 June 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VI in coordination with the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office of the LGU of Tangalan provided FFPs to the families affected by the fire incident.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
30 May 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VI through its Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) coordinated with the affected LGUs through their respective

DATE	ACTIVITIES
	Local Social Development Offices (LSWDOs) for significant updates and any request for augmentation.

This merged report is a continuation of the DSWD DROMIC Reports on the Effects of African Swine Fever in Hamtic, Antique and African Swine Fever Outbreak in Aklan. 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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